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THE CAMPAIGN

For United States Senator and State Offices Opens

AT SAINT GEORGES.

All the Candidates for Governor and the Other State Offices with Few Exceptions Attend and Address the People. Senator Tillman Absent.

The State campaign for 1906 was formally opened at St. Georges on Tuesday of last week.

The meeting was called to order at 11.20 by County Chairman E. J. Dennis and was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Steadman. Chairman Dennis then outlined the purposes of the gathering. The people of Dorchester County were gathered, he said, to see these candidates, who had offered themselves for office, and, seeing them and hearing them, to pass upon their fitness for office. He referred eloquently to those who had made South Carolina great in history and emphasized the necessity for those to whom the ballot had been entrusted to keep well their trust.

MARTIN F. ANSEL,

of Greenville, candidate for Governor, was the first speaker introduced. Mr. Ansel was greeted with applause. First of all he desired to thank the ladies for their presence. It argues well for the campaign of 1906 that they should grace this occasion with their presence. He himself is not running on his good looks, however, for in that event he feels sure some of the others would be elected over him. He wasn't elected four years ago, but he came so close to it that he felt it his duty to again present himself to the people for their suffrages. He is proud that he represents the Piedmont and he is proud of the magnificent vote he received in his old judicial circuit, where he is best known. He has the endorsement of his county. It is only upon high grounds that he desires election. He stands for the great principle of high education and he stands unqualifiedly for the great work of the public schools. In the youth of the country is the hope of the country. There he urged strongly the importance of the common schools. Good reads is another plank in his platform. This is a matter of greatest interest. We don't want such roads that we shall have our religion jolted out of us before we get to church. He favors seeking and accepting aid from the National Government for this purpose. He is opposed to the State dispensary and he is in favor of local county option as between a county dispensary and prohibition. If the county officers are able to take care of the county's affairs in other matters why are they not able to take care of the county's liquor selling, he asked. He is opposed to one county dotating to another as to what it shall have. Let the Governor appoint the board to take charge of the selling of liquor and let the Governor be responsible for them. Pay them a salary. He doesn't believe in commissions. Let them report to each term of the Circuit Court. Pension the old Confederate soldier and let him go to his grave in peace.

C. L. BLEASE,

of Newberry, was then introduced to the audience. He is a candidate for Governor. He has represented Newberry County in the Legislature several times, and is to-day the county's State Senator. He can prove by the records that throughout his whole career he has been consistent in the positions he has taken. He favors biennial sessions of the Legislature, laws restricting the hours of labor, and liberal appropriations for educational purposes, but is opposed to the higher education of the negro. This last statement evoked applause. He favors a marriage license system, and the economical enforcement of the Government. He believes the dispensary system is the best solution of the whiskey question and he favors the repeal of the Brice law. Reverting to the negro question, God never intended that the negro should be anything else than the servant of the white man. If he had his way he would wipe out the negro college at Orangeburg. If you have corruption in the State dispensary, what would you have if there were 41 county boards? He does not favor the Rysor-Manning bill. One of his reasons for this is because one of the amendments provides that whenever the board prohibits the dispensary is a nuisance they have the

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right to close it up. That is not governed by the people. They say the dispensary is corrupt. All right. Why is it corrupt? It is because men originally opposed to the dispensary law have of recent years been placed in charge of the system. But there is no corruption in the dispensary. Mr. W. G. Childs told him yesterday that since the dispensary was voted out in certain counties the jug traffic on his railroad had more than doubled. Prohibition has failed in Newberry. He is ready, willing and waiting to defend any attack made on the dispensary system. He, too, favors good roads and good schools. Everybody does. But the money of the people is being squandered now. Two more judicial circuits have been provided, but still they clamor for extra Courts. He helped to defeat the appropriation for the payment of the expenses of these extra Courts. If elected he will endeavor to reduce extra Courts. He favors a liberal appropriation for Confederate soldiers, and he wants to see it go to those to whom it belongs and not to those who do not need it.

MR. J. E. BRUNSON,

of Sumter, candidate for Governor, was the next speaker. He plunged at once into a discussion of the liquor question. This is the leading issue before the people, because it involves more in dollars and cents, and carries along with it the moral and intellectual welfare of the people. It has been contended that the public schools is the proper place to which to apply this "blood money," because in that way the youth of the land will be educated against drinking. This is a fallacy, because the liquor habit is just as apt to strike your brightest boy as your dullest fool. This money is not going to the schools, anyway. Out of \$4 expended by the drunkard for a jug of liquor all the profits, except two cents, go to other sources and other people than the drunkard's family. That is all the save his wife and children get to heal their heartaches. He gave the drunkard's prayer and the prayer of the so-called good citizen, who takes this liquor money for his children's education. They talk about putting good men in charge of the dispensary. You can't get a man who is a decent man who will take charge of this dirty slop. This is the truth. If you doubt it ask any one of these good men who are running on this platform to go in and dish out the dirty stuff. Not one of them will do it. The system cannot be cleaned. Had you crucible as big as the moon in which to boil it, were you to heat that crucible with all the coal stored in the bowels of the earth, were you to give to each of these candidates, who talk about purging it, a dipper with which one might empty Lake Michigan at a scoop, and to each of the others a spoon, which would reach from pole to pole, with which to stir it, and then let them stir, while the others dipped, this process might go on for centuries, and at the end the residue of purified matter would not amount to a thimbleful. Mr. Brunson referred to no other issue, but devoted his whole time to rapping those who favored the sale of liquor in any manner, and urging the people to rally to its overthrow.

