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Lorimer. It was observed that there was a curious identity between the OFFICERS OF THE little group of Democratic Senators who voted in favor of a duty on lumber and hose who voted in favor of Lorimer. Simmons was conspicuous in both lists. Fesperman President at Cataw-"here were ten, Democratic Senators ho voted for Lorimer; of these, two were, at the time of the Lorimer vote, new Senators who had not been in the Senate al the time of the voting on free

umber. The following eight (out of ten pro-Lorimer Senators in all) also repudiated the Democratic platform pledge in order to vote against free lumber: ---*

BAILEY JOHNSON, ALA. BANKHEAD SIMMONS SMITH. MD. FLETCHER FOSTER

TILLMAN FOSTER TILLMAN It came out in the Lorimer exposure that Edward Hines, president of the N. Shulehberger; secretary and treasurer, G. C. Peeler, ten-nis manager, J. F. Carpenter. National Lumber Manufacturers' Associ- The other officers had alation (who said he spent \$100,000 to put ready been elected, the previous Lorimer in the Senate), had spent the year. At the close of the meettariff session at Washington and once ing Professor Koffman, who is to wrote that he was having a hard time act as coach in atheletics this "keeping the Southern Democrats-in year, made a stirring talk on Catawba's atheletic opportuni-

Simmons voted in favor of Lorimer ties and on the indiviaual need twice; the third and last vote came only of each student for physical dea few weeks ago, when Simmons was velopment.

in the midst of his fight for reelection, On the same morning the Civic and all North Carolina was stirred up League elected officers for the present year as follows: N. H. Farvel, president; S. J. McNairy, vice-president; H. F. Ingle, sec-retary; and Miss Mary Peeler, deserted Lorimer and voted to deprive Soliciting Bids

treasurer. During the last two years this organization has, besides doing many small but im-

portant things for the improvement of the campus, built cement walks in front of the college and has purchased indoor and outdoor scenery for the dramatic work. It is intended this year that among other matters it shall help put the "Blue and the

Last week President J. F. Buchheit made a trip to the western also to the eastern part of the state. While at Hickory he visited Lenoir college, where on the invitation of President Fritz, he made a short address in chap

athletic relations of the two colleges. Every one feels that ath-

Air Compressor. In the machine shop is a steam locomotives and coaches, it also keeps the time. This compressed air from the tank is used to run the hand drills, conveyed through iron reinforced

State Librory

Room to Enlarge. Written for the Democrat By Dr. R. Wood Brown.

The Carolina & Northwestern's

NEW MODERN DEVICES_USED.

Two New Engines are Beauties-

How a Locomotive Travels Side-

ways-The Drop Pit-

Splendid Facilities Here.

HEADOUARTERS.

How many of our citizens know about the industries of Hickory except by hearsay?

'Oh, yes, there is a cotton mill here right up the track about one half tainly I can direct you: Go east, tolplant you can find a hosiery mill and engines, coaches and freight cars with ment, saying: think there is another further east; the help of 50 expert machinists. pleasant day."

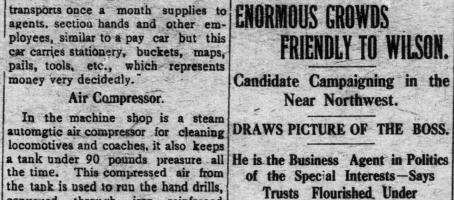
And so it goes in this thriving, which bring in bread and butter to the cept the owners and operatives.

How many have seen the main car and locomotive repair shops and store. house of the C. and N. W. Railway Co? Well I have had the pleasure of meeting the general manager, Mr. L T. Nichols, through whose courtesy I many details and spent a vary enjoyable be lurking for humanity. afternoon.

