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WHAT DO THEY WANT?

Again we have been favored with a copy of Webster's Weekly with an editorial under the above caption.

We are pleased to find our esteemed contemporary courteous and genteel in his discussion and we do the more cheerfully answer for ourselves in this matter.

The Weekly is laboring under a mistake if it thinks that our sending it a marked copy was to be construed anything but a courteous calling its attention to our discussion of his editorial of December 16th. We wrote what we did to be clearly understood as to our position, to show the wounds made by reflections that we think might be avoided, and above all to help temper the language of those with whom we cannot exactly see.

It is not our purpose to enter an extended discussion by which to weary our contemporary or our readers, but a reply seems demanded.

Our esteemed contemporary also refers to the fact that should free coinage prevail and bring disaster, we could say: "Just as we told you." This would be no comfort whatever. Let the best come to our people, no matter how it may expose our ignorance and folly. We want no triumph at the calamity of others.

We thank the Weekly for copying our entire article. The Weekly says: THE STANDARD cannot show a single criticism in said editorial (of Dec. 16) leveled at those who acquiesce in the will of the majority."

That editorial said: "He wrongs himself by letting his principles be dishonored; by putting himself where he will be overwhelmed by men who have no sympathy with his cherished convictions. \* \* Of what help is the man who votes straight and talks crooked?" We thought the Weekly surely meant that we who voted the Democratic ticket voted straight and that those professing to be Democrats but who voted for Palmer or McKinley did not vote straight. The talking crooked we inferred meant talking white supremacy without talking white metal. We certainly understood the Weekly to mean the class to which we belong.

Says the Weekly: "THE STANDARD says if it understands the Weekly, the gold Democrats who ask for nothing save to be let alone, are not welcome in the party. We challenge it to show that we have ever said anything to that effect."

Just after the quotation we gave

above we find the Weekly says: "His heart does not go with his vote and he is a dead weight upon the progress of his party." The Weekly in that editorial associates "white supremacy and white metal" pretty closely. We certainly understood it to mean as much by the above quotations as to say "we would rather not have you if you do not advocate both the 'whites.'"

The Weekly asks whether THE STANDARD believes the Democratic party will give the country free silver if it is restored to power, and whether THE STANDARD favors its restoration to power. We answer that we want Democracy restored to power, and we believe that if restored to power, nationally, with a working majority for either free coinage at a parity, free coinage regardless of parity, or a disregard of metal money, it will give a measure consistent therewith. But we would ask the Weekly to write it on his right hand cuff in red letters that there is more in Democracy than merely free coinage.

We believe an over-ruling Providence gave us defeat in the last national campaign that we might have time to deliberate and become wiser in conservatism when victory perches on our banner than we were then.

We further answer our contemporary that we most heartily say "Amen" to Dr. Young's call for a convention in '92, and on this rock we stand. There is not a fusion idea in it.

We are profoundly sorry to see our contemporary leaning toward fusion.

It would anger and disgust a large class of Democrats whose energy we need; it would forfeit the respect of the better class of Populists themselves, who are fast becoming tired of the stigmas to which fusion has led and long for associations of uncontaminated straightforwardness, beside it would have the effect to gather up the most corrupt leaders of the Populist party to put up to the highest bidder, what following they can muster.

Our party made a bid or two in the last campaign but got outbidden for State ticket. We lost the State and our dignity too.

Let us wash our hands of fusion, earn and command respect by inviting into Democratic affiliation all who wish white supremacy, whether we agree on finances or not.

The Weekly seems to think Populists will not aid us to restore white supremacy unless we declare strongly for the tenets of the Chicago platform. They demanded no such thing of the Republicans to effect fusion and will not again, and they know when voting with the Democrats they are voting with a party overwhelmingly for free coinage and that the opposite is the case when they vote with Republicans. Why should they make such a difference?

We think the Weekly's charge that there was a conspiracy in the State to weaken free coinage by being silent on the Chicago platform is unfounded and unfortunate. We look upon it as simply a spontaneous uprising of sentiment among all good men that the State must be rescued from Russellism. It is worth some sacrifices. (Butler charged conspiracy, but we all knew what ugly things he can charge)

The Weekly disavows a purpose to wound the feelings of the acquiescing Democrats in his editorial of Dec. 16th. We accept this gladly, but must maintain our right to construe the article as we did.

OUR LIVE-BUSINESS MEN.

Bell, Harris & Co., furniture dealers and undertakers.

D J Bostian, racket store.  
Dr N D Fetzter, drug store.

Yorke Wadsworth & Co., hardware.

W J Hill, harness and groceries.  
Cannon & Fetzter Co., dry goods and clothing.

Concord Steam Laundry, laundry.  
Odeil Manufacturing Co., dealers in general merchandise.

G W Patterson, wholesale dealer.  
Brown Bros., liverymen.

Dry & Miller, shoe dealers.  
Dr. J P Gibson, druggist.

Craven Bros., furniture dealers and undertakers.

A J & J F Yorke, jewelry.  
Cabarrus Savings Bank.

Concord National Bank.  
Ervin & Smith, groceries.

K L Craven, coal dealer.  
J A C Blackwelder, coal dealer.

Jno. K Patterson, town tax collector.

Mr. Holobaugh Assigns.

