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SENATOR EUSTIS has introduced a resolution in the Senate somewhat on the line of Senator BECK's resolution of inquiry concerning the payment of the public debt in silver dollars. His resolution cites the fact that the Secretary of the Treasury had issued a call for ten millions of bonds, and declares it to be the opinion of Congress that said bonds should be paid in silver dollars, such payment being in strict compliance with the existing law. There seems to be a strong feeling in Congress to compel the Treasury Department to comply with the law in paying the principal and interest of the public debt. Of course the bondholders and their friends will resist this to the utmost.

THE Statesville Landmark thinks the next Legislature ought to enlarge the jurisdiction of justices, and urges as one reason that the demand for relief from the burden of jail and court expenses is imperative. Unless something is done to compel county officers to obey the laws we hardly see how enlarging jurisdiction of justices will reduce court cost in Craven county. In the annual statement, which we are now publishing, of the expenditures of this county we find one justice allowed thirty seven dollars and seven cents for cases disposed of by him as J. P., notwithstanding the fact the law says, "in no action or proceeding, commenced or tried in a court of a justice of the peace, shall the county be liable to pay any costs." In the face of this plain and positive law the county commissioners of Craven county allow accounts to justices for cases disposed of in their courts.

NOT RIGHTLY INFORMED. The Republican Banner which made its appearance last Saturday in this city is certainly poorly informed as to the position of the JOURNAL in regard to Craven county's stock in the A. & N. C. R. If the writer of the article headed "Advertise for Bids" had been a constant reader of the JOURNAL he would have known that we have always condemned in the strongest terms any disposition to decay the value of this property. When one share of stock was sold at the court house door on the first Monday in December, and brought twenty-one dollars, we thought it well worth the while of the county commissioners to ascertain if possible what could be done with the county stock, not give it away for a mere song as the Banner seems to take it. But we soon learned that the sale on the first Monday in December did not indicate the real market value of the stock. On the first Monday in January another sale was had, or rather a sale was offered, at the court house door, a fact which seems to have escaped the attention of the Banner, and five dollars was the highest bid that could be obtained on a share put up without reserve.

We agree heartily with the Banner that the good citizens of the county should give President BRYAN a hearty support and try to make the county's interest in the road of value to the county; but we

can do this without stabbing the former administration in the back, which, all will admit, greatly improved the road and largely increased its receipts.

N. C. IN CONGRESS.

In arranging the committees of the House Speaker CARLISLE gives North Carolina three chairmanships. General COX is chairman of the select committee on Reform in Civil Service; he is also on the committee on Foreign Affairs. BENNETT is chairman of the committee on Expenditures in the State Department, and also on the Judiciary committee. GREEN is chairman of the committee on Ventilation and Acoustics, and is on the committee on Agriculture. HENDERSON is on the committee on Elections, and Railways and Canals. SKINNER is on Indian Affairs, and Mines and Mining. JOHNSTON is on Public Buildings and Grounds, and committee on Election of President and Vice President. COWLES is on Patents, and Pensions. REID is on War Claims. O'HARA is on Invalid Pensions, and Expenditures on Public Buildings and Grounds.

The Threat of the National Banks. Senator McPherson, in his otherwise feeble reply to Senator Beck's speech on the silver question, makes one significant remark. After rehearsing the stale and thoroughly baseless prophecy that the continued coinage of the silver dollar will naturally cause a contraction of the currency and a consequent financial panic, he goes on to say:

"The national banks, which now furnish a large proportion of our circulating medium, would, in self-preservation, assist greatly in the inevitable contraction—in short, anticipate it. They would surrender circulation, redeem and take in gold the premium upon the bonds pledged to make good their notes, and bank, if at all, upon the issues of the Treasury or the Mint. From these two causes alone, to say nothing of the hoarding of gold by private citizens, the effect upon our industries would be frightful."

