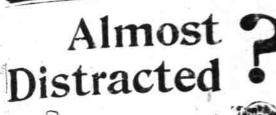
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a peculiar, creepy finally to concentrate in a ble in the brain, and you beable, fretful and peevish; to be by an impotent, weakened condition of the nerve centers, ringing in the ears, and sleepless, miserable nights? Mrs. Eugene Searles,

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HISTORY TO REPEAT ITSELF. doubly sure, no candidate was ev-

To the Editor of the Observer: Since it is difficult to arrive at in the persons of Jefferson and Here are some of them. any very satisfactory conjecture Madison. Clay was defeated Lewis Sperry of Connecticut: as to who shall be elected Presi- thrice. Once by Jackson, our hetions being made-from past records Polk. Need we refer to the fact spot or blemish." are more or less uncertain and de- that Greeley was not in it by a | Robert E. DeForest of Connectfective as indicating future results. | large majority? This will be read- fout : Let us be more "nergetic" of re- ily Grant-ed. No Vice President | Bryan personally is a much betsources, from whence to derive in- ever wrote his name with a final ter man every way than McKinley. formation and consult the no more "T." This looks bad for Mr. Ho- He has more firmness, more houfortuitous records of favorite and bart, though his odds are even esty, more ability. His free silver fortunate letters.

Of the 23 men who have filled President ever concluded his name frank and sincere in avowing them, the presidential office since 1789 with "L." Cleveland's victory while McKinley, who is at heart the names of ten of them have over the mystic "N" in the last no better on that subject, has not "N" as the final letter, to-wit: campaign rather argues against the courage or honesty to express Washington, Jefferson, Madison, Jackson, Van Buren, Harrison, Buchanan, Lincoln, Johnson and reer in the restiess time-serving Benjamin Harrison-these held the office for 53 years, as against "D." Is one of these names an was almost gone and every little thing the other 13, to-wit: John Adams, warried me until I was almost distracted. Mource, J. Q. Adams, Tyler, Polk, exception to all rules or theories? imagined all sorts of evil things and would Taylor, Fillmore, Pierce, Grant, out at his name to damn his ca-Haves, Garfield, Arthur, Cleveland, who on March 4th, 1897, will reer will in the future of years be have held the office for fifty-five the boomerang of curses, return- loftiest patriotism and the highest years. No candidate, the final ing to damn his assailants, even ideals." letters of whose name was "N," though their names conclude with ever failed to reach the presiden- "N." A mightier word concludtial chair, either previous to or ing "N" suggests itself in their re- brain and character for an ideal following a defeat, except DeWitt spective cases, and "all's well that president." Clinton and Geo. B. McClellan, people of Lincolnton and surrounding and these were defeated by Madison and Lincoln-two "N's" con- ate forecast as to who will be our physically, morally and mentally. testing in each case. Jefferson was defeated by John Adams, who in turn was defeated by Jefferson, the latter following his discom- and the Chicago ticket will n'joy fiture by holding two terms. W. the comfort and assurance that it All work guaranteed, nothing but H. Harrison was defeated by Van brings. Buren-another case of two "N's" contesting, the former defeating Van Buren for next term, and dying soon after inauguration in 1841. It's death to beat "N. disdaining to sport with that event which was one of our greatest national disasters, it follows curiously enough that Lincoln was assassinated very soon after entering upon the term for which he had defeated McClellan. Tilden, as is row almost unanimously conceded, was elected, though he did not enjoy the office, and since which time we have usually written "nation" with a little "n,"

ously borne the approbrium of a Of the 23 Vice Presidents, 10 have names ending with the lucky "N." to-wit: Jefferson, Geo. Clinton, Calhoun, Van Buren, R. M. Johnson, Hamlin, Andrew Johnson, Wilson, Morton and Stevenson. These also serving as Vice Presidents their respective chiefs whose names were adorned by the final "N." save Jeffersou, who Holly, July, September, November, was Washington's first Secretary of State, and Wilson and Steven-Patronage solicited. Terms cash | son, with whom good fortune has Grant and Cleveland, however great, did not bear the enchanted

