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GOD GIVE US MEN.

"Men whom the lust of office cannot kill.
Men whom the spoils of office will not buy.
Men who have opinions and a will,
Men who have honor, men who will not lie."

RALEIGH'S CHANCE.

Senator Pritchard has agreed to recommend that a winter army camp be located at Raleigh. This is joyous news to every business interest in this city for it means that thousands of dollars will be spent here.

There is no doubt that Senator Pritchard can secure the camp here, but Raleigh must do her part. A location must be provided and other arrangements made. Other cities are struggling to secure one of these camps which will be located throughout the South. Now is the time for Raleigh to display her enterprise and push.

PREDICTION REALIZED.

Only about two months have passed since the war with Spain closed—a war which must ever stand as an unselfish and humane sacrifice made by the American people in behalf of an oppressed and struggling people. It was freely predicted at the time that little political capital would be made by any individual from this contest. However, it is astonishing to find any citizen of the United States ridiculing that contest, claiming that it was a fight to "destroy" and not to "save," and even making fun of the men who fought for the stars and stripes. Yet, such an individual has appeared. Geo. T. Angell writes in a Boston paper:

"There can be no doubt that Theodore Roosevelt with his ranch history—his warning to Yale students to beware of philanthropists—his praise of college football fights—and his regiment of cow-punchers and shooters with fighting qualities and reputations very similar to his own, has become a prominent figure in his political party. But to our mind, when compared with Washington, Lincoln, Grant and Sherman, who said (what will go down through all history), 'War is Hell,' he seems only an honest bull-dog—with very confused ideas of civilization, humanity and true patriotism, and very different from those noble Saint Bernards whose object it is to save life, not to destroy it."

Now regarding the candidacy of Col. Roosevelt for the New York gubernatorial chair we have nothing to say pro or con but we do think that the passage quoted above shows a woeful lack of appreciation, gratitude and patriotism on the part of the author.

MONEY IN ELECTIONS.

Difficulty will certainly be found in disputing the fact that the use of money in elections has increased to an alarming extent. In some sections the illegitimate use of money, it is claimed, has grown to such an extent that a candidate buys his election, and, unless a man has money or influential backing, his candidacy is usually a failure.

A new solution of this serious problem has been proposed in Maryland. The chairman of the Republican executive committee of Wicomico county, Md., wrote to the Democratic chairman in the county suggesting a plan to prevent buying votes and the Democratic chairman thought so well of the plan that he, in turn, suggested that it apply to the entire district and to this end a joint meeting of the committees of the two parties will be held October 14th. Briefly the plan suggested is that in view of the extent to which the cor-

ruption of voters has grown by purchasing votes on election day, the two committees "unite in an earnest effort to suppress the smallest use of money in the coming election for other purposes than strictly legitimate campaign uses," which uses are enumerated, and the plan further explained in the subsequent paragraph from the Republican chairman's letter quoted below in which this committee agreed:

"To commit our candidate, Col. Wilbur F. Jackson, to no larger an expenditure than the sum of one hundred dollars in this county, to be used for hiring halls, supplying music and buying such stationary and advertising, as are incident to a political campaign, and agree to submit to the Democratic State central committee an itemized statement, under oath, of all expenditures of money in connection with the November election, accounting for every dollar contributed from any and all sources.

"To insure the observance of the election law by parties who may have a mistaken idea of good partisanship, we propose that a committee, to be composed of ten Democrats, six or ten Republicans and six or ten Prohibitionists, shall be organized in each voting precinct with the avowed determination of securing evidence against any one, directly or indirectly, violating said election law. These committees to be named by the respective State central committees by the 15th day of October next, with instructions to begin their work at once.

INDIAN WAR THREATENED.

There is apprehension of a serious uprising of the Chippewa Indians in the State of Minnesota, whose fighting force number a thousand or more warriors. The ones who have already made trouble are known as "Pillager Indians," under the leadership of Bog-Ah-Me-Ge-Shirk. They now have on their war paint and are assembling in force at Bear Island, at which place General Bacon with a detachment of Santiago Veterans had a fight with them yesterday.

There is much alarm among the white settlers adjacent to the scene of trouble, who fear raiding by the Indians. Reinforcements have been sent to General Bacon and prompt punishment will be meted out to these lawless wards of the nation.

Admiral Cervera is to be appointed a life Senator of Spain.

General Merritt favors the United States holding the entire Philippine archipelago.

General Sternberg is organizing a veterinary branch of his department to look after Coppinger's mules.

It looks like Chicago's motion for a new Daughter of the Confederacy has been summarily laid on the table.

The American Peace commissioners might break the news to their Spanish companions that the battleship Illinois had just been launched.

The Emperor of China may have tired of wearing a pigtail and a dress, but the Dowager Empress does not give up wearing the breeches.

Secretary Alger's pet surgeon, Dr. B. A. Huldekooper, horse, dog and cat doctor should be assigned to duty with Coppinger's sore back mules at Santiago.

A formal application for a revision of the Dreyfus case was entered today on the docket of the Court of Cassation. The procedure for reopening the case has, therefore, definitely begun.

Surgeon General Steurberg says he is too busy to furnish any information to the McKinley investigating commission. Perhaps General Steurberg is drilling horse doctors for garrison duty in Cuba.

In East Raleigh a new born infant has been named Cruiser. The head of the family says there is a row on hand now as to whether the cruiser shall be christened with champagne or water.

BRAVE MEN FALL.

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Admiral Dewey has sent the cruiser Boston, the gunboat Petrel and the collier Nero from Manila to China.

Senator Matthew C. Quay, of Pennsylvania, has had a preliminary hearing, and been bound over to court, for the misappropriation of State moneys.

Now Uncle Sam will have to turn his attention to Bog-Ah-Me-Ge-Shirk, the head of the lawless band of Indians in Minnesota.

This is how Col. Wm. J. Bryan's regiment stands on mustering out: 87 percent of the men voted to be mustered out of service; 70 percent of the officers voted to be retained in service. Col. Bryan declines to express his personal preference, though he is always with his men.

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