candidates for county. State and elections. favoring the plan for their coun- next campaign. ties endeavored to force it on counties. Could anything be more undemocratic

the elimination of the precincts, to vote. their votes for the candidate the voted.

cinct units are both necessary to of each for voting for him in \$1.00 for service in laying out the life and usefulness and purity preference to any other Republi- road near Brookford. of the Democratic pary. A can, and gave it as his opinion Settlement was made with county, never so small, in a state that it was their influence with county treasurer as follows: convention or Legislature, and the other nineteen Democrats Amount on hand at settlement a precinct, never so small, in a that accomplished his election. December 5, 1910 county convention, should be He said if the five men who Amount received durguaranteed the right of repressive they got money from in quarter strength in the party councils was paid without his knowledge. and conventions. The precincts, It was a case that each Senator the foundation units, have a per- had to decide for himself, on the quarter fect right, and they alone have it, testimony, as a juror would a Commissions on same 132.53 of holding primaries if they please case in court.

Thus far we have considered it. Democrats should make all their bribery. nominations only in this one way | Senator Simmons says he came Mt, Creek

it said the Republicans must do would have been unworthy to be J. I. Goforth expense the same thing. Every Republi- a Senator from North Carolina bringing Ed Sherrill to New-F. M. WILLIAMS, Editor & Proprietor can in both houses opposed it. er any other State, if he had ton Entered at the Postoffice at Newton, North Yet the Democratic members voted against Lorimer convinced D. E. Sigmon salary as who so strenuously tried to pass as he was of his innocence. And road Supt. 3 months the bill, undertook to lay down he voted as did the great Bailey of Town of Newton light the law as to how the Republi- Texas and ten other Democra!s for jail and courthouse cans should nominate their candi- Senator Simmons' vote for M. L. Herman lumber dates. What right has one party Lorimer should not hurt him in D. L. Wike repairing road to make rules for the nomination North Carolina, of candidates in another party? STATE PRIMARY BILL KILLED. Strongly as we disagree with County Commissioners, The house of Representatives Republicans and oppose their bill that had passed the Senate. wrong, we are not in favor of Little, F. A. Yoder. The bill required all parties, the taking away from them their Following persons were re-

United States offices by vote on The Western Democrats in the

The "holier than thou" men Some of the papers that are were mainly from the East. The autogenistic to Senator Simmons men from the West were, with have seized on his vote against three or four exceptions, solidly the resolution to expel Senator against surrendering their rights. Lorimer, the junior Republican and they made a stand in the Senator from Illinois, from the House, after this most vital Benate, as a grave crime. Senaprinciple of home-rule had been for Simmons in explaining his lost in the Senate, worthy of the vote, said he had read all the admiration of all followers of the estimony and had heard all the speeches on the case and could A State-wide primary for nomi- not conscienciously vote for the nation of State officers and Unit- resolution. That is the only way ed States Senators meant the all right-thinking North Carowiping out of the counties, just linians would desire and expect as a county-wide primary means their representatives in Congress

The votes in all the counties for The Senate committee that exthe several candidates would be amined the witnesses and weighadded together and the one for ed all the testimony was composeach office having a majority in et of seven Republicans and five the State as a whole would get Democrats. Six of the Republithe entire vote in the State con- can and four of the Democratic jury being dispensed with by vention for a State office or in the members of the committee signed Legislature for United States a report against the expulsion of Senator. A county might be the Senator. And Senator Simalmost unanimous for one candi- mons, after reading the testidate and seriously opposed to mony and hearing the arguments another, yet its representatives of the supporters and opponents in the State convention or the of Lorimer, voted as ten of the Legislature would have to cast twelve members of the committee

