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MR. PRINCE FOR CONGRESS.

We can now authoritatively announce that Hon. G. E. Prince is in the race for Congress from this District. So far as we are informed he will be Anderson's only candidate, and if elected will reflect credit upon his County and District. He is now in the prime of life, being forty-six years of age, and with a well trained and vigorous intellect, he is well equipped for the position he seeks.

He is not a novice in legislation, as he has some experience in legislative assemblies, having been a prominent member of the late Constitutional Convention, and having served this County for the last four years in the lower branch of the General Assembly with distinguished ability. His record is good, and, so far as we can learn, is cordially approved by a large majority of his constituents. He is conservatively aggressive, and has at all times been entirely independent in thought and action. While a loyal party man, he is not partisan. While ever considerate of the feelings and opinions of others, he is bold and aggressively fearless in maintaining his own honest convictions. He is a good but always fair debater, and, if in the heat of debate, he transgresses the rules of fairness, there is no man who will sooner make the amende honorable. The appreciation in which he is held in the House of Representatives is evidenced by the fact that from the beginning of the first term he has held the position of chairman of the Committee on Railroads, and a very high position on the Ways and Means, two of the most important committees in the House. During the last term he was the second man on the last named committee, and in the absence of the chairman had charge of said Committee and defended its reports on the floor. During the past two sessions he was elected Speaker pro tem every time the Speaker was absent, and his conduct in the Chair seems to have given general satisfaction.

Mr. Prince's standing as a lawyer is recognized by his brethren of the Bar, both locally and in this State. For a number of years he was president of the local Bar Association, and was during the past year chairman of the Executive Committee of the State Bar Association, and is now one of its Vice-Presidents. His standing and worth in this community is evidenced by the fact that for the past eight years he has been chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Anderson Graded Schools, one of the best systems of schools in the State. His interest in the education of the masses of people is not only intelligent but strong. For ten years he has been a Trustee of Wofford College, his alma mater, and while a devoted friend to all denominational colleges, is not opposed to State Colleges, his maxim being that of his great preceptor, Dr. Carlisle, who, as a representative of denominational colleges, gave utterance to the following: "We fight none who fight ignorance."

Mr. Prince is a native of Abbeville County, being a son of the late W. L. Prince, and while himself too young to have served in the Civil War, is proud of the record of his father, who, as a private soldier in Company G, 19th S. C. Regiment, did valiant service for his country, as will be readily vouched by the surviving officers and soldiers of that Regiment. His mother was a member of that large and extensive Clinkscales family, whose progeny is so numerous in Anderson and Abbeville. Both his grandmothers were Blacks, so that he is, as will be readily perceived, of English-Scottish-Irish descent, and has the tenacity of purpose that usually characterizes the people.

It is evident that he is fitted by nature and training for the high office to which he aspires, and, as Anderson's candidate, we take great pleasure in commending him to the kindly consideration of not only our own people but to the people of the entire District. Let the people of this his adopted County give him a hearty and cordial support, and thus evidence to his native and other counties their confidence in his worthiness.

It sets the "oldest inhabitant" guessing to recall a winter that has been more steadily cold than the present one. It is true that the thermometer has registered lower in previous, but for steady, regular cold the present winter is remarkable.

The Democrats in Congress stole the thunder of the Republicans by requesting that the bill to repeal the war taxes pass without objection. The Republicans expected the Democrats to oppose it in order to tack on tariff reduction amendments, but Mr. Richardson, the Democratic leader, fooled them.

LABOR STRIKES.

Nearly every day we read in the telegraphic reports of the papers an account of laborers' strikes in some section of the country, especially in the East, North and Northwest. Very few of them occur in the South. In nearly every instance the strikers demand shorter hours for labor and increased wages. It is just as reasonable for the employers of labor to demand that laborers work longer hours and for less pay as it is for labor to demand shorter hours and greater wages.

Labor is a commodity in the markets of the world. It is for sale to the highest bidder. When there is a demand for it, it is worth more; when there is a surplus of labor it is worth less.

To-day there is a demand for labor and it is worth more than when there was a surplus. The increased price of labor can be brought about through the inexorable laws of supply and demand. Men who need skilled labor must be willing to pay for it or go without it; but in order to get that advance use reason, argument, convincing proof that is just, and avoid strikes, dynamite, boycotts, blacklists and lockouts. These are un-American forces, and sooner or later they will break the backbone of any body of men who try to enforce their wishes through such means.

