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THE SEIGNIORAGE BILL.

The Bland seigniorage bill passed the House by a sufficiently large majority to show that the Democrats who were swift to engage in the work of repudiating the party's financial policy when unconditional repeal was up for discussion are at last beginning to open their eyes to the disastrous results which they are partly responsible for, says the Atlanta Constitution. Some of them, it is true, dodged behind the lack of a quorum as long as they could, but when Speaker Crisp took matters in his own hands and cast his vote so as to make a quorum, the true Democrats of the House got together and left the eastern conditionalists to shift for themselves.

The Tom Reed Democrats remain true to their professions. Some of them dodged the issue, but the rest voted with Tom Reed. The Democratic majority was thirty-nine, and the probability is that we shall not hereafter have a repetition of the disgraceful scenes which have marked every effort of the real Democratic leaders to carry through legislation in the interests of the people.

There is no reason for any delay in the Senate. The subject matter of the seigniorage bill does not call for any extended debate on the part of Senators. The sole effect of the bill will be to carry out the intentions of that part of the Sherman law which remains unrepudiated. It is not a measure in the interests of the re-monetization of silver, but will simply operate to carry out the terms of a law that ought to have been carried out long ago.

Opposition to the bill comes, of course, from the bondholders and money lenders, and it is based on the fact that the coinage of the seigniorage will leave the treasury no excuse for the issue of more gold bonds, and will in some sort tend to relieve the depression that exists in business.

It is declared in official circles that Mr. Cleveland will veto the measure when it reaches him, but this declaration ought not to prevent the Democrats of the Senate from promptly passing the bill. If the bill fails in the Senate the responsibility for its failure will be on the Democrats of that body, but if Mr. Cleveland vetoes it the responsibility will rest on him. He is perfectly willing, it is said, to accept such responsibility when the occasion arises, and the Democrats of the Senate should be the very last to stand between the President and his opportunity.

For our part we do not believe that Mr. Cleveland will veto the measure. There is nothing whatever in any of its provisions to invite a veto—nothing whatever to attract the opposition of any Democrat who is in favor of the policy laid down in the Democratic platform.

PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY.

The member of a community who habitually ignores his home merchant, mechanic or tradesman and makes his purchases and spends his money in other towns does not deserve the name of a good citizen and should not be commended by those who have the best interests of their own locality at heart. That it pays to trade near home is a well established fact, and no town or city ever prospered whose citizens, enticed by the alluring baits held out by the merchant in the big cities, spend their money with them.

The local merchant and mechanic are interested in the progress and development of the town and country in which they live, and every dollar that they amass is reinvested and remains in the neighborhood. As they prosper their taxes increase and just so much those of others are lightened. They assist in keeping up your schools, churches and other public institutions and charities. But the person who spends his money in some distant city puts it beyond assisting in any local enterprise. The man in the city upon whom you bestow your custom has no further interest in you or your surroundings than the cash he receives from you.

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A Very Important Campaign.

Charlotte Observer.

Let us make this a North Carolina campaign. It is to be such, in fact. It is true that members of Congress are to be elected, but what is of infinitely more consequence, a Legislature is to be elected; a number of judges of both the Supreme and Superior Courts are to be elected; county officers are to be elected, and in the Legislature the magistrates and school commissioners of the State are involved. It is to be an election which will reach right down to the home government of the people—government in their counties. The public officers at the court house, the only officers with whom the masses of the people have much dealings, are to be chosen, and over and above all the matter of the administration of justice from the bench is involved.

These are the people and the things that affect the great public most nearly in government; and it is upon these that we need to rivet their attention. The Democratic party needs to nominate its very best men for the bench, for the Legislature and for the county offices. That done, it can go confidently to the people upon the character and capacity of its nominees and upon its record in the administration of the government of North Carolina for twenty years. It has been faithful to their interests; they will not be untrue to it.

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