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**NEW YORK SOLID FOR UNDERWOOD**  
Varner Says Northern Democrats Want Him For President.  
**BEST QUALIFIED CANDIDATE.**  
No Prejudice in the North Against the Nomination of a Southerner, as Shown by Justice White's Elevation to the Supreme Court of the United States.  
"New York is practically solid for Representative Underwood for the Democratic nomination for the presidency, and if the south will show the north that a southern man should be nominated there is little doubt in my mind that the Empire State will send an Underwood delegation to Baltimore, N. C., at the Raleigh yesterday."  
Mr. Varner has just returned from a business trip to New York, where he talked with a number of prominent people who are in a position to know the sentiment in that section of the country.  
"While in the north I talked with men from New York, Massachusetts, Vermont and New Hampshire," said Mr. Varner. "Underwood is conceded by all to be the best qualified man of any of the candidates so far mentioned. Northern men do not raise the question that a southern man cannot be nominated and elected to the presidency. Chief Justice White of the United States supreme court is not only a southern man, but served as a Confederate soldier. This to my mind is conclusive evidence that no one questions the ability and fitness of the southern man for the high office of president of the United States."  
Mr. Varner is very much pleased with the situation in North Carolina. He states that he is in receipt of hundreds of letters daily from men pledging their support to Mr. Underwood. He says that all the other candidates have friends in the state, but the large majority of them believe Mr. Underwood is the better man and would have a better chance of election than any other candidate now in the field.—Washington Post.

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**TRAVELING MEN FOR UNDERWOOD**  
Cashman Changes From Wilson to the House Leader.  
**THE LOGICAL CANDIDATE.**  
Well Known Atlanta Member of T. P. A. Tells of Remarkable Amount of Underwood Enthusiasm He Meets on His Trips Through the State—Predicts Underwood Sweep in Georgia.  
Perhaps no member of the T. P. A. in Georgia is more generally known than P. C. Cashman of Atlanta. For many years Mr. Cashman has been one of the leading spirits of the T. P. A. organization in this state, having been prominently connected with local and state organizations. He was also editor and publisher of the Southern T. P. A. Journal.  
Mr. Cashman is a traveler who travels and who observes things as he goes, and he has an interesting way of telling it. He is manager of the traveling salesmen's department of the Southern Saw works of Atlanta.  
Leaves Wilson For Underwood.  
To a Constitution man he was telling of the result of his observations on the presidential situation with reference to the Democratic nomination, and he said:  
"I started out in this campaign thinking I was for Woodrow Wilson for president, but now that Oscar Underwood, the son of our sister state, has got into the race I have changed my mind, and I am going to support him with all my heart and soul."  
Underwood Strong in Georgia.  
"More than that," continued Mr. Cashman, "this sentiment seems to prevail everywhere I have been during the past few weeks. I have never seen anything like it, and if Underwood does not sweep Georgia, just as he has already swept Alabama, I will be very much surprised."  
"The truth is," continued Mr. Cashman, "now that Mr. Underwood has been forced into the contest by the very logic of the situation, there is absolutely nothing for the south to do but to stand by him, for if he is not nominated it can be for no other possible reason than that he is a southern man. Thus if he is penalized it will be the whole south that is punished, and it is not like the south to join in the slapping of its own face."  
The Logical Leader.  
"As the leader of the Democratic house and as the author of the Underwood tariff bills, which have effected the main issue this year, he is naturally the man to lead the party in the national campaign, just as he was the man to lead the majority in getting these bills through the house."  
"In what sort of a position would the south put itself if, after these bills are passed and the Republicans begin to attack them, we should say that we cannot join the father of the bills to the front as their champion BECAUSE HE IS A SOUTHERN MAN? It would be a humiliating confession, and I for one do not believe the people of Georgia are willing to make it."  
"If the Underwood bills are right, then Underwood was right in putting them through the house, and if he was right when leading the fight for them on the floor of the house he is the right man to meet the attack against them in the forum of the nation."  
Principle Nominated McKinley.  
"It is that very thing that gave William McKinley the Republican nomination for president. He was the author of the McKinley bill, and he was the man who had to defend that bill before the people in the national campaign that failed. The Republicans put him in the position where he could lead the fight before the nation, just as he had done in the house. Now the same thing is exactly true of Oscar Underwood, and if, as the Constitution has so often said, Underwood came from any state north of the Ohio river there would not today be a single name mentioned against him for the Democratic nomination."  
"I am tired of such humiliating sectional abasement, and the strangest part of the whole thing is that you never hear this kind of an argument in the north. You have to come south to get it."  
"While the T. P. A. is not in politics, and while I am not, of course, authorized to speak for anybody but myself, I can say that I have met any number of my brothers on the road who take exactly the same position. It certainly looks to me as if there is an Underwood fire all through Georgia, and that it is sweeping everything before it."—The Constitution, Atlanta, Ga.

