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### OXFORD PUBLIC LEDGER.

JOHN T. BRITT, OWNER AND EDITOR. THURSDAY, - - - MAY 1, 1902.

None can deny that the proposed Candy Trust will naturally be "just too sweet for anything."

Dr. Talmage was not only a good preacher but a good financier. He left an estate valued at \$300,000.

Al, ha! Ex-Congressman John W. Atwater, of Chatham county, who announced some time ago his fealty to Republicanism, comes out as an independent candidate for Congress in the Fourth District.

The Charlotte Observer says, there is naturally much comment upon the manner in which Representative W. W. Kitchen, of Fifth District warmed the jacket of Representative Blackburn, of "de ate," in their debate in the House Monday. He certainly made a clean job of it.

A Sioux City bank has a night watch in whom it has implicit reliance. He has withstood numerous attempts to turn him from the line of duty. He has never been caught napping and has an eye to business. In the day time he is amiable and sociable, but when turned into the bank at night he draws the line and crossing that means biting and blood. He is a bull dog.

And now, if we are to follow the lead of a Western professor, we must no longer believe in the beautiful symbolism of the wedding ring, which has been accepted as meaning fidelity without end. Last week the aforesaid professor declared it to be a representative of the manacle by which in earlier ages the master led away the slave. He called it "a barbaric tradition that fills no function whatever in this modern 20th century."

For the first time in many years the Democrats in Congress have the Republican majority on the defensive. They have but to stand to their guns to win an important victory for the party and for the country. It is plain to all that the nation is ripe for revolt against the policy of exclusiveness and favoritism embodied in the Dingley tariff. The vote on Cuban reciprocity bill has forced the issue. The Republican Senate must choose between duty to Cuba and subservience to the Sugar Trust.

The News and Observer says that rich and powerful organization, the Imperial Tobacco Company of Great Britain and Ireland, is a strong, determined and active competitor of the American Tobacco Company. It comes boldly into North Carolina, home of bright tobacco culture, and announces that its general State headquarters will be at Raleigh. This will be pleasing news to the tobacco farmers of the State, and the fact that the American managers of the company have decided to make Raleigh the North Carolina headquarters will be most gratifying news to all of our citizens as it means higher prices for the weed.

Brother Robinson, of the Durham Sun, is right in saying that every newspaper treasures up in its memory the names of its friends and likewise its enemies. It seldom overlooks an opportunity to assist the former, but never goes out of its way to help the latter. Human nature is pretty much the same elsewhere. People who show the newspaper man kindness never make a better investing moment or one that more surely pays a hundred fold sooner or later. As it has been truly said, there comes a time in the life of every man when he needs his home paper, and needs it badly.

We learn from the Washington dispatches the Winston and Greensboro Public building appropriations will not be allowed but will for the erection of one at Durham. Several members of the committee, including Chairman Mercer, regarded the claims of Greensboro as more meritorious and legitimate, but in deference to the wishes of Mr. W. W. Kitchen, who represents the district concerned, the committee will allow the Durham appropriation. Of course the Greensboro people will raise a howl, but we think Durham is justly entitled to it, as she pays more taxes to the government than any other town in North Carolina.

### CRYING EVIL IN NORTH CAROLINA.

We are glad to see the News & Observer refer to what has become a real crying evil in this State and our Judges are responsible for it. It says if the Superior Court Judges, mayors and all the magistrates in North Carolina would do their duty the school term in the State could be increased one month during the coming school year. Referring to the present term of Cleveland court, the Shelby Star says: "The last term of court was a cash in advance session and as a result \$400 or \$500 will be turned into the public school fund of the county by Captain Hoyle, the genetal clerk of the court."

The crying evil in North Carolina in connection with the administration of justice, is the too frequent error, "Judgment suspended on payment of costs." Of course that entry is a proper judgment in some cases, but it is being abused. Too many people are permitted to escape on the payment of costs who ought to pay a large fine also to the school fund. The action of the Cleveland court ought to be duplicated in every county in the State, adding more or less to the school fund.

### THE ENEMY AFTER JUDGE CLARK.

The editor along with the other editors received Major J. W. Wilson's lengthy letter containing fourteen charges against Judge Walter Clark. Major Wilson in the first part of his charge, and let the public judge of the matter. Let's have the proof. There has been enough of mysterious talk about Judge Clark. Maj. Wilson is a patriotic old North Carolinian, but he shows quite plainly that he has a personal grievance, and if he can show more improper conduct on the part of Judge Clark as a judge than his own in accepting special favors from the railroads while he was holding the office of Railroad Commissioner, we will join him in opposing his nomination.

Goldsborg Argus. The editor of the Argus is in receipt of a communication signed by Major J. W. Wilson, formerly a member of the Railroad Commission of the State attacking Judge Walter Clark of the Supreme Court Bench. He embodies in his communication 14 charges seriously reflecting upon Judge Clark, and says that he has proof of each charge, and that if Judge Clark is nominated by the Democratic convention, these proofs will be scattered broadcast over North Carolina.

He furnishes no proofs himself, and he professes to be writing in the interest of the Democratic party. [As he is such a staunch friend of Southern Railway wonder if he did not vote for McKinley along with the so-called true "Commercial Democrats?"]

If his motives are purely patriotic and in the interest of the Democratic party it would seem that he ought to furnish the proofs now, in order that the party may have the opportunity of passing upon them before State convention meets, and certainly if he is not willing to do this, and prefers to wait until the convention to attack a nominee he should not expect to be listened to by the party as a Democrat.

