

JOHNSTONE FOR THE SENATE.

Conceded By All That He Will Be In Second Race.

He Has Steadily Gained in the Campaign Now About to Close—Something of the Life of this Remarkable Man, Who, by Ability of Highest Order, Has Forged so Rapidly to the Front.

The purpose of our Democratic primary is to give the people an opportunity to judge for themselves of the character, ability and fitness of those aspiring to position, so that the voter may be able to cast his ballot intelligently.

In the canvass now about to close in the State for the United States Senatorship, there are practically no difference in platform. The question to be decided by the people is that of personal fitness. Who of the six, aspiring to this position, is most capable of representing South Carolina in the United States Senate with credit to himself and honor to his State?

There is no doubt that since the canvass began, George Johnstone, of Newberry, has gained remarkable strength and made most favorable impressions on the voters. In fact it is conceded that all of the candidates, he has gained most, this being admitted on all hands.

It may be well to inquire into the record and to study something of the life of this man, who, by sheer force of character and ability of the highest order, has forged so rapidly to the front.

George Johnstone is a son of the late Chancellor Job Johnstone, whose opinions rank in literary ability and legal erudition with those of the greatest chancellors and judges the State has ever produced.

In 1877 he was elected to the Legislature, in which body he served for eight successive years, retiring voluntarily.

In 1890 he was elected to congress from the Third District. He was chairman of the committee on Privileges and Elections, from which Mr. Crisp was elected speaker, and Mr. Johnstone was one to whom Mr. Crisp looked constantly for assistance.

No man can show a cleaner record. Few can show a more remarkable record. No man has sought more to do what he could in the interest of and for the welfare of his people. In times like these there is a demand for men, not time servers; statesmen, not politicians. There are momentous questions to be settled, and above all do we need men who are able to grapple with these questions in the National Congress, and to do so intelligently and with a wisdom and foresight born of the statesman.

The people of the State are now in the enjoyment of their sober judgment, they are not torn by party strife and factional feeling. The appeal is made to this sober judgment in the selection they will be called upon to make for the highest office in their gift. It is their duty to measure up the candidates by the standard which every true Carolinian should set for such a position; character, fitness, intellect, ability to stand up shoulder to shoulder, arm to arm, hand to hand, intellect to intellect, with any member of that body.

The friends of Col. Johnstone have never considered him a politician, and do not now press his claims on that ground, but rather as a broadminded statesman who is able to grapple with the questions of the day and meet the issues and solve them intelligently; one who has always stood for the people's interests and those principles he believed to be right and just, though for the time they may not have been popular.

In his old congressional district (Third) he received an ovation at each meeting.

In the beginning of this article, it was stated that since the canvass of the State begun, George Johnstone has gained much more rapidly than any of his competitors, and it is absolutely certain that he will be in the

second race with one of them, and that he will lead in the first primary on the 26th.

The following are only a few of the many opinions which have been expressed by the newspapers of the State, and are confirmation of what is said above:

"The man who made the most votes by this trip was Col. George Johnstone of Newberry. Every one fell in love with him, and he made many friends here."—Georgetown Times.

"The self-reliant political faith of Johnstone, clean cut and true to Democratic principles, without fancy trimmings or demagogic catches and withal the conviction that here is a man who would represent South Carolina according to the dictates of his own conscience, rather than the understudy of another, have made a strong impression on the people among whom he has appeared. He is in the front rank of Senatorial possibilities, and there is only bright promise to South Carolina in such a prospect."—Charleston Evening Post.

"Col. George Johnstone from all reports has made a splendid record. His speeches are clear, logical, to the point and easily understood by the people generally."—From the Press.

"The newspapers seem to agree that of all the Senatorial candidates Col. George Johnstone is making the best headway at the meetings. And this is true. Col. Johnstone's speeches are bound to make a fine impression on all who hear them, as they are the utterances of a statesman—one who has gone to the bottom of public questions."—Sumter Herald.

"Not only the newspapers, but the other Senatorial candidates, say that of all their competitors, Col. George Johnstone has made the most headway, and that he is the man that they have individually to beat. In other words, each candidate figures it out that the race lies between himself and Col. Johnstone.

This condition can be explained in but one way. It has been brought about by the sheer ability of the man. Wherever he has appeared he has won distinction. His speeches in some cases have wrung approbation from those who otherwise would have gone over bag and baggage to some other fellow without thinking. Col. Johnstone, as the Herald says, is a statesman—one who has gone to the bottom of public questions. He knows things and if elected to the United States Senate, he would be able at once to take rank with the men in the so-called 'inner circle' of the Senate, composed of such men as Spooner, Platt of Connecticut, Allison and a few others from the Republicans, and welcomed into fellowship by Democrats like Morgan of Alabama, Bacon of Georgia and others.

He is able to place his beloved State, for he does love South Carolina, in the position she has occupied in public life. South Carolina should send statesmen, not politicians, to the United States Senate. Col. Johnstone is a statesman, and an able one at that."—Greenwood Index.

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- Irmo, Wednesday, August 20th. Chapin, Thursday, August 21st. Pine Ridge, Friday, 22d. Lexington, Monday, 25th.

The chairman was instructed to arrange for the distribution of the boxes and tickets.

Women and Jewels.

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The minister sat very still, and the child worked away earnestly. Then she stopped and compared her work with the original and shook her head.

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