Were not the silliness of this talk equalled by its malignity, it would not be worth noticing. The circulation of the national banks is now about \$300,000,000. None of the bonds pledged for the redemption of it can be withdrawn, except upon the deposit in the Treasury of the identical notes issued by each bank, or of an equal amount of lawful money. The banks could not get 'in their own notes, and they would not deposit the gold now in their vaults, because they would want to keep it. They would resort either to silver or to legal tenders. Now, the total amount of silver dollars and of silver certificates in actual circulation in the country is about \$135,000,000, of gold about \$20,000,000, and the entire issue of legal tenders is only about \$346,000,000, making no allowance for notes lost or destroyed. Consequently, in order to withdraw their pledged bonds, the banks would have to annihilate \$300,000,000 out of the existing \$800,000,000 of national circulating medium. What the premium on the bonds would be after this catastrophe, and what they would sell for, it is not necessary to demonstrate. They simply could not be sold at all, for there would not be enough money left to buy them with. Gold, according to Senator McPherson, would mostly be either hoarded or exported, and only \$500,000,000 of gold, silver, and paper money together would remain for the business wants of 60,000,000 people.

Supposing, therefore, the Presidents and directors of the national banks to possess the smallest possible amount of common sense, they will not even attempt to do what Senator McPherson threatens on their behalf. But experience shows that this is by no means a safe assumption. There is no measuring the depth of the stupidity nor the wildness of the insanity that may possess a bank manager's mind when he fancies that he sees an impending pecuniary loss. We have only to recall the utterly senseless panic that took hold of the fraternity in February, 1851, when the Carlisle Funding bill was on its passage. The entire country was thrown into a financial spasm because certain thick-headed bank Presidents feared that the bill would compel them to buy at par a 3 per cent bond, which in less than six months they were all scrambling for at a premium! They began surrendering their bonds and withdrawing their circulation, just as Senator McPherson predicts they will do now, and with no better reason. Besides, the Senator did not make his speech until after he had consulted with leading bank men, and it is more than probable that he speaks upon authority.

Forewarned is forearmed. In view of the possibility which Senator McPherson has so frankly revealed, of a conspiracy on the part of the national banks against the people, no time should be lost in repining their circulating notes

with silver and with additional legal tender notes if necessary. The first step is to carry out the Sinking Fund act, according to Senator Beck's resolution. That resolution ought to be passed at once, and compliance with it enforced by all the power of Congress. This, of itself, would lead to the cancellation of the bonds upon which some \$30,000,000 of national bank currency is based, and the substitution for it of an equal amount of United States coin or coin certificates. Following this measure should be one providing for an issue of national money to take the place of the remaining bank circulation, and a repeal of the law authorizing such circulation. We should thus rescue the country from the clutches of a greedy and foolish horde of bank officials who, in their mad pursuit of percentages, are capable of ruining both themselves and the rest of the community.—N. Y. Sun.

A Product of the Civil Service Law. WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Oliver P. Burger of Quincy, Ill., who was appointed to a \$1,000 clerkship in the Registry Division of the Post-office Department in September last under the civil service rules, was summarily dismissed the service by the Postmaster-General this morning. Soon after Burger entered upon his duties he prepared a postal circular, which he has been distributing throughout the country, principally among school teachers, in which he sets forth that the Government offers employment at a remunerative salary to those who are qualified to enter its service, and concludes as follows: "A pamphlet has been carefully prepared by the undersigned giving full instructions and useful suggestions to those who desire to take the examination, and will be sent by return mail to any address on receipt of 50 cents in postage stamps." The department officials say that the statements contained in the circular are purposely and grossly misleading as to the clerical needs of the Government, and are made for the sole purpose of obtaining purchasers for his pamphlet.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Craven County, Summons. Ed Barrow vs. Margaret Barrow, Divorce. Margaret Barrow, the above named defendant, is hereby notified that a summons was issued in the above named action from the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Craven county, North Carolina, on the 23d day of July, 1885, and the same is returnable on the 12th Monday after the 1st Monday in September, 1885, and the said summons have been returned that the defendant is not to be found in Craven and Craven counties. The said Margaret Barrow will therefore take notice that she is required to appear before the Judge of our Superior Court to be held on the 12th Monday after the 1st Monday in March, and answer or demur to the complaint.

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