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THE OFFICIAL RESULT OF PRIMARY ELECTION

MEETING OF STATE DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The Committee is on Record as Saying That Ballots in Wrong Box are No Good.

The state democratic executive committee met Tuesday night in the office of the secretary of state to tabulate the vote for State officers and members of congress.

The members present were Wilio Jones, chairman; A. W. Jones, Abbeville; J. B. Black, Bamberg; W. D. Black, Barnwell; C. J. Colecock, Beaufort; W. F. Stevenson, Chesterfield; R. W. Haynes, Berkeley; W. Turner Logan, Charleston; C. M. Davis, Clarendon; J. R. Coggeshall, Darlington; J. D. Bivens, Ravenel; J. W. Thurmond, Edgefield; T. H. Ketchin, Winnsboro; R. M. McCown, proxy for D. H. Traxler, Florence; J. W. Doar, Georgetown; J. T. Bramlett, Greenville; D. H. Magill, Greenwood; J. A. McDermott, Conway; T. Y. Williams, Lancaster; T. B. Crews, Laurens; W. A. James, Bishopville; D. J. Griffith, Lexington; J. Staekhouse, Marion; J. N. Drake, Marlboro; C. L. Blease, Newberry; James Thompson, Walhalla; Robert Lide, Orangeburg; Dr. R. P. Smith, Pickens; W. K. Shealy, Saluda; N. L. Bennett, Spartanburg; L. D. Parrott, Sumter; C. W. Wolfe, Kingstree; F. H. Barber, York.

On account of the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. J. T. Parks, Capt. Jno. D. Bell of Columbia was elected secretary. Mr. Bell is one of the officials of the Carolina National bank.

Resolutions of respect to the memory of Mr. Parks, offered by Mr. Lide, were adopted.

The results are as follows:

For Governor.	
Ansel	39,156
Manning	23,159
Bleas	16,959
Bronson	10,118
Sloan	3,368
McMahan	2,243
Jones	870
Edwards	576

For Senator.	
Tillman	83,074

Comptroller General.	
Jones	51,132
Walker	45,559

Attorney General.	
Lyon	45,272
Youmans	22,975
Ragsdale	28,210

Railroad Commissioner.	
Summettsell	15,848
Wharton	24,636
Sellers	8,622
Candler	22,661
Sullivan	24,550

Adjutant General.	
Boyd	64,591
Haskell	31,062

Secretary of State.	
McCown	51,867
Morrison	20,317
Ragin	13,500
Tribble	7,422

Lieutenant Governor.	
McLeod	95,320

State Treasurer.	
Jennings	96,343

Superintendent of Education.	
Martin	92,564

First District.	
Legare	9,018

Second District.	
Patterson	6,370
Toole	2,845
Hare	2,821

Third District.	
Aiken	9,293
Boggs	6,802

Fourth District.	
Johnson	12,732
Irby	2,138
Mahon	2,805

Fifth District.	
Finley	9,703
Strait	5,159

Seventh District.	
Lever	13,164

When the sub committee made its report, the committee adopted the tabulation and declared all who had received majorities to be the nominees of the Democratic party. There will be

a second race for governor between M. F. Ansel of Greenville and R. I. Manning of Sumter; for attorney general between J. Fraser Lyon of Abbeville and J. W. Ragsdale of Florence; for railroad commissioner between J. H. Wharton of Laurens and J. M. Sullivan of Anderson. This second primary will take place September 11. After this was disposed of Mr. D. H. Magill of Greenwood offered resolutions commending Chairman Willie Jones and expressing the belief of the committee in the honesty and integrity of the chairman. This was adopted and Gen. Jones expressed his thanks. He believes that the vote in Richland county has vindicated him.

Mr. R. W. Haynes, senator elect from Berkeley county, called attention to the fact that in his county is confusion because the candidate for supervisor who had received the second highest vote had not filed his affidavit in regard to his campaign expenses. The county committee has not yet acted on the matter.

It was stated by one of the members of the committee that in his county the same thing had happened and the committee had thrown out all of the votes for the officers affected and had ordered a new primary, not a second primary, but a new one. Gen. Jones declared that this was the proper thing to do.

It was brought out that in the recent primary some tickets for county officers had been deposited in the box to receive tickets for state officers, and vice versa. In some counties such ballots were thrown out. In other counties they were counted. Mr. Stevenson and Mr. Ketchin thought the rules clear enough. The use of two boxes is to prevent "plumping" and all votes deposited in the wrong boxes were so placed at their own risk. The county committees were advised by the State committee to throw out all ballots in the second primary which had been placed improperly.

The committee then adjourned. A subcommittee will meet here on the 18th of September to canvass the vote in the second primary.

The Next Legislature.

Abbeville. Senator—W. N. Graydon, (new.) Representatives—Frank B. Gary, P. B. Carwile, J. Q. Stillwell. **Aiken.** Senator—W. E. Johnson, (hold over.) Representatives—T. G. Croft, Gyles, Wade, Keenan, Salley and Courtney run over for other two places. **Anderson.** Senator—Geo. W. Sullivan, (new.) Representatives—E. M. Rucker, Jr., J. A. Hall, L. S. Clinkseales, Kurtz P. Smith, S. T. Cox. **Bamberg.** Senator—Dr. Black, (hold over.) Representatives—C. W. Garris. Second race between D. W. Miley and H. M. Graham for second place. **Barnwell.** Senator—G. H. Bates, (hold over.) Representatives—B. F. Thomas, J. E. Harley, J. C. Griffin and Dr. A. B. Patterson will run over for third place. **Beaufort.** Senator—Neils Christensen, Jr., (hold over.)

