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### KITCHIN FOR GOVERNOR.

"The Unterrified and Undeified with One Acclaim Yell, "Not this Man But Bill Kitchin".

From Cor. of News and Observer.

To the Editor; The people of Cleveland, the county of my residence and adoption, have no charges to prefer against Hon. Locke Craig, of the West, nor Hon. Ashley Horne, of the East.

We concede their ability, their party loyalty and intrinsic merit.

Your writer is not vested with power to exalt a mortal to the skies and still prays deliverance from a spirit that would drag an angel down.

While we expect to cheerfully support the nominee, we must make a choice among three good men; and in the language, or language of the present, there are others.

Some rush into the breach with the cry for a chosen candidate that he has been loyal in season and out of season and never held an office with emoluments thereof.

Could a man throw a rock in the Democratic party in North Carolina and not hit an available man who has never been honored?

For twenty-nine years your Uncle, who guides this good gray goose quill, has been on the firing line, voting early and often, writing and speaking for the party that the illustrious Vance declared immortal, and no office, no hope of office, and better yet, no desire for any place or plum of honor of emolument.

And he sees among the cohorts of this grand aggregation of militant Democrats in North Carolina, thousands of men much abler, much better equipped and fully as patriotic as himself, who will continue to heed the call of their country as the voice of God, willing to stand in the rifle trenches in time of war and exercise the rights of a yeoman under the beneficent sway of brooding peace.

Then as to location, it matters not whether a man hails from East West or South. The accident of birth or residence is foreign to consideration. All to be considered is the matter of loyalty, ability and availability.

But if anybody wants to consider location let us consider the claims of W. W. Kitchin.

When the blighting effects of Fusion rule wrought humiliation in the stricken East, did it not take men of heroic mould to redeem our fair Commonwealth and were not the Kitchin family, father and sons heroes in the struggle? With an insolent and untutored race in power, who struck more valorous blows than W. W. Kitchin? When did his State ever call in vain? While others halted between two opinions he has rung clear on all questions and like Saul, son of Kish, he towered among his fellows, and his call to the hosts of Democracy has been inspiring as a bugle blast of highland Rhoderic Dhu to his bonneted clans.

Therefore, the rich, naked, the toil-hardened and sun-browned; yea, the unterrified and undeified, with one acclaim yell; "Not this man, but Bill Kitchin!"

Political cliques and court house rings don't swerve our crowd, for like men like leader.

Our leader and favorite stands among men as one who cannot be awed by great or mighty corporations, and he stands unsullied by the heelers and minions of graft and their crafty machinations. All the men in the King's army cannot frighten him and all the money in the King's exchequer cannot buy him.

As to his being in Congress ten years, that will the better equip him for the important duties of the gubernatorial office.

Two great Governors we have had, one of whom is incumbent. His greatness consists largely in his moving eloquence, his inflexible firmness, and his unquailing courage.

When his term of office closes.

we need, as his successor, one who can consummate the great problems now pending, and can meet those the exigencies of the times may evolve.

His successor could be patriotic and not have courage, and he could be brave as Julius Ceasar, patriotic as the sweet singer of captive Israel and oet lack statesmanship.

In the person of His Excellency, Robert Broadnax Glenn; you behold this grand combination, and in the man on whom shall fall his descending mantle you behold his other self in courage, eloquence and statesmanship—W. W. Kitchin is the man.

All he has to do is let Polkville N. C., know how many are necessary to elect.

As goes Polkville, so goes North Carolina, and it certainly swings the rest of Cleveland county into line.

Some day when "Bill Kitchin" as our electors call him, feels like talking to friends and supporters in whom there is no variableness nor shadow of turning, let him come over and sound the loud timbered o'er his patriotic heart, and when he sees his militant hosts, of friend "Twill be worth ten years of peaceful life. One glance at their array."

M. L. WHITE.

Lattimore, N. C., Aug. 27, 1907.

### SCANDAL FACES A DEPARTMENT.

Three Desks Unused, Are Kept to Give Impression of Great Rush of Business—Much Available Space May Save Thousands.

Washington, Aug. 30.—Because the experts appointed by Secretary of the Interior Garfield to investigate the business methods in his department drifted into the pension office and found 300 vacant desks that were kept there presumably to give the impression of there being a great rush of business in the office, the department now faces the certainty of one of the greatest upheavals ever known in Washington's governmental history.

According to the estimates of the government and outside experts the reform in the personnel and business methods of the department will save the government more than \$200,000 per annum.

By changes that will be made in the methods of the pension office alone it is claimed, \$150,000 will be saved annually. Also the \$8,000 which the government now pays for rental of a building for the patent office models will be saved because these models will be stored in the pension office-building. So much available space was found in the pension office that, in addition to all this, one of the biggest bureaus of the department will be moved into the structure occupied by the pension office.

### To the Public.

Having bought the junk business of Pass & Moore, we are prepared to buy, and pay the highest market price for old scrap iron, brass, copper lead and rubber delivered at our shop in Roxboro. When you come to town bring us what old iron, rubber or brass you have on your arm.

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