people of the county voted against. The facts in the case are about and did not want. The big coun- these: The Illinois Legislature ties, just as the big precincts in was Republican. Senator Hopa county, would ride rough-shod kins had been nominated for reover the small counties. Or a election in a State-wide primary, section of the State where nearly the and that is guaranteed as all the voters belonged to one bomb-proof against scandal, party could acquire a monopoly of bribery and dead-locks. But the officers over a much larger a number of Republican territory where the voters are members declined to vote for divided with another party, him. A dead lock ran from Take a State-wide primary for January to May. Lorimer was United States Senator for in- then in the lower house of Constance: An Eastern man who gress. After months of ballothad carried only a third of the ing, 55 Republicans and 53 Democounties might have a larger crats turned to Lorimer and aggregate vote than a Western elected him. Five of the Demoman who had carried a majority crats who voted for him were in the other twe-thirds of the later accused of receiving bribes, and W. B. Gaither were applied a number of friends corner and runs 8.75 W. 42 1-2 poles to n atoms corner an representatives in the Legislature They were summoned before the gate and decide on some up-towould have to vote for a man investigating committee. All date system of indexing county who was not the choice of their swore they had had no conferences or promises from Lorimer,

primaries and county-wide pri- election of Lorimer from anybody. ship. maries being a rule of the people. But some time after the election many people who have not under- The case was worked up mainly of \$120. stood exactly what the system by the Chicago Tribune, an enemy meant and how it would work, of Lorimer's, and with the It wipes out both the counties and shrewd detective force which local preferences and local re- maintain, was unable to find any port.

the birth of populism, was home- the bribery. Lorimer, in a E. D. Gamble's place. rule, local representation. Gov- speech in his own behalf, which counties and smaller divisions have read in the Congressional soners at \$2.00 per month. (whatever their name) and not Record during the recent session. The Hickory Military com- space. Jefferson's definition of the party Senator he had not bought any

monarchy and populism. for the votes of 34 of the Demo-resigned The county units and the pre- crats, giving the personal reasons W. S. Stroupe was allowed

sentation to the extent of its Brown told the truth, the money

and carrying up the results to That there was bribery, if the Total amount paid out 5347.97 the county convention and the witnesses awore the truth, seemed county convention through its to admit of little doubt. But 1910 representatives to the higher con- there was not a particle of evidence that Lorimer was a part to proved and ordered paid,

the unwisdom of the proposed Those who voted to unseat grand jury to County home 2,50 State-wide primary bill which the Lorimer had to conscientiously J, J, Love lumber for road House killed by such a big ma- believe that Lorimer, as the use jority, only as it applied to the beneficiary of the bribery, must D. Q. Smyre work on road 8.40 Democratic party. But it was as have had knowledge of it. Those unjust to the Republican party as who voted in his favor must Clines township, it was unwise to the Democratic convinces their conscience, that party. It not only required that Lorimer did not know of the Caldwell's township

Azwin Enterprise and only on one certain day, but to the latter conclusion. He J. W. Miller road work it said the Republicans must do would have been proportion.

County Commissioners met in did the Demoaratic party a good candidates in election years beservice last Saturday in killing cause we believe the fundamental day, present S. L. Shyne, R. E. the State-wide primary election principles of their party are Gabriel, J. F. Abernethy, E. S.

Republican as well as the Demo- rights and giving them a club to lieved of taxes: M. J. Pope of cratic, party, to nominate all use on our heads at succeeding \$1.05 in Clines and \$1.28 in Catawba; R. M. Costephus of poli tax; Dolph Setzer \$1,73; one certain day. In the name of House of Representatives last Zeb Yancey, deceased, of poll Democracy, it sought to establish Saturday saved their party from tax; A. N. Jones, poll tax; Arm a tyranny. The Legislators an embarrassing situation in the field Stewart, poll tax; Mrs. B. A. Stewart, tax on 60 acres of land for 1909 and 1910; G, P, those who opposed it for their SENATOR SIMMONS'S VOTE FOR Detter, \$1.74 special tax in Chapel district; L. R. Bowman special tax, Hickory township; Lonnie W. Cline, special tax in Hickory township; Grover Whitener \$1.00 drags road tax; R. L. Bolick, 98 cents special tax; P. L. Jarrett \$2.26 special tax; Charles Deitz, road tax; Ernest Locke, road tax; house M, P. Abernethy tax on \$800; P. E. Herman, road tax; Mrs. S. V. Kirksy \$2.16; estate of L. P; Ward, deceased, tax on \$765 Nan Ramseur and J. F. Buff.