and truthfully Hayes has contin-

The foregoing historic facts bosom of her God."-Washington might well decide the high destiny | Post. of our Chicago nominee, though an adverse omen in "letterology" Solicits the accounts of Mer- (patent applied for) appears in When the most benefit is to be derived chants, Corporations and Individ- the somewhat ill-fated letter "B," uals, and will make collections at but one candidate, Buchanan, with Settlements that letter at the beginning of his name, having succeeded. Unless A bank account never fails to we compromise, now that comproof sickness is inevitable. To rid the inspire habits of economy and sav- mises are made to order, and count Van Buren as a lucky "B," making two, by means of a straddle that was successful that is not needed to work out and foretell 27 the destiny of Mr. Bryan since the name of his State begins with "N" matriculates since its opening in 1892. - Nebraska-and the name of his Competitive examination at county city concludes with "N"-Linteat August 1st. to fill free-tuition va- coln, Neb. This city too, named should be made before July 20th to enter the examination. No free tuition Jas. G. Birney, John Bell and

The Kind of Man He is.

The New York World has coler elected whose name concluded

"Mr. Bryan was well bnown to tions. dent to enter upon the duties of roic letter again asserting itself, his associates in the House as a that high office with the begin- and yet again in the defeat of man of earnest and senous tem- and unlimited coinage of silver at ning of its 109th year-whether Birney by Harrison, and both perament; of good habits and great the present ratio of 16 to L. Bryan of McKinley-all calcula- Clay and Birney finally retired by industry. His character is without

with Mr. Sewall, since no Vice notions are against him, but he is ey of the country should be kept our forecast, but his name sounds his convictions and is trying to as if it ended in the fateful letter, play a double game."

although really closer like his ca- Geo. D. Wise of Virginia: "Bryan is able, earnest and con-

brain of many, with a big, big scientious." Joe Abbott of Texas:

"Brvan would make a safe pres-

And the curses and hisses that go ident.' H. St. George Tucker of Va:

"I believe him to be a man of

Walter I. Haves of lowa: "Bryan has all the qualities of |

F. C. Layton of Ohio:

This is possibly the most accurnext President, and I lay claim to He is young, able and broadall first premiums offered therefor minded, and will make a good safe and hope the friends of Mr. Bryan typical American president."

George P. Ikert of Ohio: "He is a student of affairs, pos-

J. G. HALL,

Mrs. Jackson's Epitaph.

ure by the most liberal and un-

pretending methods. To the poor

The Proper Time.

blood and to invigorate the whole sys-

Jas. H. Young, the negro Repub-

silver. He also says that he does

Electorial ticket in North Carolina

They tell the story.

and Van Buren when they "took Bryan ticket and that every body

in her memory:

Hickory, N. C.

sessed of a quick perception, is a profound thinker and a clear reasoner. He reaches conclusions quickly, but is not impulsive at 'I contend that no more beau- the expense of reason and only tiful epitaph was ever penned than when conscious of being right. that written by President Andrew Bryan is one of the highest types Jackson for the tomb of his wife, of American manhood, mentally, only. said Capt. Sam Donelson, of Tenmorally, and physically. He is as nessee, at Chamberlin's, and he fearless and fertile as was Tom took from his pocket-book a scrap Corwin, as patriotic as Jackson, in-chief, Col. J. F. Armfield has orof paper that he had carried many years. Capt. Donelson is a grandnephew of the wife of Old Hickideal president."

ory, but everybody will subscribe to lhe beauty of the words written olina

"Here lie the remains of Mrs. Rachel Jackson, wife of President Jackson, who died December 28, 1828, aged 61 years. Her face was fair, her person pleasing, her great people he will soon be free Regiment. temper aimable, and her heart to use every means at his command kind; she delighted in relieving to place the entire country upon the wants of her fellow-creatures, the high road to prosperity." and cultivated that divine pleas-

F. F. McNagey of Indiana: conservative and honest presi- they are not going to vote the she was a benefactor, to the rich dent."

an example, and to the wretched a comtorter. Her piety went hand

in hand with her benevolence and "He is better than the platform. she thanked her Creator for being permitted to do good; a being so gentle, yet so virtuous, slander might wound, but could not dishonor. Even death, when he tore I lear no man as chief magistrate their minds and resolve to go the her from the arms of her husband, could not but transport her to the who at the close of each day's la- whole figure. bor on his bended knees invokes the guidance of almighty God and seeks in public and private action to conform to His revealed will."

