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If Congressman Shuford wants to use Butler's speech for campaign purposes, he ought to pay postage on the copies he sends out.

In order to protect ourselves, and in order that our identity may not be mistaken, we beg leave to inform the editor of the Hickory Mercury that we are not his brother in any sense.

The latest defender of Brown and Satterfield is Speaker Walser. He says every fair man knows that those men were made the victims of partisan spite and rancorous party spirit.

A great many Democrats in this part of the 7th district are receiving Senator Butler's speech of January 14, 1896.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie is shipping steel rails to Japan. He underbids Englishmen, and so gets the Japanese trade.

The News and Observer of last Saturday talks about its being in touch with the Democratic masses, as if it were a badge of honor to be in touch with the crowd.

"THE PARITY FRAUD."

Under the above heading, The Wilmington Star of last Friday disposes of the question of parity between gold and silver in the following manner:

There is not a living man who when he takes a silver dollar for his labor, his property, or for a debt due him, who ever expects to convert that silver dollar into a gold dollar.

Hence it follows that, because people never "expect" to convert a silver dollar, the question of parity in this country is a fancy of the brain, a thing which could never assume reality unless a person was simple enough to "expect" to convert his silver into gold!

Therefore, we infer from the Star that, under free coinage at 16 to 1, all the people of this country have to do to maintain the parity between gold and silver is to take the silver in simple faith, asking no questions and not for once thinking of converting that silver into gold!

Therefore, we conclude that all Mexico has to do to restore the parity between gold and silver is to pass a law, or start up a something, which will increase the Mexican's faith in the stamp of his government and prevent him from expecting to convert his silver money!

But will sensible people believe such nonsense? The stamp of the government gives money no value, and no man who takes the time to reason a moment will say it does.

PERTINENT QUESTIONS. The following recently appeared in the News and Observer.

Where it came from.

As there has been a good deal of talk lately about the phrase, "Jeffersonian Democracy and Lincoln Republicanism," we hasten, at this late day, to give its origin for the benefit of those Burke Democrats who used it lately and for the benefit of other Democrats who may contemplate using it.

While Supt. Torrence, of Long Shoals was coming to his father's last Saturday evening he met with a thrilling experience as he passed Hovis' store.

When the hands at White Bros. and Hux' saw mill went to work last Saturday morning they found that they had had some visitors the night before.

Mrs. Rachel Bell, mother-in-law of Mr. J. J. Kincaid, died at his home in Gastonia last Monday night.

Miss Sallie Lee McLean and Mr. Albert Holland were recently married at Dallas.

The McAdenville correspondent says: Rev. M. T. Steele, pastor of the M. E. church here commenced a series of meetings Sunday 22nd inst.

Abuses Cleveland—A Populist! On Wednesday night of this week, Mr. L. C. Caldwell, of Statesville, delivered in the court house what was advertised on the streets here to be a "Free Silver Lecture."

Marvelous Results. From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract:

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