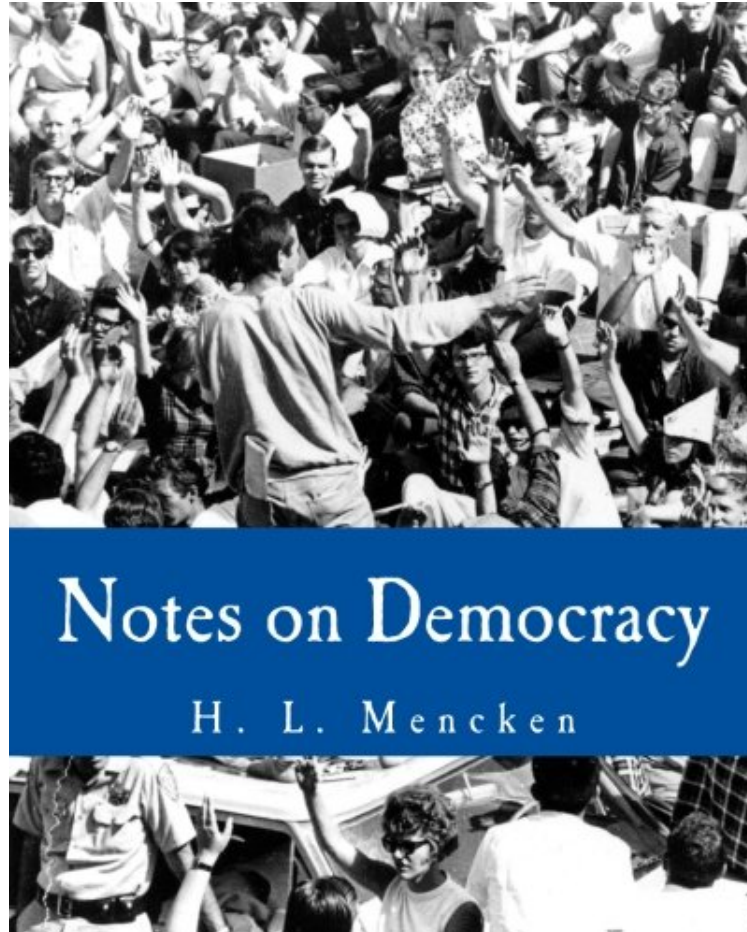


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About the Author H.L. Mencken (1880-1956) was America's greatest journalist and iconoclast. With his bristling, cynical humor, he mercilessly attacked war hysteria, jingoism, and censorship. He championed uniquely American writing, helping to free the nation's literature of its Anglophile fixation. Mencken covered many of the great stories of the 20th century's first half, including the Scopes Monkey trial and Prohibition.