Could Multiply by Five.

cranes, everything, is so arranged, waste. that at comparatively small expense it can be enlarged as required by the exigencies of the future.

travel sideways 180 feet? If not, go to This country is only about 75 the car shops of the C. and N W rail- years old and now has more miles the country," was the way the Governor way Co., and see that transfer table of track than the whole world replied to assertions of Col. Roosevelt or electic tractor. There is a hole in had in 1860. The mileage of the at Trinidad, Col., taking exception to



Trusts Flourished, Under Roosevelt. rubber tubing. I saw an employee using one of these hand drills inside of Gov. Wilson has been campaigning in

a locomotive boiler. In this case the in the near northwest. In St. Paul 50,mountain could not go to Mahomet so 000 lined the streets to see him, in Mahomet went to the mountain. The Minneapolis 60,000, and in Chicago 50

hand drills are about the size of a cigar 000. From Lake Michigan to the Detroit river he shook hauds with or box which holds 100 smokes There are 14 different machines in was cheered by 15,000 people, who mile west of the Piedmont wagon the machine shop proper, ranging in braved a nasty rain to see him. Everyfactory but I never have seen it. Car- height from 18 inches to 10 feet and where the crowds seemed friendly and from a few inches to 5 feet in diameter, favorable. At Detroit he discussed the low the Southern tracks, near the ice in fact all that is necessary to repair, worst product of our system of govern-

"A boss is not so much a politician near a furniture factory. No I have It takes one month to repair a loco- as he is the business agents in politics never seen them, You are welcome; motive, making it as good as new. The of special interests. At least that is the largest locomotive I saw weighed 310, | kind of boss I have known, and the 000 pounds. It was as wide as a kind of boss I have known is not a hustling city. Industries all around church door and as deep as a well. partisan, he has got above politics, and "A large scrap iron yard gets the and has an arrangement with the boss merchant but very few see them, ex- refuse as all car axles are welded from of the other party so that whether it is scrap iron. Nothing is wasted except heads or tails he wins. They receive the smoke and that helps to fertilize contributions from the same sources.

sewer pipes which take care of the tributions for the same purpose. surface water, and into these pipes the | They have, underneath the surface exhaust steam is forced. This is the same programme, and the amazing strictly a sanitary method, as the thing to me is that I have recently met was enabled to learn much, listened to steam destroys any germ which may some bosses who did not realize that

What I am amazed at in the political The store house is interesting for in it are all the necessities for repair boss is not his subtlety, but his stupiding, also those articles to run the road ity. He is a perfect Bourbon; never The Carolina and North-Western and for the comfort of its patrons. changes his mind, he never forgets any- and in order to take no chances Railway Co. owns 13 acres, and has This storehouse contains over \$8,000 thing, and some of them don't know in this desperate situation, Judge enough ground for five times its pres- of stock and \$1200 of brasses. The that the people are on to them and the ent repair necessities. The buildings, oil house with its eight kinds of oil is way that is certain to spoil every pursheds, tracks, machine shops, moving fire proof, also the building for cotton pose that they have is to dare to show

Railroad Statistics

The United States is a great Did you ever see a locomotive nation of travelers and railroads.

day and the combination of the two events will bring to Hickory COMMENT **STORMING THE CENTRE**

The circus will be in town that

Knowing that they have lost the surrounding farms. There are the two bosses; they spend these con-

Smith is the traitor who joined time had been called on the game.

day. Gov. Wilson is campaigning New Jersey against Smith, their hand in it.

Roosevelt and the Trusts. Hughes, the best runner. "Trusts flourished more under forme North Carolina should take no President Roosevelt's Administration chances. That is why we are than under any other in the history of for Clark. Simmons has lapsed into several dangerously reacor electic tractor. There is a hole in the fine age of the United States in 1904, counting the Democratic candidate's declaration the ground 3 feet deep, 50 feet wide and 180 double tracks and switching the recent investigation and 3 feet deep, 50 feet wide and 180 double tracks and switching by the Home Messare Chart in the country, said at the time;

ROOSEVELT TO SPEAK HERE SENATOR SIMMONS' **REACTIONARY RECORD** TUESDAY MORNING. In his tour of North Carolina His Vote on Lumber Contrary next week Ex-President Rooseto Platform he Helped yelt will give Hickory a short

Write INSIDE 10 1-2 MOS. HE LAPSED.