The voters of the Democratic party will not be content to drive from public service upon charges a man whose life has been so useful to the State as has been the life of the gifted Judge Clark, without something more than bare assertion, and the Democratic voters are capable of hearing and passing upon the proofs. Major Wilson says in his communication that "deserters are never placed in command," and still he seems to threaten that if his wishes are not allowed, and if Judge Clark should be nominated, he will lead an attack upon Judge Clark as the Democratic nominee.

### VIOLENT ATTACK ON JUDGE CLARK.

The Raleigh Times says that Major James W. Wilson, Ex-Railroad Commissioner, of Weldon, has just sent out to the Democratic papers of the State a lengthy address "to the Democrats of North Carolina," in which he violently attacks Justice Walter Clark, both in his political and private character. The first part of the letter is devoted to a contention that Justice Clark is not a Democrat, that he was the confidential adviser of Butler, Russell and other Fusion leaders during that regime, and wrote for the Caucasian, and concludes this part by saying, "I have seen deserters and traitors shot, I have seen them pardoned and restored to the ranks, but I have never seen or heard of one who was put in command of an army. The experiment, if made, will prove as disastrous in politics as in war." The second portion is personal and contends that he is unfit for the bench. He accuses Justice Clark of writing for Gov. Russell a paper giving reasons for removing the Wilsons as Railroad Commissioners and afterwards writing the opinion of the court in the case; instigating actions that later came before him. He closes with an appeal to Gov. Aycock and Senator Simmons to act, declaring that the nomination means Democratic defeat. Major Wilson states at the outset that "personal injustice" lead him to make his investigation.

It is well known that influences are openly making a bitter fight upon Justice Clark and are doing all in their power to prevent his nomination for Chief Justice. However, no one seems to know yet of any candidate against him. Judge Clark has the support of a very large element of the party and a majority of the Democratic press that have taken sides in the matter seems for him. The argument used by the many of Judge Clark's friends is his high ability, service to the State and that he has stood alone on the Supreme court bench for two years upholding the acts of the Democratic Legislature, (that don't look like he is a traitor to his party) while the other members of the court were of opposite political parties. The principal subject for political gossip now is the nomination of candidates for the Supreme Court bench by the Democratic Convention in July. Judge Clark is the only known candidate for Chief Justice, but certainly has opposition.

### Comments of True Democratic Papers.

Goldsborg, April 24.—Dr. Cy Thompson arrived in the city last night and when interviewed as to Wilson-Clark episode said that Judge Walter Clark did not ask him (Thompson) to see Governor Russell on the train coming to Goldsborg and ask for the appointment of Judge Clark as Chief Justice, and as a matter of fact he (Thompson) did not come to Goldsborg to attend Judge Faircloth's funeral. From this it would seem that charge No. 11 made by Major Wilson against Judge Clark is without foundation.

Rockingham Anglo-Saxon. And now Major J. W. Wilson is out after Judge Clark's scalp. We have received from him an 8 page pamphlet attacking him upon the grounds of his party loyalty and his moral fitness for the position because, as he

alleges, he has inspired cases and expressed opinions in cases which were to come before him. He says he has proof of these charges if they are denied, and it occurs to us that he should send his proof along with the charge, and let the public judge of the matter. Let's have the proof. There has been enough of mysterious talk about Judge Clark. Maj. Wilson is a patriotic old North Carolinian, but he shows quite plainly that he has a personal grievance, and if he can show more improper conduct on the part of Judge Clark as a judge than his own in accepting special favors from the railroads while he was holding the office of Railroad Commissioner, we will join him in opposing his nomination.

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In what class does he place himself? The Democratic party desires to nominate men of ability and character, and it is willing to listen to the advice and admonition of any of its members, but surely it cannot be expected to follow the wishes of those who seek to intimidate and threaten. Does Major Wilson mean, in his article, that he will not support Judge Clark if he is nominated by a Democratic convention, and will the opponents of Judge Clark in the State follow this policy?

If this is correct party policy, and an example of party loyalty, then there is no binding force in party primaries and party conventions. We again say that it is the duty of Major Wilson to present to the voters of this State his proofs, and if they are satisfactory and show that Judge Clark ought not to be nominated, the Democratic party will not nominate him, but if the voters deem insufficient and Judge Clark is nominated we submit that it will be the duty of Major Wilson to support him as the nominee of the party.

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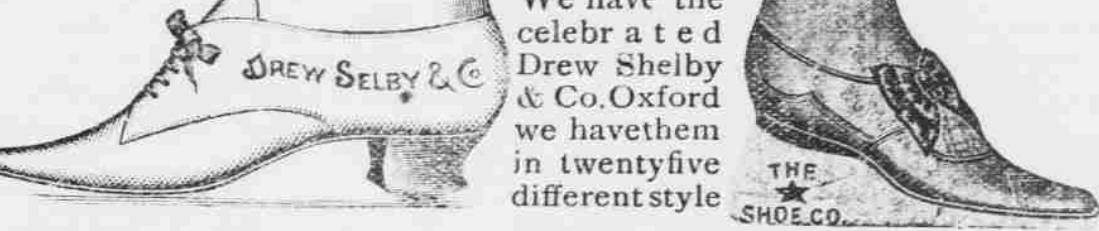
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