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The republican House has refused to concur in the Senate free Silver Substitute.

Last week the shifting engine and the Winston train collided at Greensboro, and considerable damage done. No person was hurt.

It will be but a short time till court, and the road supervisors have to report the roads, under oath. We want to see how many can swear that their roads are in good condition.

Elkin has become so "biggy" that she has an ordinance against selling second hand clothing in her city limits. We suppose that they can be given away provided it is not to minors.

General John B. Gordon, of Georgia, will deliver his celebrated lecture, "The Last Days of the Confederacy," at Winston on the night of the 15th. All who can should go and hear him.

The girl who recently said she would not marry the "best man" in the world, was right. Always stick to the groom in marrying, and leave the "best man" for some other girl.

O. J. Carroll, marshal of the Eastern district, is having some trouble over his over zealous revenue "persecutions," just for the fees in it. There are a heap of frivolous persecutions that go on in this county just for the fees. The fee system is wrong.

We notice that Congressman Linney has spoken in favor of the Senate silver substitute for the house bond bill. Linney is getting better on the silver question. That is the lingering Democracy that was left in him when he jumped over the fence.

The Republican and Populist brethren do not seem to be dwelling in peace just now. It is probably just a ruse to put Democrats off their guard. Of course, when the time comes they will fuse from top to bottom, no matter whether it's on the gold basis or not.

The revenue department at Greensboro seems to have a kind of revenue law of its own. The man who follows the law in every respect is as liable to be molested as the worst blockader. That force there seems to require a lot of whiskey for "home consumption" and also to keep in the good graces of the department.

The Senatorial fight in Kentucky is still on. It is an object lesson in the stubborn domineering of gold bugism. It requires 69 votes to elect. 62 Democratic silverites vote for Blackburn. The gold bug Democrats—enough to elect as we understand it—scattering their votes with Carlisle and McReary. The Republicans—gold bugs—vote their solid 67 for Hunter.

A young man in Lowell, Mass., troubled for years with a constant succession of boils on his neck, was completely cured by taking only three bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Another result of the treatment was greatly improved digestion with increased avoirdupois.

Plenty of nice sugar at Mayberry's: good 5 cents, better 5 1/2, best 6 cents, per pound.

This is what they call "Chicago weather." It's a kind of general mixture.

O. J. Carroll, U. S. Marshall, and Joe Daniels, of the News and Observer, had a little scrimmage at Raleigh, over the news paper attack on Carroll's management of the revenue business. Nobody dangerously hurt, and if it will assist in stopping frivolous persecutions it will perform a good mission.

It presents a very sorrowful figure when any North Carolinian gets up in Congress and realigns the South—his people. And it has only the effect to increase northern contempt for the speaker and the people who have sent such a sycophant to Congress. Pearson should resign and settle down up north and follow the trade of blacking northern shoes.

Norton, the mail carrier between here and Taylorsville tells that they killed a deer last week inside of the incorporation over there. He tells us further that two years ago he predicted that foxes would have their hiding places in a hundred yards of the court house at no time in the day, and he now believes it. Of course, was just joking like some other populists.

If there is anything in Wilkes that needs attention, it certainly is the roads. The rains last week put most of the roads in the county in a condition almost impassable. Why should this be the case, when a little more attention, as the law requires, would make a big difference for the better. Why, the street, or road, or whatever it be, between here and the depot is neglected and allowed to get in an almost impassable condition. Why is this? It is bad enough all the way, but it seems that the mud hole at yonder end of the bridge caps the climax. Is there nobody responsible? The matter ought to be looked into.

Richmond Pearson, the Republican Congressman from the 9th district, who was elected through Populist influence, made a caustic tirade last week against Senator Tillman, the Populists, and the Democrats. Speaking of the Populists and Butler's silver circular recently sent out, he said: "I will not go into a party with only one idea and which will not get 50 electoral votes next time and they know it." It is bad manners, to say the least, for Pearson now to turn and smite the hand that lifted him into office. But of course he is just in fun and knows the Republicans and Populists will fuse anyway.

**Blizzard Strikes Winston.**  
Winston Republican.  
Winston was visited by a genuine Blizzard, Friday, not atmospheric but in the flesh, in the person of Mr. J. D. Blizzard, of Parks, Wilkes county, who gave us a pleasant call. He takes the Republican, of course, reads it, and pays for it. Such Blizzards are welcome.

**Cricket P. O. Defended.**  
EDITOR CHRONICLE—I kindly ask space in your paper for a few words in behalf of Cricket P. O., as the North Wilkesboro News seems to be hinting at this office in regard to carelessness in handling the mails, and causing them to lose subscribers (The News printed some items some two years ago concerning their subscribers at this office to which they had an answer but failed to print.) I for one am very willing to see it ventilated. As concerning the North Wilkesboro and Jefferson mail, there is none left over in this office at any time.