The man who drew the cartoon on the biggest crowd in its history. this page, Herbert Johnson of the Philadelphia "North American," has a unique gift for putting a complicated political situation into a single vivid picture. [The cartoon shows Miss Democracy pictured as an old maid with a candle in her hand looking under the bed at mid-night, and crying "Help!" as she finds a burglar under their right and left wings, the the bed labeled "special privilege."] Predatory Interests are making So long as the Republican party was in a furious fight for the centre, power the representatives of special They concede Wilson and the interests infested that party; they were House to the Democrats but they driven out by the Insurgent movement, over it. On this occassion Simmons which began in 1909 and has just enlwant to keep the Senate away minated in the formation of a new him of his seat. from the Democrats and their party. Now, just as the Democrats

allies, the Progressives. To this seem likely to come into power, the end they are trying to get Smith special interests are quietly placing returned from New Jersey, their representatives at carefully select ed strategic points within that party. Senate in favor of it: If the Democrats are not extremely Gorman in defeating the old vigilant, they will suffer again the same Wilson tariff bill in Cleveland's experience they had the last time they Aldrich) to extend the same treatment came into power, eighteen years ago. to every product embraced in this bill; What happened then was described I do not care in what section of the only a few days ago by Woodrow Wilson in these words:

"It is of particularly sinister import the Senate of the United States vote for your steel." Senator Simmons who has been making the race, has willingly come down to been the chief issue of the National been the chief issue of the National been the chief issue of the Democrats make way for Congressman campaign, and when the Democrats ing.

had, for once in a generation, an op-portunity. . . Mr. Smith was one of the small group of Senators, calling themselves Democrats, who, at that critical and hopeful juncture in our

Not only did Simmons vote for a high tariff on lumber; he addressed the

"I am ready, with him and with any other man on either side of this cham-

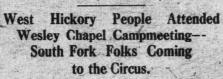
country it is located.' There you have it. That is exactly how every high tariff bill has been Wescott, the intellectual giant that Mr. Smith should seek to return to passed-"You vote for my lumber; I'll White" on a sound financial ba-

The Injury to the Party

The action of Simmons and his little group of Democrats who joined him in politics, utterly defeated the program of the party. His election now might bring the party face to face with a similar disaster and disgrace." repudiating the platform promise did very great damage to the party's pres-tige. The New York "World," the most powerful Democratic daily paper most powerful Democratic daily paper

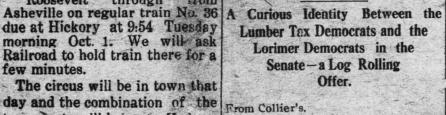
DR. BUCHHEIT VISITS LENOIR. to the Circus.

The following officers were selected Friday morning for the Atheletic association: President, H. A. Fesperman, vice-president,



ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

ba College.



speech. Mr. P. A. Setzer has received the following telegram: "Roosevelt through from due at Hickory at 9:54 Tuesday morning Oct. 1. We will ask Railroad to hold train there for a few minutes.

a large amount of track space, to say nothing about the time gained. Trolley wires and trolley poles convey. the electric current to the little power house which is about 8 leet square.

Two New Engines.

When I met Capt. Nichols, he was xamining his two new beautiful locomotives, each weighing 240,000 ounds and each costing \$13,000. "hey were being "tried out" and it was one of these new engines that I saw carried sideways on the transfer, table. These locomotives with eight drivers have a new improved valve gear or link motion for controlling steam into the cylinders. This gear s situated outside of the drivers, a oetry of motion, and add much to the beauty of the engines. Most of the parts of these locomotives can be uplicated like a machine made watch for these engines are as delicate as a watch and no chromometer balance uns more accurately; they have to be leaned and repaired and taken care of ust like a watch, and like machine nade watches can be easily repaired y inserting new duplicate parts. This nakes it easy for the machinist as well is the jeweler. Only the watch maker who examined a watch without vanting to clean it died long ago.

The Drop Pit.

