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"LAWLESSNESS WALKED THE STATE LIKE A PESTILENCE."

GOVERNOR AYCOCK STATED IN HIS INAUGURAL ADDRESS THAT UNDER, AND THEREFORE BY IMPLICATION IN CONSEQUENCE OF, FUSION RULE "LAWLESSNESS WALKED THE STATE LIKE A PESTILENCE, CRIME STALKED ABOARD AT NOONDAY, SLEEP LAY DOWN WITH ALARM AND THE SOUND OF THE PISTOL WAS MORE FREQUENT THAN THE SONG OF THE MOCKING BIRD."

HOW STANDS THE CASE TO-DAY GOVERNOR? HAVEN'T THE ACTS OF THREE RED SHIRT LEGISLATURES AND MORE THAN TWO YEARS OF YOUR OWN BENEFICENT RULE PASSED INTO HISTORY SINCE YOU PROCLAIMED THE FOREGOING? WHEN YOU ARE CAVORTING OVER THE STATE WHOOPING FOR EDUCATION AND ROADS DON'T YOU HEAR OF MORE CRIMES BEING COMMITTED IN NORTH CAROLINA THAN EVER BEFORE AND DO YOU CONTINUE TO ATTRIBUTE THESE TO FUSION RULE?

WALTER CLARK, CHIEF JUSTICE  
The Charlotte News referring to the Finch-McBee "Conspiracy" in connection with the A. & N. C. receivership says:  
"If the case goes against them they can appeal to the Supreme Court Walter Clark, Chief Justice." Well suppose the case should be decided against these gentlemen in the Wake county court and the case be appealed to the Supreme Court. Then the Charlotte News implies that Chief Justice Clark would decide against these gentlemen without regard to the evidence in the case. This is an insinuation that we would think Judge Clark would resent. Even if the case is appealed to the Supreme Court Judge Clark cannot sit upon the case, so the editor of the Charlotte News had better read up and come again.

The following clipping is a part of an editorial that appeared in the Raleigh News and Observer last week:  
"A party that will steal from its own members cannot be trusted to be honest with other folks."  
Yes that is why we are afraid to trust the democratic machine, and why the voters should overthrow this old machine and put a crowd in that would run the government in the interest of the people.

The Simmon's machine could not even treat one of their leaders, Julian S. Carr, fair when he wanted to be Senator instead of Simmon's. It was alright for him to "shell out the coin" in every campaign to help elect other democratic officials, but when he wanted reward for all the money he furnished the crowd, they told him to depart they knew him not and they cinched the matters at the democratic primaries.

A "SORROWFUL EXHIBITION".  
Senator Simmons made a "sorrowful exhibition" of himself in the United States Senate on last Friday according to the Washington Post. See an extract from the Post of last Sunday in another column of this issue. Senator Beveridge made him ridiculous, and prominent Southern people are ashamed of the result.

Since the southern democrats have become discouraged over the prospect of ever electing another president, they have become very much dissatisfied because a republican president does not let them to name the persons who shall hold the federal positions. Now isn't that the cheek of a brass-monkey

WHO IS RESPONSIBLE?  
The Wilmington Star is credited with the following:  
"As long as we lynch in the South and furthermore draw shot guns and shoot each other to death on the streets, we are wasting time in establishing immigration bureaus. People will be deterred from immigrating to a State where a big murder record is made, year in and year out."

The above must have been a hit at Senator Simmons's proposed immigration bureau, but it is quite singular that a democratic paper should be so frank, in view of the fact that the so called "good government" regime are in control of the affairs of the state. If the fusionists were responsible for the crimes committed in the State during their rule, as Governor Aycock said they were, who is responsible for this great increase in crime since the democrats have been in control?

The following appeared in the Washington Post of last Monday:  
St. Louis Advocate: The Washington Post laughs at the Republicans because they are "all getting into the band wagon." And an enterprising brother remarks that the trouble with the Democrats is that they haven't any to get into.

No one can vote in the coming November election unless he pays his poll tax on or before the first day of May, 1904. Let every voter who is opposed to the present democratic administration pay his poll tax before May 1st and cast his vote for good government.

The grand jury of Wake County court last week recommended that a coat of whitewash be provided for the inside of the court-house. Who would be the proper authority to recommend "whitewash" for some of the offices in the State Capitol?

It is said that in Japan the inhabitants build their kitchens in front of their houses. In some respects this reminds us of our State Capitol just at present—the "kitchen cabinet" seems to be in front.

A prominent business man informs us that there are five soliciting freight agents in Goldsboro for the A. & N. C. Road drawing \$50. per month each. Why this great expense when there is no competing line?

Senator Simmons wants to take a look at the books of the post office department. We do not suppose any one would object if they had the time to show him. But why not come down and take a look at the books of the A. & N. C. Railroad under democratic government.

A cablegram states that the Russians are "anxious, irresolute, and a little nervous." That is bad, but the Democratic party over on this side of the water is down with the same disease.

