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It is not surprising that Republican speakers in this campaign so persistently ayoid joint discussion with the other parties. It is easy to paint a doleful picture at the expense of Democracy if there is no chance to refute errore
The speeches of Mr. Mathews and Mr. Purnell on Friday night very much needed intelligent and well directed reply. We like to believe that every man able to make a public appeok has the breadth of mind to tiee that truth is the only basis of a laating aystom of free gore ernment and that true patriotiem is better than party triumph.
The aseertions that manufactories were propperous under McKinleyiem and were deprossed and ruined under Domocratic rale has the eomblance bf truth when handled by a Ropab. lican with no intelligent Democrat to reply.
Now we aay with historical proof at our back that business was making a decided decline before the end of Harrieon's adminiatration.
We know of no one little episode that was so damaging to Harrison's can vase as the Carnegie war when
a strike was provoked and a band of $f$ fecturing men of ihe St tite are $f$ Pinkerton detectives were hired to go there with Winchester rifles .
It was a subject of remark on the way home from the convention that nominated Mr. Cleveland the last time that so many furnaces and factory chimneys were smokeless. Even Mr. Pritchard's little North Oarolina town of Cranberry, that he represented as blooming as a rose ander Repablicanism and withering the mown grass under Demo cratic rule, Mr. O B Watson says (and who says he is not truthful and konorable) did its withering and its dying under the operations of the McKinley tariff.
Mr. Faulkner, a manufacturer of farming implements in Pennsylvania, said during the campaign of '92, "I tell you, this McKinloy tariff is ruining the business of the coun. try. It seems to be to our advanage, but I tell you we are killing the goose that is lasiug the golden egg. If we continue to draw so heavily from the farmer he will soon be unable to bay our goods."
If the statements of these one sided Republican speeches were true The Standard woald be a Repubican paper, but knowing that the re false and knowingly falsified we cling the more closely to the party thà̂ has stool for the opposite of hat which has led to so many existing evils. Mr. Mathew's testimony against Mr. Sewall sounded very damaging to Mr. Sewall's cause, kut 1 n view of his false coloring about Dethocratic triumph as the cause of our depression, Mr. Mathew's statements may be $r$ ceived with decided allowance. Let it be remembered too that Maine was not expected to go other. wre9t than Republican. Mr. Sewall's standing so isolated as a free silver adrocate is hike a good white man in the South in the Republican ranks. We suppose the many raitroad employees that once served under Mr. Sewall are opposed to the free coinage of silver and therefore will not vote for Mr. Sewall. We suppose it is a fact that Mr. Sewall's son failed to get an appointment under A.r. Cleveland and turned Republican. Some do such things but the old man did not do so. Mr. Mathews was surprisingly careful not to assert that Mr. Sewall was unfit for the high office, but what he said was intended to produce that conclusion in the minds of the inconsiderate.

## How IT works.

Along with the news that manus facturers are speaking of shatting down if Bryan be elected comes the frer quoted today in the Standard Mr. Onnningham, of Newark, 0 ., ho offers to raise the wages of his employee
Such is the conflict in the minde of men, all probably entirely hono ast. Mr. Onnningham is so confident that he backs up his belief with substantial offer. We do not understand many of our manufacturesa ho apeak of cloang down as making threat to intimidate, but they honestly believe that the trinmph of Mr. Bryan's views would make manufacturing unprofitable and therev ore shatting down would be necesary. Mr. J S Carr is largely inter. asted in manufacturing and he has no fears of depression if free coino age prepail. We are informed that e saya very many of the manu.
yorable to Mr. Brran's election. Should Mr. Brjan's electio b-ing a depression and a closing of the factories is would of course 1 only for a tume when new demand would make manufacturing profi ble seain. We have not trie Bryanism, we have tried McKin leyism and foupd factories ol-sin and farming depressed till the peo ple rose in ' 90 and ' 92 , and de manded a chan but conld no wait for a cronic disease to b cured by necessarily slow steps.

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Mr. Mathewssays the placing of lumber on the free list drove th lumbermen uat of Maine into Canada to cut lumber and bring it in to the United States to sell under fre rade. Do Canadians go withou clothes as Mr. Pritchard would hav as believe the people do who com pete with us? What is the matte lumber as cheap to make can't cut therr brothers and families at home to enjoy as Oanadians can. If it is to be America for Americans, America should furnish lumber so as to give shelter and comfort to the reatest number of Americans. Why hould cheaper than America?

## Our I's and.... <br> ....Other Eyes.

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vation writes:
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man who has sold thousands of dozens of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, is strong testimony. But it only echoes popular sentiment the world over, which has, for Ayer's Sarsaparilla."
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