Log E. McLEAN, P. M.  
Jan. 31st, 1896.

**A School of Experience.**  
There is considerable complaint over the county now because the clock men are trying to collect their mortgages. No doubt it is hard money to pay, but THE CHRONICLE hopes the clock men will rigidly collect every cent due them. We have very little sympathy for the buyers. We faithfully warned the people to let this matter alone, and attend their home affairs, but they refused to heed. Perhaps now they will learn by experience, and some people cannot learn otherwise. It seems that our people are not satisfied unless they are into something of this kind, and we are glad that it is our neighbor of Cleveland county who is reaping the benefit this time; for he is a clever gentleman, and at least does not take the money out of the State like the majority of these patent right men do. Let the people pay for their own wilful folly without grumbling. We say it was wilful because they knew what they were going into at the time.

**Road Matters.**  
J. T. Adkins, et al, filed the following report on the new survey of the road in Elk township: Beginning on a stake in the late survey on top of Burnt House ridge, turning to right and running through the Dunn Land to point of ridge near mouth of Ates' Creek, intersecting with late survey.

G. L. Pearson, et al, filed petition asking that the old road from A. C. Russell's to top of Brushy Mountain at Russell Gap, be continued as the public road, instead of the new survey. To be heard at next meeting of the Board.

**An Anonymous Letter.**  
The men in overland thought this was Wonderful Wise when the rangers came a round the scratch out all their pile but when the saw that all their pile was out with all their Mite and Main When the fool-killer With their clocks came a long With all ther Mite and Main tha Mortgages ther hors'es and Mules and every thing and jumt in to the hawks claws to hav their eyes scratch out a gain. Maby When the find that when their eyes is out tha wont let the next fool killer scratch them out a gain. When tha see that their bread Meet Money and every thing is gon tha will let such stuff a lone and go to over one folkes to git bar gains.  
yours respectfully.

This is hard weather on news; but it does seem like any one who has to travel our roads much would necessarily have a fit of temporary insanity and commit justifiable suicide, and thus assist the editor. But we suppose no one attempts to travel except mail carriers and they feel it would be unhealthy and against their oath to do anything like that.

New York republicans have endorsed Morton for President—a gold bug of course.

Edwin F. Uhl, of Michigan, has been appointed Minister to Germany.

**Money to Lend.**  
I have made arrangements with brokers in New York City through whom I am able to place loans secured by a first mortgage on improved farms for five years time, payable in installments, at the low rate of 6 per cent. interest per annum. The brokerage and the charge for abstract and inspection are small and at the expense of the borrower. If you want cheap money come at once as the supply is limited.  
JOHN S. CRANOR.

## Lytle Hickerson, as a Debator.

Our Friend, Lytle Hickerson, of Ronda, who is studying law in Statesville, engaged in a silver debate near Olin last Saturday night. He championed the sound money side of the debate, and no doubt, made a good argument as he was on the right side of the question.

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**Notice!**  
By virtue of an execution in my hands for collection in favor of S. J. Ginnings and against Jackson Alexander and J. S. Cranor, I will sell for cash to the highest bidder at the Court house door in Wilkesboro, N. C., on the 2nd day of March, 1896, the following described tract of land, to wit: The land whereon Jackson Alexander now lives, adjoining the lands of T. C. Gray Elisha Porter, Alfred Staley and others. To satisfy above named execution. This Jan. 27th, 1896.  
CLARENCE CALL, Sheriff.

**Notice.**  
On the first Tuesday in March 1896, we will sell at the office of the Wilkesboro Land & Development Co., the stocks of J. W. Best and Robert Hix, dec'd, for non payment of stock into the treasury of said company. This sale made by order of the Directors of said company. This Jan. 28th, 1896.  
R. A. SPAINHOUR, Pres.  
MILTON McNEIL, Secy.

**Notice!**  
By virtue of an execution in my hands for collection in favor of J. J. Kincaid and against J. L. Hays, Jesse McGlamery and others, I will sell Jesse McGlamery's interest in the following described tracts of land, situate in Wilkesboro, N. C., on the 2nd day of March, 1896. 1st tract adjoining the lands of Franklin Parsons, Calvin J. Cowles and the lands of Jesse McGlamery. It being the excess of his homestead on the Southwest side of Lewis Fork Creek. Containing 60 acres, more or less. 2nd tract beginning on the bank of Phillips Gap road, Wilcox's line running West with said road to the double ford of Lewis Fork, thence North with J. F. Parson's line to the top of the hill to Sidney Huffman's line, thence down said ridge with the old road and said Huffman's line to the beginning. Containing 100 acres, more or less, being the excess of homestead on North-east side of Lewis Fork. To satisfy said execution. Jan. 27th 1896.  
CLARENCE CALL, Sheriff.

