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A Short Memory

It is curious what short memories some people have. This deficiency is especially noticeable in writers and speakers who favor the gold standard. A writer in the Atlanta Journal reports ex-Senator David B. Hill as saying a few days before the meeting of the Kansas City convention:

"The sensible people of our country will never indorse attacks on the courts, countenance cheap money or accept populistic or radical doctrines."

Will "never contenance cheap money"! Now, isn't that an edifying thing for a man of Mr. Hill's age to say, who is old enough to remember that the South was defeated and the North made triumphant by the biggest "fake" in cheap money known to our history, to wit: the (intrinsically) abso lutely worthless greenbacks. And we imagine that the people of the North consider themselves a part of "the sen sible people of our country." The greenbacks which won the war against the South and fastened the Repub lican party upon us, were the origin of the Populistic idea of money made to order and "per capita."

The World Hates Traitors.

Asheyille Citizen.

A recent dispatch from Manila says: "General Macabolos, a former revo lutionary chief, is prepared to start in pursuit of Aguinaldo with 100 picked natives, supported by American troops. Other Fillipinos will be used by the Americans in campaigning in the country. Their offers have not been formally made, but they are ready if the authorities will accept their services."

Every American child has been taught to hate Benedict Arnold. No other name in all history, with the exception of Judas Iscariot, arouses more scorn in the minds of the people than that of the man who, a little more than 100 years ago, agreed to sell his country for ten thousand pounds ster ling and a brigadier generalship in the British army. When the war was over, and the people that Arnold betrayed were free, even those who had bough: the traitor despised him. An English man in the house of commons, in the midst of a speech, stopped and exclaimed: "Mr. Speaker, I cannot go on while this man is in the house,' pointing to Arnold, who had a seat in the gallery. King George III tried to introduce the outcast to a sturdy Scottish earl, but the proud noble turned away, refusing his hand, say ing, "I know General Arnold, and l hate traitors."

Will the great American government buy traitors in the Philippines and make it impossible for rising generations to be taught to loathe them as in the past?

We shall see.

The Anglo-American Victory.

Greensboro Record

Next to Mark Hanna and his Presi dent the happiest man over the election results appears to be Lord Salisbury, who at the lord mayor's banquet, took occasion to rejoice mightily over the re-election of McKinley, which he hailed as the triumph of "the cause of civilization and commercial honor." As long as Great Britain's premier is satisfied who in this country will dare to complain?

No Scuttlers to Command the Ship.

Atlanta Constitution The masses of the democracy may be relied upon to follow the lead of none of those who were found in a republican procession on election day. Time has never vindicated treason to any cause. If Mr. Cleveland had stood by the democratic party, which made him what he is, and retired to private station, he might later have reaponce denounced.

THE ONLY CORRECT VIEW OF THE PRI-MARY QUESTION

The Party in Honor Bound to Keep its Promises.

Raleigh Post.

NOVEMBER 26.

Hon. R. M. Furman,

DEAR SIR: - I received your inquiry concerning the recent primary and my views as to primaries in the future. hesitated some time, doubting whether I should express an opinion about a matter upon which I may soon vote, but after considering the question carefully, I am satisfied it is no longer an open question. The State Democratic platform says in plain language: "We favor the enactment of laws by the next General Assembly providing for the holding of primary elections for the nomination of State and county officers, Representatives and United States Senators."

I accepted nomination for office knowing this to be in the platform. In the canvass I defended my party and spoke in favor of its platform and declarations. I cannot run for office on a platform and then vote against it after

I am elected. For me there is no option. I feel that I am in honor bound to vote to carry out the promise of my party. If the legalized primary (which by the way we have not yet tried) turns out to be unsatisfactory, the next State convention can and will recommend its repeal. Our laws are not like those of the Medes and Persians.

At any rate I am old fashioned enough to believe a party platform means something more than a mere vote trap. It is the solemn promise of a party to the voters of the State. Its promises must be kept. Its remedies must be given a trial.

Sincerely yours,

E. C. BEDDINGFIELD.

The Socialistic Democracy.

Salisbury Truth-Index.

We based several appeals, before the election, to all conservative men to sus tain the conservative Democratic party which Mr. Bryan led as a means of checking the growth of socialistic Democracy. Mr. McKinley's re election will give it a wonderful impetus. We do not know the number of votes cast for Debs; but it will be found that the number was considerable. The election of Mr. Bryan would have been a wet blanket upon socialistic Democracy. Of course the grand old Democratic party is still alive and will still, by its conservatism and advocacy of the rights and interests of the people, stand as a break water against ex tremes of all kinds. But, if the party shall become only another name for Republicanism, many of those, who have supported it, will go to the Soeialistic Democracy, and many then will go to the Republican party as that which gives the better promise of ad

vantage. If the Democracy stands firm upon its principles, maintaining its organization, without surrendering the leadership to those who have either refused to aid it or have voted against its nominees, yet, holding out the hand of welcome to any that will come, and treating those who may accept the invitation as equals, all agreeing that the majority shall rule and that all will submit to its decisions, then the conservative Democracy may yet save the Republic.

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Bryan Had A Majority of Whites.

Augusta (Ga) Chronicle.

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The Reaction Respecting Primaries.

Wilson News.

The late Senatorial primary was not a legalized primary. It was by party consent. Let the legislature provide for legalized primaries and only the man with a clean record will bob up for office. If he has a private skeleton in his closet he will not be anxious to parade it.

The Reorganizers' View of the South

Raleigh News and Observer

The Chicago Chronicle is the recognized leader in the fight to reorganize the Democratic party by putting the Clevelands and the Carlisles in the saddle. It started out by denouncing the Southern Democrats for enacting con stitutional amendments that eliminate most of the negro vote. That was offensive enough, but the Chronicle is determined to rub it in. Its last utter ance is this:

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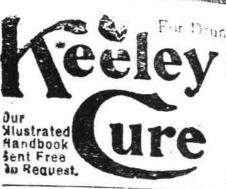
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