Any man, or set of men, have the absolute and unquestioned right to quit work with or without cause, but not one of them, nor all of them combined have any right to say any other man shall not work at any given price or upon any given terms. The Government, as a national body, when it submits to dictation of this character, is encouraging open rebellion. The State, as a governing body, when it tolerates an uprising among a part of its citizens who say they will not work and others shall not, becomes at once an arrant coward, and the men in charge of affairs should then and there be removed from office. The same is true of a city government and the same is true of an organization of business men, or an individual employer of labor.

The Exposition at Charleston seems to be attracting a great deal of attention from the people of the country at large. Cincinnati and Chicago have sent large delegations there to inspect the Show. The Governors of Georgia, West Virginia and Indiana have been there with their staffs and others and all seem to unite on one verdict, that it is as creditable an Exposition as any held in this country. Illinois will inspect the Exposition on March 11th, with a delegation of several hundred, and other States are booked for later dates. The Legislature of South Carolina and the Governor of the State have given their endorsement to the Exposition and urged that the people of the State visit the Exposition at least once, and have named March 20th, as South Carolina day, with the idea that there should be a grand rally of South Carolina on the Exposition Grounds on that day. It is South Carolina's first attempt to show to the country at large the Industries, Resources and Possibilities of the State. They have been well displayed. Let us all go, and by our presence show an appreciation and interest in what has been done.

We are more than pleased to see that a movement has been started in Charleston to raise a fund for a sword to be presented to Major Jenkins in place of the one that Jim Tillman had secured for him. Anderson would like to contribute to the fund, and we believe every town and city in the State would do the same. A large fund could thus be raised and a very fine sword secured for the gallant hero, who would no doubt appreciate it the more on account of coming from the whole State. The President should be invited to present it, and let all true Carolinians go to Charleston and give him a reception that would prove to him that Jim Tillman represents nobody in South Carolina but himself.

The Educational is a new publication recently established in Columbia, succeeding the Carolina Teachers' Journal. Messrs. Zach McGhee and Henry C. Davis are the editors. As its name implies, The Educational is published for teachers, school superintendents, and all who are interested in the work of education. The first number promises well, and every teacher, at least, should be on its subscription list.

Within the past seventeen years the building up of the new navy has cost the government \$257,000,000. No man with sound judgment and patriotism has ever objected to this expenditure. But while this sum has been spent for a new navy the stupendous sum of more than \$2,500,000,000 has been spent on pensions. It is well that Uncle Sam's people are of a forbearing nature.

It is claimed that more votes were counted in the recent Havana election than were cast. Cuba is evidently being rapidly Americanized.

What the Record Shows.

Editor Intelligencer: The editorials of the Daily Mail "Previous Disgraces" and "What the Record Shows," shielding the Senior Senator from South Carolina, should not remain unanswered, despite the despotism of that paper in having established a "censorship" excluding such matter as is calculated to expose partisanship.

How absurd the defense of these editorials is, can only be pointed to the "Record" of Jim Tillman's tactics from the beginning of his political career. How he slandered, abused, insulted and misrepresented the name of that noble, honest statesman, soldier and patriot Gen. Wade Hampton, need not be recited here. The whole world knows it, remembers it, and will never forget it.

How he insulted the State of South Carolina and every law-abiding citizen of the United States when he boasted on the floor of the United States Senate that the "pitchfork" would be used freely to pierce the fat ribs of Grover Cleveland, when President of the United States, is not altogether forgotten, either. How he taunted the Senators during the monetary agitation for 10 to 1, and how ridiculous his attitude once made on the floor of the Senate, 16 to 1 or "bust," is not forgotten yet.

To argue that the Senior Senator from South Carolina is not guilty of aggressiveness is assuming that the public is not capable of forming an opinion outside of the editorial sanctum.

The Senior Senator is not only guilty of aggressiveness, but he has, ever since he has gained political ascendancy, indulged in every kind of ignominy and degradation, and has no respectability; that to shield him is equal to admitting that the editor of the Daily Mail dare not say anything else.