**Notice!**  
By virtue of executions in my hands, in favor of G. W. Leese, J. R. Caffey and S. F. Summers, in and against H. C. Eller, Sr., et al, I will sell H. C. Eller, Sr., interest in the following described tract of land, at the court house door in Wilkesboro, N. C., to the highest bidder for cash, on the 2nd day of March 1896: Beginning on a corner of homestead on top of Hamby mountain, thence westwardly to a white oak on top of gum hill, thence north to Martha Huffman's line, then with her line west to a spanish oak on the road, then westwardly to head of boiling spring branch, then down said branch to a poplar, the corner of J. A. church's line, then with the homestead line to a stake on top of Hamby mountain, containing 189 acres, more or less. Adjoining the lands of J. A. church, Martha Huffman, situate in Wilkes county, N. C., on the waters of Lewis Fork. This Jan. 27th, 1896.  
CLARENCE CALL, Sheriff.

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**Notice.**  
Whereas, Henry O. Eller and Martha Eller did on the 12th day of February 1895, execute and deliver to Albert R. Shattuck, Trustee, a trust deed on certain lands in Wilkes county, State of North Carolina therein described, to secure the sum of \$500.00 due by said Henry O. Eller and Martha Eller to the British & American Mortgage Company, Limited, which said trust deed is recorded in Wilkes county, in Deed Book 20 Page 401 to which reference is hereby made; and whereas default has been made in the payment of the moneys secured by said trust deed; and whereas the undersigned has been duly appointed substituted trustee in the place of said Albert R. Shattuck as provided in said trust deed, and has been duly requested to execute the trust therein contained; now therefore notice is hereby given, that under and by virtue of the power contained in said trust deed, I, the undersigned substituted trustee, on Monday the 18th day of March 1896, between the hours of 10 a m and p m, at the court house door in the town of Wilkesboro in Wilkes county, will by public auction sell for cash to the highest bidder for cash the following described property, viz:

poles with the top of said mountain, thence north 21 degrees east with the top of said mountain 14 poles, then north 43 degrees east with the top of said mountain 8 poles to a white oak, then north 71 degrees west 20 poles to a chestnut, then north 14 poles to a large poplar, then north 78 degrees west 11 1/2 poles to a white oak crossing the creek, then north 70 poles to a black gum in Martha Huffman's line, then west with said line 90 poles to a red oak, then south 40 poles to a pine, then south 57 degrees west with said line 116 poles to a red oak on the east side of the ridge, thence south 60 degrees west 14 poles to a pine, then south 29 degrees west 8 poles to a pine, then south 53 degrees west 10 poles to a post oak, then south 62 degrees east with J. A. Church's line 27 poles to the head of a branch, then south 14 degrees east 96 poles down said branch to a white oak, then south 61 degrees with Miles Summerlin's line 29 poles to a pine, then south 48 degrees east—said Summerlin's line 23 poles, then south 25 degrees east with said line 70 poles to the beginning, containing four hundred and forty seven (447) acres, more or less.

All that tract or parcel of land known as the Summerlin place, lying and being in the county of Wilkes on the waters of North Lewis Fork and bounded as follows: Beginning at a birch on the west bank of North Lewis Fork, running east 115 poles to a bunch of chestnut oaks on the top of Hamby's Mountain, thence north 37 1/2 degrees east with the top of said mountain 42 poles, then north 45 degrees west with the top of said mountain 32 poles, then north 14 degrees east 20 poles, then north 30 degrees east 20 poles, north 59 degrees east with the top of said mountain 18 poles, then north 39 degrees east with the top of said mountain 20 poles, north 13 poles with the top of said mountain, north 56 degrees east 29

Said land will be sold to satisfy the debt secured by said trust deed, and such title will be given as is vested in said trustee.  
J. S. Cranor, Substituted Trustee.  
**Notice.**  
Having been appointed a commissioner in the case of Elizabeth Chambers et al vs J. S. Chambers at Fall Term 1895 of the Superior Court, I will offer for sale at the court house door in Wilkesboro N. C. on the 29th day of March 1896 to the highest bidder for cash the following described land: Beginning on a red oak on the west side of the Wilkesboro road, running 25 degrees east along said road 35 poles to a white oak, then north 14 degrees east 50 poles to a red oak, then north 14 degrees east 50 poles to the beginning, containing 20 acres more or less. This is my 1st, 1896.  
W. W. BASKIN, Commissioner.