MR. W. A. EDWARDS,

of Saluda, filed his pledge as a candidate for Governor, but, judging from his speech to-day he has entered himself in the wrong class. His entire time was devoted to an attack upon the Southern Railway, which would have done credit to the most ardent aspirant for the office of railroad com-

missioner. Mr. Edwards declared that for six years he has been conducting a fight in the Courts against the consolidation of the South Carolina and Georgia extension with the Southern Railway. He finds, so he said, that this corporation is practically in control of our Government and that there is apparently no way of escape from its abuses. He declared that it discriminated against the people of this State, causing their property to decrease in value, and incidentally the property of landowners in Georgia to increase in value. He then begantoread from a paper which he carried a history of his case already referred to, but his twenty minutes were up before he was more than fairly started, and it never became apparent just what he was driving at. He was granted an extension of time in which to explain briefly what he was after, but just as he opened his mouth to speak the bell began to play and there the matter ended, for today at least.

MR. A. C. JONES,

of Newberry, who is also an aspirant for gubernatorial honors. He is here as the representative of the homes, of the mothers, of the sons, of the children, who stand for pure democracy and who oppose corruption and graft. All his life he has stood for that which is purifying and uplifting, and he is willing to abide by his record. He is an enthusiastic supporter of higher education, but it is to the denominational colleges that the State owes most. He believes in an economical and honest administration of the Government. He favors a board of arbitration in South Carolina to settle all differences between capital and labor. But the principal thing which has brought him into this campaign is the liquor question. Three years ago he published in the newspapers an article calling attention to the conditions in the dispensary. He also urged the passage of a law which would allow the voting out of the dispensary in counties desiring to take such action. That suggestion was largely instrumental in the passage of the Brice law. Now he is ready to go further. Personally, he opposes the sale of liquor in any way, but he is willing to allow the people of each county to vote on the question as to whether they shall have a county dispensary, high license or prohibition. The State dispensary must go. Conditions in Newberry to-day are better than in twenty years. If the prohibition law is not absolutely enforced that fact is due to circumstances that whenever a man is brought up charged with a violation of the law some lawyer is on hand ready to appear for him and get him off. He has been in the thick of every fight against the State dispensary and he stands today right where he always stood.

Mr. Jones was followed by the Hon. B. I. MANNING, of Sumter. Mr. Manning has for 14 years represented his county in the Legislature, six years in the House, and for the last eight years in the State Senate. He has made mistakes. That he realizes. But in every question upon which he has had to cast his vote he has applied this test—first is it right? Then, is it for the best interests of my State and country? Remembering this, he is ready to stand by his record. No greater work can be done by South Carolina than to build the educational system of the State, and he is glad to believe that educational condition in South Carolina have improved, and are im-

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Formula for Success. The formula for success in life which the late Baron Alphonse Rothschild laid down for the young men of France and distributed by means of printed cards was: Shun liquor. Dare to go forward. Never be discouraged. Be polite to everybody. Employ your time well. Never tell business lies. Pay your debts promptly. Be prompt in everything. Bear all troubles patiently. Do not reckon upon chances. Make no useless acquaintances. Be brave in the struggle of life. Maintain your integrity as a sacred thing. Never appear to be something more than you are. Take time to consider, then decide positively. Carefully examine every detail of your business.

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Wanted to Lynch Her.

Mrs. Emma Kauffmann, wife of a wealthy Sioux Falls brewer was brought into court Wednesday for the conclusion of her preliminary hearing on a charge of having caused the death of her maidservant, Agnes Polreis. She was hissed when she went into the court room and when she came out an angry demonstration was made and cries of "Lynch her" were heard. Mrs. Kauffmann was held on a charge of murder. The case will be called for trial in November. Miss Polreis, who was 17 years old, died June 1, and was buried at Parkston, this State. The body was later exhumed and was found to bear 45 separate wounds.

Long Tennessee Fight.

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Same Old Trick. The Boston Transcript admits that Mr. Bryan would run a little but adds: "That he would be defeated, however, is highly probable, almost beyond the possibility of a doubt; not that it would be easy to defeat him, but because the business interests of the country would find it absolutely necessary to do so." To which the Columbia State says: "Indeed! And what are these 'business interests'?" The corporations, we presume. If there has been any doubt as to the necessity of passing the bill prohibiting campaign contributions by the corporations such talk as this from the Transcript should brush these doubts aside. Arg the 'business interests' to be permitted to repeat the performance of 1896 and overthrow the will of the people by the free and unlimited use of money? That seems to be what The Transcript expects."

Bryan Needed.

Rev. Sam Jones says Roosevelt has made a good president, but that "things are now ripe for Bryan to succeed him, as we need Bryansour!

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Special School Tax Elections. SCHOOL DISTRICTS CONTEMPORATING holding elections with the view of levying special school taxes to augment the regular school taxes are hereby notified that such elections, when desired, should be held in time to report the result to the Auditor on or before August 1st 1906, in order to get the benefits for next year. Printed petition blanks for elections furnished by the State Superintendent of Education, can be obtained by application to the County Superintendent of Education. STILES R. MELLICHAMP, April 3, 1906. Sup't Education, O. C.