Not all of these men agree with from a good medicine, is early in the year. This is the season when the tired Mr. Bryan politically, and their body, weakened organs and nervous system yearn for a building up medi- testimony is, therefore especially cine like Hood's Sarsaparilla. Many valuable. The Democracy at Chiwait on the open spring weather and, cago at least nominated a clean, able in fact, delay giving attention to their man."-Asheville Citizen. physical condition so long that a siege

system of the impurities accumulated The Competitive examination for lurng the winter season, to purify the tem, there is nothing equal to Hood's for the 7th Congressional district used in reasonable time and the plain Sarsaparilla. Don't put it off, but take will be held in Statesville, N. C. Hood's Sarsaparilla now. It will do you good. Read the testimonials pub- August 15, 1896. The terms upon all from reliable, grateful people. which the Scholarships are awarded are as follows:

The recipient shall be attentive

M. C. 7th Cong District N. C. Enterprise.

The Populist Platform.

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Second-We demand the free

Third-We demand that the amount of the circulating medium be speedily increased in sufficient quantity to transact the business of the country on a cash basis.

Fourth-We demand a graduated income tax.

Fifth-We believe that the monas much as possible in the hands of the people, hence we demand that all State and national revenues shall be limited to the necessary expenses of the government. economically and honestly admin-

Sixth--We demand that posts! savings banks be established by the government for the safe deposit of the earnings of the people and to facilitate exchange.

Seventh-Transportation being a means of exchange and a public operate the railroads in the interest of the people.

telephone, like the postoffice system, ville Saturday, the chief interest quickly consumed. The fire originbeing a necessity for the transmis- was in the mud-slinging between ated in the stove room. The loss sion of news, should be operated by Watts and Richbourg, candidates is about \$1.281 to \$1.280. Inour-"He is a good, strong man, the government in the interest of for adjutant and inspector gener- ance some Aurora.

the people.

By authority of the commanderand as president will be idolized by dered the Fourth Regiment to mobthe masses, for he will make an lilize at Statesville, N. C. on September 9th, 1896, for a ten days' W. A. B. Branch of North Car- practice march and encampment. The first camp at Statesville will "He will, as President, know no be designated "Camp Jones," in section, no class, but be the presi- honor of that splendid soldier, sale by druggists. See advertisements dent of the entire country. Be- Captain T. W. Jones, of the Tenth elsewhere. ing unmortgaged to the trusts and Cavalry, U. S. A., who so patientother interests which oppress a ly and ably instructed the Fourth

The Charlotte Observer says North Carolina sound money Democrats ought not to be too "Bryan will make a careful, swift in their declarations that national Democratic ticket. Joseph C. Sibley of Pennsylva- Though they may think now that

they are not, it is a fact that when Russell gets to going to and fro in for gold? He possesses the ability, the cour- the State and up and down in it, age and the high moral character making his inflammatory harangthat, guided by wise counsels, will ues and infuriating Democrats as direct the ship of state in safe only a Republican of his type can. channels to a prosperous harbor, a great many of them will change

ren was sick with a severe bowel trouble. Our doctor's remedies had failed, then we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which gave very speedy relief. We re- the second an emphatic no. To Mrs. E. G. Gregory, Frederickstown Mo. This certainly is the best medicine ever put on the market for dysentery, summer complaint, colic and mington Messenger. cholera infantum in children. It nev-Bingham School free Scholarship er fails to give prompt relief when

printed directions are followed. Many

mothers have expressed their sincere

gratitude for the cures it has effected.

For sale by W. L. Crouse, Druggist. Messrs. J. P. Yount, J. B. Little lican politician, says he is for free to duty, shall give us no trouble, and J. R. Gaither spent some time shall be physically sound and chos- in Charlotte last week to look at a feeling of joy. He said in the not think there will be a McKinley en by Competitive examination in and inquire into the cost of erect- last legislature that none of us had English Grammar, Spelling, Arith- ing an electric light plant here.

Must Have a Cabinet Job.

William Jennings Bryan smiled Bagby, of this city, prophesied at Asheville. al Democratic convention, and cident caused by using oil to kinelected

Miss Bagby was the class prophet of the class of 94, of the State Normal School, at Greensboro.

Mr. Bryan had been invited by Dr. McIver to deliver an address before the graduating class and he made an able one before the class of \$4, on finance. After which, in her prophecies, Miss Bagby said | rora. that Mr. Bryan would be nominated by the next national Democratic convention for the presidency and would be elected.