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**UNDERWOOD BRIEFS.**  
Mr. Underwood may not get the Democratic nomination for president, but there is no denying the fact that he is making easy sailing for the man who does. His leadership during the present session of congress has demonstrated his fitness to hold any office within the gift of the people.—Laurel Argus.  
If the thinking men of this country, the middle class, who make up the great majority, will stop to think they will come to the conclusion that Oscar Underwood more nearly represents their beliefs than any man who is before the people at this time as a presidential candidate.—Farmington Valley (Conn.) Herald.  
Oscar Underwood, who is being very prominently mentioned for the Democratic nomination for the presidency, declares, "If I could aid in writing on the statute books laws that would equalize the burden of taxation, make the wealth of this country carry its fair share of the taxes to support our government and lift from the backs of the masses of the people the inequitable load of taxes they are compelled to carry, due to the fact that our taxes are levied on consumption and not on wealth, I should accomplish a vast deal of good for the American people." That's a noble sentiment, to be sure, and one that does credit to Mr. Underwood's heart and head.—Staff, Johnson City, Tenn.

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I could forget the just deserts Of mine own sins, and so erase The tear that burns, the smile that hurts, And all that mars and masks my face. For your fair sake I could forget The bonds of life that chafe & fret, Nor care if death were false or true. What could I not forget for you?

**NOW I LAY ME DOWN TO SLEEP.**  
BY KATHARINE DANGERFIELD.  
The day was done, and I was sitting Dreaming in the fading light When I heard a small voice tell me: "Mamma, me is tired to-night; Me is tired of all day playin'— Put my soldiers all away; Tell the pussy 'at me's sleepy But to-morrow me will play."  
On my lap he climbed and nestled, Laid head upon my breast, Said he loved his small gray pussy But he loved his mamma best; Then I sang a bylo-baby, Gave him to the Angels' keep And he went to dreamland saying, "Now I lay me down to sleep."  
"Now I lay me down to sleep," Said the baby on my knee; "Pray the Lord my soul to keep, He repeated after me; "Should I die before I wake," Little eyes were closing fast; "Pray the Lord my soul to take," Said the little boy at last.  
Just a week and I was kneeling, Stricken, in the fading light When I heard a faint voice whisper: "Mamma, me is tired to-night; Me is tired of all day sleepin' An' me wants a little play, Bring my soldiers an' the pussy— Don't you let her run away."  
**LOVE YOUR ENEMIES.**  
The call from the great teacher to love even enemies is really a call to get acquainted with folks as they really are.—Rev. A. G. Singen.  
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A Cleveland lawyer tells how, during a trial, one of the jurors suddenly rose from his seat and fled from the court-room. He was, however, arrested in his flight before he had left the building, and brought back.  
"I should like to know what you mean by such an action as this," demanded the judge, in a lenient tone, however, as he knew the man, an elderly German, to be a simple, straight-forward person.  
"Vell, your honor, I will explain," said the juror. "Ven Mr. Jones finished mit his talking, my mind was clear all through, but ven Mr. Smith begins his talking I becomes all confused again already, and I says to myself, 'I better leave at vonce, and stay away until he is done,' because, your honor, to tell the truth, I didn't like der vey der argument was going."  
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