To criticize Jim Tillman, without admitting the laws of heredity, is equally paradoxical. O. Geisberg.

Jim Tillman's Foolish Act.

Charleston, S. C., Feb. 27.—Great indignation was expressed about the city to-day over the action of Lieut. Gov. Tillman in requesting President Roosevelt to withdraw his acceptance of the sword of honor to Major Mich Jenkins on the occasion of his visit to Charleston yesterday afternoon from Augusta as follows:

"To the President, Washington, D. C.: A short while ago I had the honor to address your Excellency a letter requesting that on the occasion of your visit to Charleston you present a sword to Major Mich Jenkins, of the 1st United States volunteer cavalry, of whose gallant services you spoke so highly, your words being engraved on the scabbard. You accepted the invitation, for which we thank you. I am now requested by contributors to the sword fund to ask that you withdraw said acceptance."

"Late Colonel of 1st South Carolina Volunteer Infantry and Lieutenant Governor of South Carolina."

Washington, Feb. 27.—Jim Tillman's extremely despicable conduct in sending an insulting telegram to President Roosevelt in reference to the Mich Jenkins sword presentation will probably result more seriously to South Carolina than such an ill-conceived and foolish action would warrant. It is authoritatively stated that no answer will be sent to Tillman's telegram by President Roosevelt. The telegram will be ignored entirely. But it is almost certain that Tillman's action will result in the president not going to the Charleston Exposition at all.

Columbia, S. C., Feb. 28.—Governor McSweeney to-day sent the following telegram to President Roosevelt in connection with Colonel Tillman's telegram:

"Columbia, S. C., Feb. 28, 1902. 'Theodore Roosevelt, President, Washington, D. C. 'It was my intention not to have anything to say about the telegram sent you by the Hon. James H. Tillman, withdrawing the request for you to present the sword to Major Jenkins, but as undue importance and publicity have been attached to it, I beg to say that the telegram sent you was not authorized by the State, and the Lieutenant Governor did not speak officially for the State or the people of this State. 'His telegram to you was purely a personal matter and neither the State nor the people should be held responsible in any way for his attitude.'"

Governor McSweeney's action in sending this telegram will be heartily endorsed by all the people of the State who value the reputation and good opinion of the people of the country. It is an official repudiation of Tillman's telegram that is eminently proper and indeed necessary.

Warrenton, Va., March 1.—Major Mich Jenkins has declined to accept the sword which it was proposed to present him at Charleston, S. C., when the President shall visit that place. Major Jenkins, who is a member of the faculty of the Bethlehem Academy here, has sent the following telegram to Lieutenant Governor Tillman, of South Carolina:

"Lieutenant Governor James H. Tillman, Columbia, S. C.: 'You are represented in the press as having telegraphed President Roosevelt at the request of the subscribers to the sword recently offered me through you, requesting him to withdraw his acceptance to present the same. 'If this is so, I must decline, under these circumstances, to accept the sword.' 'Thanking you for your personal kindness in the matter, I am, truly yours, 'M. J. Jenkins.'"

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Candidates' announcements will be published until the Primary Election for Five Dollars in Advance. Don't ask to credit you.

FOR PROBATE JUDGE.

To the People of Anderson County: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Probate Judge of this County, subject to the rules of the Democratic party. I confess I have no great love for the Court House, but necessity is a hard master. If elected I will strive to be just and kind to all, and to discharge my duties in such a manner that no one ever will be sorry I was elected. This is the last time I will ask for a County office. Very truly yours, E. Z. BROWN.

NOTICE.

I will not be responsible for debts contracted without my order. JULIA P. CLEMENT, Guardian for DeVeaux French. March 5, 1902 37

Notice to Creditors.

ALL persons having demands against the Estate of P. B. Allen, deceased, are hereby notified to present them, properly proved, to the undersigned within the time prescribed by law, and those indebted to make payment. MRS. BESSIE ALLEN, Ex'r. March 5, 1902 37

Notice Final Settlement.

I, the undersigned, Executor of the Estate of Mrs. C. J. Lewis, dec'd, hereby give notice that he will on the fourth day of April, 1902, apply to the Judge of Probate for Anderson County for a Final Settlement of said Estate, and a discharge from his office as Executor. C. J. BROCK, Ex'r. March 5, 1901 37

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