Mr. G M Holobaugh made an assignment, in Charlotte, Saturday, for the benefit of creditors. Mr. Holobaugh is a grocery merchant, and the amounts are small. He places all his effects in the hands of his assignee, Mr. A G Link.

## Was Growing Worse

Liver and Stomach Troubles—Too Weak to Work—Now Able to Do All Her Housework.

"I was under the care of a physician for two years and he was treating me for stomach and liver troubles and female difficulties, but I only grew worse under his treatment. I was so weak I could do hardly any work. I was at last induced to try Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills and these medicines have done me so much good that I now weigh 112 pounds and am able to do all my housework. I firmly believe I should have been in my grave today if it had not been for Hood's Sarsaparilla. My little girl was afflicted with phthisis. I gave her Hood's Sarsaparilla and it has relieved her." Mrs. R. S. HARPER, 701 University Avenue, Knoxville, Tennessee.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**

Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. At all druggists. Be sure to get Hood's.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

**CONCORD FOUNDRY CO**  
Concord, N. C.

Our foundry is now in blast once a week, casting regularly every Friday. We are prepared to furnish you anything in the casting line at living prices. We will be pleased to quote you special prices on anything desired. All orders receive prompt attention. Also do general machine work.

**Concord Foundry Co.**  
West Corbin Street.

**The Concord Meat Market**

Will be open for business Saturday morning in the Castor building on Main Street. ALL KINDS of MEAT and SAUSAGE handled. Patronage Solicited.

Respectfully,  
**Sol Levy,**  
Proprietor

## Coal! Coal!

For all kinds of coal—Soft or Hard—call on me. My Lump Coal can not be surpassed in quality. Prices as low as can be had.

**J. A. C. Blackwelder**  
At Store on West Depot Street.  
Phone No. 68.

**BACKACHE and RHEUMATISM reliever**  
Dr. Miles' Nerve Plaster.

# SANTA CLAUS

—AT THE—

# RACKET STORE.

ALBUMS.

Photo-Albums 50c. to 2.55  
Auto 5c. to 10c  
Scarf 10c to 48c  
Christmas cards 5c  
Photo frames 5c. to 1.25

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Banjos 2.00 and 3.00  
Auto harps 3.50 and 4.50  
Zithers 68 to 2.25  
Violins 1.50  
Accordians 1.25 up  
Harmonicas 5 to 25

JEWELRY.

Solid gold rings for ladies and children at 7c. to 6.25. Curb chain Bracelets 1.25 to 2.75. Ladies long watch chains at 25c. to 2.75. Ladies gold pens 1.25. Fountain pens 98c and 1.25. Pick pins 5c. to 1.50. Breast pins 5c. to 1.25.

PERFUMERY.

Well assorted from 5c. to 50c. Nice lot of single bottles in fancy boxes at 15 and 25c.

GENTS' NECKWEAR.

Scarfs, bows and ties from 2 1/2 to 68c. Gents' embroidered Satin suspenders at 50c. per pair.

BOOKS.

Juvenile books 10c to 75c. Standard works, Bibles and Testaments at publishers prices.

POCKET BOOKS.

Gents' and Ladies' pocket books, purses and card cases 5 to 50c.

Baskets at 2c. to 1.15.

Toys without end.

Candy, Nuts, Meats and Raisins at lowest prices.

SEE US. We will save MONEY on anything you want.

Respectfully,

**D. J. Bostian.**



We cannot tell you how much more comfortable a collar with a smooth, ivory-like edge will feel, but we do know that you will always want the smooth edge if you once try it. We have had a great many visitors this week to see a machine that POSITIVELY DOES NOT CRACK WING POINT OR TURN DOWN COLLARS. Are you one of our patrons? If not fall in line. We are going to please you, and a trial package will convince you that our work is up to date. We employ none but the most expert help and our patrons' loaves are not torn by unexperienced help handling them. Satisfaction guaranteed to all. Stop our wagon and have driver call for and deliver your clothes every week.

**Concord Steam Laundry.**

**M. B. STICKLEY,**  
Attorney at Law,  
Concord N. C.  
SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO COLLECTIONS.  
Office upstairs in King building near Postoffice.

## PATTERSON'S

—IS—

HEADQUARTERS

—FOR—

## GROCERIES.

We are better prepared this season than ever to please the public with BARGAINS

—IN—

## BAGGING and TIES.

Corn, Oats, Rye, Ship Stuff Flour, &c.

We carry the largest stock of

Snuff, Tobacco, Candies, Soda, Canned Goods, Soap, Coffee, Sugar, Salt, Oil, Molasses, Meats, Potash, Tinware, Matches, Etc. in the country, and can give you some startling prices. We will buy your

## Cotton, Eggs, Corn,

PEAS, FLOUR, ETC.

We are also agents for the

## "Spach" Wagon.

Will sell a factory prices.

**G. W. Patterson.**

Wholesale and Retail Grocer.  
Concord, N. C.

Needs No Explanation.

Madison, N. C., Aug. 4, 1897.  
Goose Grease Liniment Co., Greensboro, N. C.

Dear Sirs—Please ship us at once one gross Goose Grease Liniment. We are entirely out. Don't fail to ship at once. Please give us jobbers price. It is the best thing we have ever seen.  
W O JONES & CO.

Send me a 25 cent bottle of your Headache in 20 minutes. One cent a dose.