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The ballot boxes in the precincts must be located so as to be in view of persons outside the polling place during the time of election. A space or enclosure separate and distinct from that used by the Managers of the State Election, must be raised off or otherwise provided, at each precinct, under direction of the undersigned. But one voter must be allowed to enter any voting place at a time, and no one except the Managers must be allowed to speak to the voter while in the voting place casting his vote. For further instruction see notice of Commissioners of State election. One of the Managers at each precinct named above must call upon the Board of Commissioners for the Federal Election at Anderson S. C. on or after Nov. 1st, 1900, to receive ballot boxes, poll lists and instructions and to be qualified. It is expected for the first named manager to act as Chairman and to call for boxes, etc. W. H. GLENN, CHM., H. H. RUSSELL, E. G. McADAMS, Commissioners of Federal Election. D. C. CARLISLE, Clerk.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

For State and County Officers and for Amendments to State Constitution.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF ANDERSON. NOTICE is hereby given that an election will be held at the several precincts established by law in Anderson County on TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6th, 1900, for the following offices, to-wit: Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney Gen'l., Comptroller Gen'l., Adjt. and Inspector Gen'l., State Treasurer, State Superintendent of Education, one Railroad Commissioner, one Circuit Solicitor, five Representatives in the General Assembly, Supervisor, Sheriff, Clerk of Court, Coroner, County Superintendent of Education, and Solicitor. Pursuant to the Constitution of South Carolina, and the terms of Joint Resolutions Nos. 340 and 341, approved Feb. 19th, A. D. 1900, (Acts of South Carolina, pp. 570 and 571,) an election will also be held at the same time and place for amendments to the Constitution of South Carolina, as follows: Amend Section 7, of Article VIII, of the Constitution of South Carolina, as follows: Add at the end thereof the following words: "Provided that the limitation imposed by this Section and by Section 5, Article IV, of this Constitution shall not apply to bonded indebtedness incurred by the cities of Columbia, Rock Hill, Charleston and Florence, where the proceeds of said bonds are applied solely for the purchase, establishment, maintenance or increase of water works plant, sewerage system, gas and electric light plants, where the entire revenue arising from the operation of such plants or systems shall be devoted solely and exclusively to the maintenance and operation of the same and where the question of incurring such indebtedness is submitted to the freeholders and qualified voters of such municipality, as provided in the Constitution, upon the question of other bonded indebtedness." Amend the Constitution of South Carolina by adding thereto the following to be known as "Article 1 of Amendments to the Constitution": "The General Assembly shall provide by law for the condemnation, through proper official channels, of all lands necessary for the proper drainage of the swamp and low lands of this State; and shall also provide for the equitable assessment of all lands so drained, for the purpose of paying the expenses of such condemnation and drainage." The said amendments shall be submitted in such a manner that the electors qualified to vote for members of the House of Representatives shall vote for or against each of such amendments separately. Amendments should be on separate tickets. Ballots in favor of the adoption of an amendment should contain the amendment voted upon in full, followed by the word "Yes;" ballots opposed to the adoption of an amendment should contain the amendment voted upon, followed by the word "No." Polls at each voting place will be opened at 7 o'clock a. m. and closed at 4 o'clock p. m. The following named persons have been appointed MANAGERS OF ELECTION for State and County officers, and for Amendments to State Constitution, to-wit: Anderson, S. C., Oct. 13, 1900. The Commissioners of Elections of State and County officers for Anderson County met in the Court House to-day at 10 o'clock a. m. and proceeded to organize by electing E. F. Clark, Chairman and S. W. Payne Clerk. Appointed Managers as follows: Anderson C. H.—J B McGee, T W Norris, Langford Scott. Belton—J T Cox, J G Harris, J P Hunter. Craytonville—D R Simmons, P B Griffin, R L Haynie. Centerville Mills—J W Bowden, John A Stephenson, Andrew McCoy. Pendleton—T H Shanklin, J H Mounce, T W Stevens. Sandy Springs—Ernest Brown, J T McElroy, S C George. Five Forks—C M Robbins, W N Hunt, J N Wilson. King, W H Dacworth, T L Webb. Greenwood—E W Long, W D Colly, A D Mullikin. Williamston—R E Brown, J B Hogg. Honca Path—R L Dagan, W C Branyon, J D Lomax. Clinkscates Mill—J H Pennell, R E Parker, Jess T Drake. Williford's Store—J B McAdams, W P Bell, Ben Mitchell. Cedar Wreath—J D Sifton, George Lahoon, W M Merritt.