An innovation in the C. and N-W. ar shops, is the drop pit. Here-toore when a set of wheels or bearings needed repairing, the locomotive or car had to be hoisted, so the wheels could be removed or bearings examined, but this drop pit obviates this procedure. This drop pit is 10 feet deep and a little wider than the liameter of the driving wheels, and has a massive iron frame over it 20 teet from the ground. The engine is Its help in coughs, colds, grip, croup, ⁸⁰ placed under the frame that the whocping-cough and sore lungs make offending wheel or axle is directly it a positive blessing. 50c. and over the pit Heavy chains hung; \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed over the pit. Heavy chains hung by C. M. Shuferd, Moser & Lutz and rom the frame, hold the wheels while section of the track is removed, then Grimes Drug Co. he wheels are lowered into the pit hen taken to the repair shop or the lamage repaired at the pit. Thus the

wheels are dropped instead of the engine being hoisted thereby enlangering other parts of the machannsm. This drop pit is a very ingenous contrivance besides being a great ime and money saver.

I saw a very neat supply car, which .

long. At the bottom of this depras- tracks, is greater than the disby the House. Messrs, Gary and car wheels which carries the platform earth, that distance being 240, in the Progressive Republican on which rests the locomotive and 000 miles. To take from the platform proposing a Federal comtender. A power house attached to only railroad stastistics now mission regulate the trusts. the platform or table contains a three available to me, in 1904 the length apeed, which moves these 310,000 for freight and passenger traffic. suggested it while he was President in pound locomotives sideways at the Tnere were 39,752 passenger one of his messages to Congress, durrate of 15 feet a minute from track to cars which carried 715,419,692 ing that same term of the Presidency in

its 130 miles of lineal track.

Hickory Should Have Headquarters from Hickory to Chester, S. C. tell you how other men should be ad serve their country this year by and north from Hickory to Edgemont, Hickory being a junction point and its main car shops and store house located here, it is a logical conclusion that the headquarters of this road should be in Hickory. The citizens of auditorium, a special program will be ond primary, in which Clark Hickory should make some move carried out by the children and others. could win. to have the general offices of The collection is for Sunday school exthis growing railroad located in tension. its natural geographical centre. Hickory could furnish a building.

stock soar.

their homes by coughs and lung diseases. Friends and business are left behind for other climates, but this is yourself at home, Stay right there, with your friends, and take this safe medicine. Threat and lung troubles find quick relief and health returns.

Wise Warning.

Art cannot be taught; craftsmanship can be taught. It is the danger of all academies to confuse art with crafts manship.-London Academy.

children Cry

FOR FLETCHER'S

CASTORIA

Ridge mountains then watch its the meeting Every year, in many parts of the country, thousands are driven from

the people's interests. "I understand that the leader of the phase eletric motor (not much larger of railroad track in the United third party," said Governor, "has re- If Democracy is thwarted durthan one of the locomotive's cylin- States was 297,073 miles, there cently said that he didn't suggest this ing the next four years, there ders), with its gearing for decreased were 46,743 locomotives required change just the other day, that he had lies beyond Socialism, which, drunk with Lower, will slip unconsciously and unintentionally

track, doing what it used to take 12 passengers, and 1,692,194 which trusts grew faster and more nu- into anarchy. In that case, we men to accomplish. This transfer freight cars which transported merously than in any other administra- can hear the popping of bombs as table saves switching, tracks, y's and 1,309,899,165 tons of freight. ... ion we have had and that his conclu-This would show that the United sion was-he doesn't say this, but this States has 6 locomotives and a must be the inference that the trusts fraction to the mile, while the had come to stay, that it wasn't p ssible Carolina and North-Western has to put them out of business, it wasn't ness, big and little, will be best tion it was adopted unanimously. ed his suggested revision of the wool Carolina and North-Western has to put them out of business, it wasn't ness, big and little, will be best ton it was adopted infamiliously. Schedule... Peurose held a little in-9 and a fraction engines to a possible to check their supremacy; that served by sending Judge Clark Senator Simuous, as a member of the formal meeting in the Senate lobby with

> necessary evils, and appoint an indus. trial commission which would tell them how they were to do their business, not The C. and N. W. runs south an industrial commission which should of the state, that they can best plank.

mitted into the field of competition."