> Ed Shook was allowed to take fda Finger and child from coun-

A public road, according to survey of J. E. Barb and E M Yoder as amended by survey of J. E Barb from corporate limits of Hickory to a point in Brook. ford road, was allowed service of land awners to be assessed. N. . Browder and Jones F. Aberlawful condition.

Petion was filed by citizens of Rader. facturing Company crosses the Pink Deal left for Ashland, Ill. W.B. Gaither, Auy. C. M. McCockie, 6 E. 71 P. Burke line. The petition will Monday. ne heard at next meeting.

was extended till April 1st.

Rhyne and D. E. Sigmon be a months and 12 days old. rock work on road near Pisgah peared so mysteriously some activoleck, M., the following valuable lands Pisgah church on the :5th of day.

pointed a committee to investi- to be present.

were ordered to be paid.

by the people as a whole was said on his honor as a man and a pany was allowed \$150 for 1910. he founded. It was meant to man's vote in that election or in creek commissioner for Mt. strike the middle ground between any other election. He accounted Creek in place of E. D. Gamble,

8644.02 Amount paid out during 6305.34

-the dollars you do want-were in the savings bank credited to

The following bills were ap-Corpening and Son taking

Z. V. Sigmon road work

35.00 M. A. Sherrill road work

at James place Gaither Mfg, Co. lumber for road trunks

J. D. Nixon jail fees L. C. Bickett county home supplies 73,08 Hickory Grocey Co. coun-

ty home supplies J, F. Allen county home Clarence Clapp medicines

J. F. Herman Judge's chair for courthouse H. E. Rowe services and Edwards and Broughton record for C. S. C.

R, L Hewitt summoning County News jury tickets 4.00 drill, mower, plows, and all my Cline & Son for road

W. W. Caldwell serving road orders

Daye Price work at court Abernethy Hardware Co. countp supplies

Edwards and Broughton Chattel Mortgage Index C. M. McCorkie fees Cline and Evans work on

Abernethy Hardware Co. Holdbrooks and Seagle

road work Newton town-Moser and Lutz disinfec-

D. E. Sigmon iron etc for

nethy were appointed overseers Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McRee will further take notice that they are to cut out the road and put it in went to Charlotte Friday to visit the Clerk of the Superior Court of said able farm, lying and

Hickory township for a public Mr. and Mrs. A. V Rockett of ton, N. C., and answer or densar to the Proper, and others, and bounded by road from near Mt. View school Claremont Route 2 spent last complaint or petition in said processihouse on Morganton and Newton Sunday in this section visiting at road to Burke county line, where road to Burke county line, where the home of Mrs. Thos. Huitt. complaint, road from Henry River Manu- Messrs. Homer Setzer and This 16th day of February 1911.

Mr. Frank Clapp, whose sick-Time for road supervisors to ness has been noted, died Saturissue exemptions from road duty day night and was buried Sun- Under and by rather of the Sun-

Superintendent of health filed ship M. E. Church, funeral ser- wherein F. L. Ward administrator of L. Plan report of jail and county home. vices were conducted by Rev. E. L. Ward and others, are the decembers, and p. poles to the Ber. It was ordered that S. L. Pox He vas 31 years, 4 the unersigned, as commissioner, will sail at "D. G. Propet farm." committee to let out contract for Mr. Earl Sigman who disapt w. N. C. ar

church, the same to be let out at time ago returned hone Mon- ying and being near the city of Hickory is Mr. Lee Carpenter gave a en Ward, and others

S. L. Rhyne, E. D. Gamble turkey-possum dinner Sunday Pirst iot. Beginning at a sloge at Peterson

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