The yellow Jacket takes the following view of the Democratic squabble:  
"Every Democrat in the country is doing his best to prove that every other Democrat is 'disloyal.' And it begins to look like they are all going to prove it on each other, too."

DID NOT LIKE JUDGE PEEBLES.  
The Robeson county bar last week refused to have their cases tried before Judge Peebles.

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### EDITOR THE CAUCASIAN:

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It appears of record that the mullet road was not satisfied with the prosperity of their system but found it desirable and convenient to embark in the hotel business. A La Round Knob Otto Wilson. This railroad could not only haul people to the hotel free but command free grub at the hotel for their joint guests, on the principle that if one industry did not pay the other industry should not pay, and the motto let it all go to ruin together.

Such small concerns as the Seaboard, Southern and Coast Line systems are content with a section box for every ten miles of road and law vers along the route but the great big prosperous mullet road requires the services of no less than thirty-four lawyers located all over the State from the mountains to the sea and embracing every species of Democratic politician from Senator and Congressman to Solicitor or public prosecutor and yet this mullet road is only 95 miles long from Goldsboro to Morehead, giving a lawyer for every 2 27-34 mile of iron. Two U. S. Senators, three Congressmen two State Solicitors, one candidate for Governor (Green) the Governor's Private Secretary and one lawyer book-agent from away back yonder in Swain County (Ray) form a part of the afore-said Democratic legal machine that has been working the road into a gulf-stream sickness nigh to death and only eight of them live on the route. It is doubtful if some of the counsels even saw the railroad before they got a free pass.

How is it that at the end of every gubernatorial term desperate efforts are made to get control of something belonging to the State notably to railroad interests.

## AWAKE.

Patience—I always think of all the mean things I have said during the day before I fall asleep at night. Patience—Gracious! Do you stay awake as long as that?—Yonkers Statesman.

## THE REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

Called to Meet in Greensboro on May 18th at Noon.

Asheville N. C., Mar. 29th, '04.  
At a meeting of the Republican State Executive Committee, held in the city of Greensboro, N. C., on February 5th, 1904, the State Convention of the Republican party was called to meet at Greensboro, N. C., on May, 18th, 1904, at noon, to nominate candidates for Governor and other State officers, two Associate Justices of the Supreme Court, and two presidential electors at large, and to elect four delegates and four alternates at large to the National Republican Convention, to be held in Chicago, June 21st, 1904 and to transact such other business as may properly come before said convention.

The Republican organizations of the various counties are requested to call a convention of the Republics of their respective counties, (if they have not already done so), and elect delegates and alternates to the said State Convention, in accordance with the plan of organization adopted by the last State Convention. Each county is entitled to one delegate and one alternate for every 100 votes or fractional part thereof, cast for the candidate of the Republican party for Governor at the last general election.

All persons who believe in the continuance of the present prosperous condition of the country, who believe in a clean and economical administration of National, State and County affairs, who believe in sound money and protection, and who are in favor of honest elections in North Carolina, and all persons who are opposed to Bryanism and Hearstism, who are opposed to the extravagance of the last legislature, who are opposed to the present high and burdensome rate of taxation, and who are opposed to class legislation, are cordially invited to participate in our Conventions.

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## "MADE MINCEMENT OF SENATOR SIMMONS".

Ashamed of the "Sorrowful Exhibition" Made by Simmons in Debate With Senator Beveridge.

Under the head of the "People interviewed in Hotel Lobbies" The Washington Post on last Sunday says:  
"As a Southerner and a Democrat, I was pained at the way Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, made mincemeat out of Senator Simmons, of North Carolina, on the floor of the Senate last Friday," said Mr. Reuben F. Telfair, of Macon, Miss., at the Riggs House.

"The exhibition was as interesting as it was sorrowful. All the way through Mr. Simmons labored heavily to defend himself against his opponent, but the Hoosier was merciless in his results, and the North Carolina man went down in crushing defeat. This duel was a sad commentary on the Democratic position, and herein was Mr. Simmons' real weakness. Conscious that his party is demoralized, disorganized, rent with factional strife, and floundering about in the ocean of politics without chart or rudder, it was beyond his capacity to make adequate reply to the cunning verbal thrusts of his tormentor.

"Certainly, Mr. Simmons did his best, but it is hoped that when the next such political combat happens in that arena the Democrats will pick a better equipped gladiator to represent them."

## Frost Kills Truck.

Wilmington, N. C., April 5—Reports received here today indicate very heavy damage to the vegetable crop in this section by the frost this morning.

## Keep Hustling.

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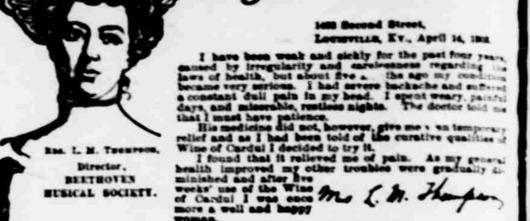
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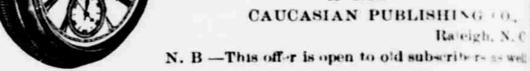
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