Presbyterian Church Notes Next Sunday is "Rally Day" at the Presbyterian Sunday School. The exercises will be conducted in the main

The pastor will preach both morning son, has been appointed a direct

and evening on Sabbath. Owing to a conflict with the Baptist or of the State Hospital at Morgive rebate of taxes or give Owing to a conflict with the Baptist bonus if it would wake up to its meeting in West Hickory, the Presbyganton to succeed the late A. A. own interests, for it is only a terians will post pone their meeting for Shuford. The appointment would have come to Hickory, it is question of a short time before four weeks till Oct. 27. Rey. J. G. said, if the city could have got the Carolina and North-Western Garth will preach at West Hickory next together on a man. The appli-cants were Messrs. E. L. Shu-Railway Co. will cross the Blue | Sabbath at 3 p. m. but will not continue ford, A. A. Shuford, Jr., and

The "Holy City" motion picsure exhibit proposed to be at Many Driven From Home.

the Opera House next Sunday has been cancelled.

The implicit confidence that many people have in Chamberlain's Colic, ing and bending over making beds Republicans in favor of a duty Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is will not make a won an healthy or founded on their experience in the use beautiful. She must get out of doors, costly and not always sure. A better of that remedy and their knowledge of walk a mile or two every day and take way-the way of multitudes-is to use the many remarkable cures of colic, Chamberlain's Tablets to improve her Dr. King's New Discovery and cure dia rhoea and dysentery that it has ef- digestion and regulate her bowels. fected. For sale by all dealers.

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election promise. Clark, in for long years a consistent re- equal truth to Senator Furnifold M. decency and good faith. cord of fearless championship of seeking reelection.

"Lumber, Timber, and Logs"

tion at Denver on July 4, 1908, adopted anywhere. this plank:

"We demand the immediate repeal of the tariff on wood pulp, print paper, lumber and logs." Senator Simmons of North Carolina

was a member of the Committee on Resolutions which wrote this plank, could megaphone to the plain other Democrats by the promise to the conversation:

The Record of Simmons

Fate took exactly ten months and between Simmons and Kitchin by fourteen days to bring Senator Simmons voting in the primary for Clark. his opportunity to live up to the promise the United States Senate (by a Democrat) this amendment:

"Nothing contained in this act shall prevent the admission free of duty of ment do not heed them; they know that the following articles: Lumber of all this little situation pictures perfectly kinds."

On that roll call Simmons joined the Republicans and voted with Aldrich, crats. nay. And this was but the beginning. Simmons voted with Aldrich and the

ou sawed lumber to \$1 per thousand feet. Simmons voted with Aldrich and the Republicans against reducing the duty

per thousand feet. Summons voted with Aldrich and the Republicans against reducing the duty on coal from sixty to forty cents a ton. Simmons voted with Aldrich and the twenty-five cents a ton on iron ore.

Lorimer and Lumber

Turn now to Simmons' record

Mr. S. H. Jordan for Clark.

Dear Mr. Banks:---I thank you very much for the request and its accompanying compliment, to write something in the interest of Judge Clark's candidacy for the U.S. Senate. I shall be glad to comply with request in a very short time.

In this age of graft and insincerity, the office of U.S. Senator has become all important. In my judgment no man has lived in North Carolina since the days of Gov. Wm. A. Graham, better equipped for this office than Judge Clark. In that great body of great man, he would be Yours hurriedly, a matchless leader. S. H. JORDAN. Conover, N. C., 8-21-'12.

"There are political sins for which letic relations between these two long. At the bottom of this depres-sion are four rails on which rest the tance of the moon from the Perkins suggested the plank face, of fierce criticism, has held und truth to Senator; his words apply with decency and good faith. They reveal a old rivals can and ought to Le Simmons of North Carolina, likewise degradation in our political life which resumed. almost passes belief. They put the Democratic party on trial, not for its

principles, but for its honesty. Errors

The Democratic National Conven-cused, but perfidy finds no apologist. Correspondence The Democrat "The Invisible Government"

> One of the most careful observers in Washington wrote this for the Denver 'Express''

