

Straightout State Ticket.

- FOR GOVERNOR: A. C. HASKELL, of Richland. FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR: W. D. JOHNSON, of Marion. FOR SECRETARY OF STATE: EDWIN HARPER, of Williamsburg. FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL: JOS. W. BARNWELL, of Charleston. FOR STATE TREASURER: W. A. ANCRUM, of Kershaw. FOR COMPTROLLER: EDMUND BACON, of Spartanburg. FOR ADJUTANT GENERAL: R. N. RICHBOURG, of Richland. SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION: E. B. RAGSDALE, of Fairfield. County Ticket. FOR PRABATE JUDGE: T. H. SPAIN. FOR SCHOOL COMMISSIONER: W. H. EVANS. FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS: W. W. MCKENZIE, A. A. GANDY, C. R. KING.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat says: "Tillman, the Alliance Democratic candidate for Governor of South Carolina, is one of the men who is responsible for all the Congressional legislation against the South which has ever been proposed. In threatening, as he has often done recently, that all the negroes who attempt to vote this year in South Carolina will be shot, he makes force bills seem statesmanlike and necessary."

Nobody Frightened.

The threats and denunciations made by Mr. Tillman and his supporters are absurd and undignified and only serve to show the weakness of their cause. There is no reason why the election should not be perfectly peaceable and quiet and if it is otherwise Mr. Tillman will be responsible for any violence or bloodshed that may result. Rage and fame as they may, it will not deprive Judge Haskell of a single vote of those who are only contending for principle and striving to maintain the purity of the Democratic party; believing as they do that if Mr. Tillman is elected without protest, the condition of the party will be infinitely worse two years hence than it now is.

His Eyes May Be Opened.

Tillman, in an interview at Spartanburg the other day, claimed that he would get from 90 to 95 per cent of the white vote of the State and that he would be elected by from 30,000 to 50,000 over Haskell. We wonder if the blunderer and slanderer really believes any such nonsense. He ought to know that there are many men in the State who, although they were not in favor of running the Haskell ticket, will now that the ticket is in the field, vote for it. These, in addition to the large number who are in favor of beating Tillman at all hazards and a goodly number of men for whom Tillman has failed to provide places, will make up a great deal more than 5 or 10 per cent of the white voters of the State. It may be that the Captain's eyes will be somewhat opened on election day if they have not already begun to see the light of the tidal wave that is sweeping the State for Haskell.

War Ties Are the Strongest.

We heard on reliable authority the other day that a Tillmanite at Dovesville said he was going to vote for Haskell. He said that he had supported Tillman all along through the campaign, but now that Haskell was in the field he was going to vote for him as he had fought in the war with him. This same war feeling has tremendous weight with many of the older men in the State and they cannot overcome it. They will believe in the Farmers' Movement and all that sort of thing, but war ties will be stronger and they will go to the polls and cast their ballots for A. C. Haskell, as noble and brave a man as the State ever produced. Tillman, on the other hand, pretends to despise war records and points with pride to his record at Ellington. It is possible that he may, in the course of the next ten days, wish that he had had a war record along with a good many other qualities which would have enabled him to become Governor of South Carolina.

The Political Situation.

With the exception of some of Mr. Tillman's adherents, there is no man living for whom the people of South Carolina cherish as much respect and admiration as they do for Wade Hampton; and he deserves all in this way that can possibly be given him. On almost every battle field of Virginia he illustrated the valor and chivalry of South Carolina, and since the war has done more for the peace and prosperity of the State than any of her sons. It was the hope of many that after his outrageous treatment by Mr. Tillman's half crazed followers, he would be silent for the rest of the campaign; and it is a matter of sincere regret that he has announced his determination to support Mr. Tillman, assuming thereby a position that is both unwise and untenable. He has, with a large number of our most intelligent and most honorable citizens, fallen into the strange error that one may support Mr. Tillman and at the same time denounce the man and deny his slanders. A little reflection ought to show the fallacy of his position, for it may be safely asserted that whoever votes for him not only sustains him but endorses his infamous charges. The homely truth, that a man is judged by his acts and not by his belief, cannot be too often repeated and insisted upon at this juncture. Granting that Mr. Tillman is the true nominee of the Democratic party, even then he should not be supported unless it be that we must put party before principle and vote for a man that is utterly unworthy of the position to which he aspires. If Mr. Tillman's charges against the leaders of the party in the State are true, then it is a party of corruption and should no longer have the support of those who think that there ought to be some honor and principle even in politics.

Mr. Tillman has done and is still doing more to furnish the Republican party material for a crusade against the South than any other man in the country, and he could scarcely have done more in this way if he had set out with this deliberate purpose in view. If the Republicans have a majority in the next Congress the Lodge bill will be presented and Mr. Tillman's threats against the colored people will be cited as an argument in favor of the necessity for its passage. What will it avail for our Senators and Representatives to say that this is not the sentiment of our people toward the negro, when they can be taunted with the fact that they voted for Mr. Tillman and if they really did not endorse his utterances they ought to have shown their opposition at the polls? These are serious questions and well deserve the serious reflection of every good citizen, for it has certainly gone beyond the question of party and assumed one that must be settled by conscience.

Mr. Tillman has seen fit to designate Judge Haskell and his supporters as rotten and corrupt, but they won't complain of this as it is but natural that he should judge the purity of other people's motives by his own and it would be unreasonable to expect him to credit another with the possession of something to which he is an entire stranger. To what a pass have we come when our honored Senators ask us to vote for a man that they confess is a demagogue and slanderer, and even the News and Courier, that is regarded by the outside world as the exponent of public opinion in South Carolina, after being smitten on one cheek must needs meekly turn the other and ask Mr. Tillman to smite that also. It is well to remember that it is not the nation that declares war that is responsible for the conflict, but the one that makes the declaration necessary; and as Mr. Tillman, to gratify his personal ends, has tried to bring reproach upon our State, we have accepted the gage of battle and will struggle to the end for the purity and integrity of the Democratic party. Even if Mr. Tillman is elected he need not lay the flattering unction to his soul that he has broken the opposition. Under their chivalrous leader, Alexander C. Haskell, they will stand undismayed and unshaken, immovable as the rock of Gibraltar, and as devoted to duty as the Roman sentinel who perished amid the ruins of Pompeii. They will continue the fight and never lay down their arms until they have driven Mr. Tillman into retirement and until there are none so poor as to do him reverence. Compare the two men, and see the contrast: Tillman, the demagogue and slanderer, breathing words of venom and hate; Haskell, the patriot and christian, pleading for peace and justice. The knightly soul of A. C. Haskell soars far above the foul and murky atmosphere in which Tillman grovels, and when the present generation shall have passed away, when the dark clouds of discord and strife that now overshadow our horizon shall be dispersed by the sunlight of truth, then the name of Haskell will be remembered with reverence and honor, while that of Tillman can only be recalled with the blush of shame.

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