publican control that the Democrats were hopeless. The best people of the State, however, made a brave struggle against overwhelming odds, or migrated to other localities. It was dangerous at that time for a native South Carolinian to go over to the Republicans, but Moses was ambitious, reckless and unscrupulous. Bold, brilliant and over-confident, he believed that Republican rule in the South would last for at least a generation, and his idea was to join hands with the victors and seize a lion's share of the spoils. During the reconstruction era his daring methods and conspicuous talent made him the acknowledged boss of the corruptionists. In the legislature he was Speaker of the House, and in a short time he had the Senate under his control. His word was law to the black legions and their white allies who rallied around the Republican standard. He was elected governor. Early success, however, had ruined him, and when he took his seat in the executive chair he had parted with the last remnant of principle. The proud South Carolinians hung their heads in shame when they remembered that their governor was no alien—no base churl from the gutter—but a member of one of their most honored families. The governor ruled with a high hand from the start. Disregarding the pleadings of his old friends, and of his wife who was a refined and estimable lady, he drew around him a gang of rapacious adventurers. He sold public offices and borrowed money right and left, with no idea of ever repaying it. He gambled and drank with his

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For Presidential Electors and Representatives in the 57th Congress of the United States.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF ANDERSON. NOTICE is hereby given that an election will be held at the several precincts established by law in Anderson County on TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1900, for nine Presidential Electors, and for a Representative in the Fifty-Seventh Congress of the United States, Third Congressional District. Polls at each voting precinct will be opened at 7 o'clock a. m. and closed at 4 o'clock p. m. The following named persons have been appointed MANAGERS OF ELECTION for State and County officers, and for Amendments to State Constitution, to-wit: Anderson, S. C., Oct. 13, 1900. The Commissioners of Elections of State and County officers for Anderson County met in the Court House to-day at 10 o'clock a. m. and proceeded to organize by electing E. F. Clark, Chairman and S. W. Payne Clerk. Appointed Managers as follows: Anderson C. H.—J B McGee, T W Norris, Langford Scott. Belton—J T Cox, J G Harris, J P Hunter. Craytonville—D R Simmons, P B Griffin, R L Haynie. Centerville Mills—J W Bowden, John A Stephenson, Andrew McCoy. Pendleton—T H Shanklin, J H Mounce, T W Stevens. Sandy Springs—Ernest Brown, J T McElroy, S C George. Five Forks—C M Robbins, W N Hunt, J N Wilson. King, W H Dacworth, T L Webb. Greenwood—E W Long, W D Colly, A D Mullikin. Williamston—R E Brown, J B Hogg. Honca Path—R L Dagan, W C Branyon, J D Lomax. Clinkscates Mill—J H Pennell, R E Parker, Jess T Drake. Williford's Store—J B McAdams, W P Bell, Ben Mitchell. Cedar Wreath—J D Sifton, George Lahoon, W M Merritt.

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to open the ballot boxes and count the ballots therein, and continue without adjournment until the same is completed, and make a statement of the result for each office and sign the same. Within three days thereafter, the Chairman of the Board, or some one designated by the Board, must deliver to the Commissioners of Election the poll lists, the boxes containing the ballots and written statements of the result of the election. One of the above named Managers at each precinct must call upon the Board of Commissioners at Anderson S. C. on or by the 5th day of Nov. 1900, to receive ballot boxes, poll lists and instructions, and to be qualified. J. F. CLARKE, Ch'., JAS. R. ANDERSON, P. H. BROWN, Commissioners of State Election. N. B.—We suggest that the first named Managers at each precinct act as chairman and call for boxes, &c. —Father—"I think you'd better send that young man about his business. He doesn't seem to me to be very steady." —Daughter—"Why, father, he calls every night but Saturday. He couldn't be much steeper than that." —Exports of corn from this country have risen from 20,768,213 bushels in 1891 to 209,348,273 bushels in 1899. But little of this amount has been used for any other purpose than cattle food, the foreigner as yet not appreciating corn as a food for himself and family.

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