"Senator Penrose is following the footsteps of his predecessor, Mr. Aldrich, in trading across the party line when it comes to protecting the When the platform, including this high tariff schedules. The other day, our genuine conviction that busi- plank, was brought before the conven- when the Penusylvania Senator report-9 and a fraction engines to a possible to check their supremacy; that served by sending Judge Clark convention, voted for it; thereby he be-mile, having 14 locomotives for all you could do was to accept them as to the Senate. We wish we came bound to a greater degree than The writer stood by and heard this "Simmons; "What do you want us to

"Penrose: 'No, I think I can put it over; you fellows vote for your own

"Simmons: 'You don't need any our votes then?' "Penrose: 'No, you fellows vote for your own bill. I'll take a chance on And we think honestly that made by himself and his party. On putting it over and then I'll fix May 24, 1909, there was introduced into it up in conference." There have been many denials and near denials of this statement. Persons who understand the invisible govern- there in force as they generally

> the relation between the reactionary Republicans and the reactionary Demo-The Whole Point.

"If the Democratic party does not Republicans against reducing the duty keep its promises now, it will never have another opportunity to do so."-Woodrow Wilson speaking at Sea Girt

on September 8. Is Senator Simmons a man who can on plained lumber to twenty-five cents be depended on to keep Democratic promises?

Three on the Fence.

Madison Herald. Up to the hour of going to press

there remains three papers in North I notice that a quite number of Carolina which have not formed or ex- our Democrats from West Hickpressed a preference in the Senatorial ory was present at the Township race, to wit, Marion Butler's Caucasion, Primary Saturday evening. Seems the Union Republican, and the News they are starting in time and and Observer, formerly known as the mean to do some good work be-'Old Reliable."

Make Use of Time. the true value of time; match, seize and enjoy every moment of it. No idleness, no laziness, no procrastination; never put off till tonorrow what you can do today.-Earl

Uncle Ezra Says

to git folks into a peck of trouble" and a little neglect of constipation. indigestion or other liver derangement. will do the same. If ailing, take Dr. the managements of the kitchen. King's New Life Pills for quick re- Farmers are busy in making sults. Easy, safe, sure, and 25c. at their pea hay and also with their Moser & Lutz, C. M. Shuford and fodder. The general health is Grimes Drug Co,

Ivey Dots

A number of people from West Hickory went to the Camp meeting at Wesley Chapel Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Make Mckenzie and Master Albert went to Rhodhiss Saturday to visit Mr. Mckenzie's sister, Mrs. Geo.

Starnes. Miss Ida Houck from Granite was here several days last week visiting her uncle E. C. Hahn, Ales Huffman was here Saturday and Sunday visiting the family of J. J. Hicks, J. Weast and family moved from here to Rhodhiss last week. Miss Julia Richards has been over at Lenoir several days visiting her aunt who is sick with fever. L. Church has resigned as Chief of Police for West Hickory and no one has been appointed to take his place yet. Reports speak very favorably of the big circus which is billed to exhibit at Hickory next Tuesday Oct. 1st and our people will be go in for this sort of entertainment and many of them have seen Sparks World Famous

Mr. J. P. Burns, D. S. was in our town one day last week on

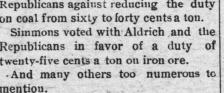
Shows and they all say that it is

business. Miss Jane Hildebrand from Drexel is here working in the mill. She is boarding with E. Abee. We noticed that J. W. Ballew was in our town one day last week shaking hands with his many friends. We are glad to say that Z. H. Pierce's two children who have been down with fever for several weeks, are now getting a little better.

tween now and day of election.

Take Her to the Show.

South Fork, September 25.-Hello young gents, you who have been in the habit of carrying your girls in your buggies on pleasure rides, do not forget to be on hand ready on the first day of October to carry her to "It dont take more'n a gill uv effort Spark's great show in Hickory. To you husbands we say, do not forget your loving wives who have to bear the daily burdens in fairly good COLONEL.



people in every nook and cranny people contained in the words of the do? Do you need any votes?

compromising this fierce clash

there is a good chance for a sec-

Dr. J. W. Calvard, of Jeffer-

koy Abernethy. The Governor solved the problem by harking

back from old Hickory to Jeffer-

Ranning up and down stairs, sweep-

they are hurled under the auto-

mobiles of multimillionaires. It is