The first part of the prophecy has materialized beautifully and there is every chance that the latter part will be as the first. Miss Bagby was the first to suggest Mr. Bryan for President in this State. and he was the first man settled upon by the North Carolina delegation.-Newbern Journal.

South Carolina's Shame.

grand old State of South Carolina o'clock, on Thursday morning, by necessity, the government should is in a fair way to become com- the alarm of fire. It was with plete. * *

al. Richbourg charged that Watts Ninth-The land, including all had been too drunk to inspect a the natural sources of wealth, is company at Chester. Watts said the beritage of all the people and Richbourg had appealed to negroes should not be monopolized for when on the Haskell ticket, in speculative purposes and slien 1890, and intimated that he had ownership of lands should be pro- defrauded his creditors. Richhibited. All land now held by bourg having charged Watts with railroads and other corporations losing money at gambling and in excess of their natural needs, getting the police to recover the and all land now owned by aliens same. Watts made a diagram on should be reclaimed by the govern- the table of the gambling device ment and held for actual settlers that had caught him, but denied having called in the police.-Atlanta Jaurnal.

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surprise that the New York World the county. As the law says that received and gave in answer to its the votes on being counted are to circular letter of inquiry to the be deposited in a duplicate box, democratic county chairmen in Mr. Morrow will have 1 - build 70 New York state. It made three more boxes and stack another room inquiries in the letter as follows:

1. Will the democracy m your News. county support the Chicago platform and nominees? 2. Do you favor a third ticket

3.. What percentage of loss will the democracy sustain in supporting the Chicago platform and can-

We have not the World by us. but these, we think, correctly represent the points of inquiry.

The answers have been publish-Last summer one of our grand child, ed in the World, and all or nearly all are full of encouragement for the democracy. They give to the first inquiry an emphatic yes. gard it as the best medicine ever put the third that they will gain more on the market for bowel complaints .- silver republicans than they will lose gold democrats. Tammany will stand by the ticket .- Wil-

> Chatham county Alliance at its meeting last week recommended, "in view of the crisis upon us," that the sub-Alliances in that county meet August 2d for "fasting and prayer."

[Evidently Lindsay, of Rockingham, will read this news item with anything to be thankful for .- ED]

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The Courts are after R. O. Pattersen, clerk of Buncombe Superior court, because he tried to buy votes in the late municipal election

Again news reaches us of an acdle a fire. This time it is a colored boy in No. 3 Township (have been mable to get the name.) One boy started the size said set the can on the grove and when his knowled went to put the bread in the even the can explicited and burns him so badly that little hopes are entertained of his receiving -Shelley Are-

It is noteworthy that that purtion of the Demperatic sound moncy press of this State which announced at amination of apporting the Chicago nominees are scrupulously avoiding any discussion of the sound meney side of the question. Not an extract, not a line, appears in their majors on the subject. This is certainly commendable idebity to party -Concord Times.

Mr. H. M. Augle, who lives just this side of Eills' Ferry on Second The humiliation of the once River was avalenced about one difficulty that be and his family The press dispatches tell us that escaped from the flames. His Eighth-The telegraph and the at the campaign meeting at York- house and all that was in it was

A newspaper which the administration has never been able to suit exactly, says that "It is Mr. Cleveland's pisia duty to call sa international conference now " Yes, and while he is at it he would do well to say that he is not a candidate for a third term, that be is a believer in the revealed : -ligion and is opposed to free cornage at 16 to 1. Mr. Cleveland is not nearly living up to his opportunities. He could do and say a great many things to suit some people if he just would .- Charlotte

A great deal of curiosity was attracted to one of the rousas in the court house to-day, where the ballot boxes to be used in the coming election are tacked up. Clerk Morrow had them built according to the legislative requirements and they look like wheat hine, There The town talk is the remarkable are 70 boxes, 2 for each precinct in in the court house -Charlotte

> If to not safe to gamilie too high on N Y going for McKinley. The silver aentiment in Loat State and city is very strong. It will be recalled that Senator Hill and some weeks ago, that outside the cities, it is dominant. Two weeks before the Chicago convention, Congressman-Amos J. Campaings, one of the most astute of the New York politicians, said that no matter who was nominated there, nor on what sort of a platform, the Democrats would carry New York. And bear in mind that Hill and Tammany haven't gone anywhere. New York is to-day a fairly doubtful State.-Charlotte Observer.

Mrs. Anna Gage, wife of Ex-Deputy U. S. Marshal, Columbus, Kan., says:



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