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OCTOBER 24, 1900.

The incoming General Assembly could make itself very popular with all true Democrats in South Carolina by requesting John L. McLaurin to resign from the United States Senate.

The New York Herald's latest forecast of the Presidential election gives McKinley 282 votes in the electoral college and Bryan only 165, which is 11 less than he received in 1896.

Speaking of the "decencies of journalism" we would like to ask The State what it thinks of a great, self-respecting daily that would copy into its columns a scurrilous personal attack on the editor of a semi-weekly paper.

We suppose the article referred to is one from the Fort Mill Times accusing the editor of the Rock Hill Herald of being afflicted with a "case of sour grapes."

The Fort Mill Times has not directly, indirectly or otherwise

upheld "scurrilous personal attack" on anyone. We do not consider it worth the while, else we would defend our position, which is entirely tenable.

To Honor General Lee. A Spartanburg correspondent says that the committees are working most industriously, getting ready for the carnival which will be held in that city next week.

At the National Capital. Regular correspondence. WASHINGTON, Oct. 22, 1900.—Republicans from Mr. McKinley down have made this a campaign of misrepresentation from the start.

Echoes of the big Bryan meeting held in Madison Square Garden, New York City, will reach the remotest section of the country, and the enthusiasm there aroused will spread until it takes on the qualities of a Democratic tidal wave.

tion to New Yorkers and it opened the eyes of many who have heretofore refused to believe that Bryan and Stevenson had a chance to carry New York.

The tip has been passed in the McKinley inner circle that Hanna's agents have got the thing all fixed and that a majority of the electoral college is to be secured by the same methods that were successful four years ago.

A Barbarous Indian Custom. The attention of the United States government has just been called to a barbarous custom that is still being practiced among the Kiowa, Comanche and Apache Indians in Oklahoma Territory.

The Indians of these three tribes, while living under the management of an Indian agent, are comparatively civilized and do not go on the warpath, but work for their living as farmers.

Bryan in New York City. The following special report of the great Bryan meeting held in New York City last Tuesday evening appeared in the Washington Post of the 17th instant:

People, people, people, nothing but people. In the streets, people as far as the eye could see, stretching away out into the open park which surrounds Madison Square Garden.

Four years ago Bryan spoke in the same building. He had invaded the enemy's country. He read with accurate care a speech which had been committed to paper, a precaution rendered necessary by the fear of misquotation in a hostile press.

Four years ago Richard Croker was broad.

Today and tonight how different. Croker was the first man to grasp Bryan's hand as the latter stepped down from his private car upon his arrival here today.

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