Berkeley. Representatives—W. L. Parker, E. E. Ballentine, John L. Wiggins and G. B. Davis will run over for third place. **Charleston.** Senator—Huger Sinkler, (new.) Representatives—George F. Von Kolnitz, Donald McKay Front, James Cosgrove, Richard S. Whaley, John V. Wallace, A. Vander Horst, John Marshall, A. W. Todd. **Cherokee.** Senator—J. C. Otts, (new.) Representatives—W. F. McArthur, E. J. Clary, W. G. Austell and Wm. Anderson will make second race for two places.

Chester. Senator—P. L. Hardin, (re-elected.) Representatives—Paul Hemphill, A. G. Brice, S. T. McCown. **Chesterfield.** Senator—George K. Laney, (new.) Representatives—Serugs. Second race between Douglass and Arant.

Clarendon. Senator—Second race between Louis Appelt and Henry B. Richardson. Representatives—John R. Dingle, elected. J. M. Woods, D. L. Green, Geo. R. Jones and O. C. Searborough run over for two other places. **Darlington.** Senator—Dan T. McKeithan, (new.) Representatives—L. M. Lawson, L. E. Carrigan, J. P. Kirven. **Dorchester.** Senator—J. D. Bivens. Representatives—R. W. Myers, J. S. Wimberly. **Edgefield.** Senator—Talbert, (hold over.) Representatives—J. W. DeVore, B. E. Nicholson. **Fairfield.** Senator—W. J. Johnson, (hold over.) Representatives—W. W. Dixon, C. S. Leitner, T. S. Brice. **Florence.** Senator—W. H. Wells, (re-elected.) Representatives—Z. T. Kershaw, Hartwell M. Ayer, S. W. G. Shipp. **Georgetown.** Senator—McGraw Walker, (hold over.) Representatives—Olin Sawyer, J. Wayter Doar. **Greenville.** Senator—W. L. Mauldin, (hold over.) Representatives—T. P. Cothran, J. R. Harrison, F. Fox Beattie, (Two places to fill.) **Greenwood.** Senator—J. Hampton Brooks (hold over.) Representatives—W. H. Yell, Richard, Morrison and White run over for third place. **Hampton.** Senator—W. S. Smith, (new.) Representatives—G. G. Dowling, J. P. Youmans and T. B. Whatley make second race. **Horry.** Senator—Holiday, (hold over.) Representatives—J. P. Derham, D. A. Spivey will run over with H. K. Cooke, the former having 1,023 votes, the latter 580 votes out of 2,483. **Kershaw.** Senator—W. R. Hough. Representatives—J. G. Richards, Jr., D. M. Bethune. **Lancaster.** Senator—T. Yancey Williams. Representatives—G. W. Jones, W. P. Robinson. **Laurens.** Senator—F. P. McGowan, (hold over.) Representatives—B. Dunk Boyd, Dr. J. H. Miller, Jno. M. Cannon. **Lee.** Senator—Frank B. Kelley. Representatives—Dr. Harris, Thomas Tatum. **Lexington.** Senator—D. F. Eford, (hold over.) Representatives—J. M. Epting, W. H. Sharpe. Second race between J. Brooks Wingard and Dr. E. J. Etheredge. **Marion.** Senator—James Staekhouse, (hold over.) Representatives—James Norton, George Reeves, Sellers. **Marlboro.** Senator—Second race between T. J. Rodgers and Hodges. Representatives—D. D. McColl, Jr., elected. Second race between Campbell, Townsend, Lane and Gibson for two other places. **Newberry.** Senator—Cole L. Blease, (hold over.) Representatives—Alan Johnstone, Dr. C. T. Wyehe, E. H. Aull and Arthur Kibler run over. **Oconee.** Senator—Earle, (hold over.) Representatives—Coke D. Mann, E. E. Verner. **Orangeburg.** Senator—Thos. M. Raysor, (hold over.) Representatives—E. L. Culler, T. F. Brantley, L. A. Carson, J. A. Banks, A. J. Hydrick. **Pickens.** Senator—C. E. Robinson and C. H. Carpenter run over. Representatives—J. P. Carey, Ashmore Hinton and Fred Williams run over.

Richland. Senator—Francis H. Weston (new.) Representatives—Tompkins, Morrill, McMaster, Welch, Harmon, Deal, Touchberry and Coker run over. Nobody nominated. Senator—Crouch and Wightman run over. Representatives—Smith, Daniels, Lester and Evans run over.

Spartanburg. Senator—Howard B. Carlisle (hold over.) Representatives—S. J. Nichols, M. A. Walker, H. H. Arnold, J. W. Nash, J. H. Dadd, W. T. Gibson. **Sumter.** Senator—John H. Clifton. Representatives—T. B. Fraser, Dr. Geo. W. Dick, W. G. Stubbs and Marion Dora run over.

Union. Senator—Ben F. Townsend, (new.) Representatives—H. C. Little, J. Gordon Hughes. **Williamsburg.** Senator—W. F. Bass, (new.) Representatives—W. D. Bryan, R. H. Kellahan, W. P. Gause. **York.** Senator—J. S. Brice, (hold over.) Representatives—Dr. J. H. Saye, Ardrey, Beamguard, Epps, Glascock, Massey and Slaughter run over for three places.

News From St. Philips. We are having some rainy weather in this section. The St. Philips Gun club invites Newberry and Rutherford clubs to be with them September 7th at Halfacre mill. If there are any others who wish to come, would be glad to have them with us. Everybody come and enjoy a first class cue dinner. There is a beautiful grove and seats for all. Plenty of good water. Come one, come all as this is one among the last good dinners.

The members of our church have purchased a new organ. Mr. W. B. Lominick and children have been very ill. Am glad to know they are improving at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. DeHart spent last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ruff. Miss Annie Chalmers, of Abbeville, is visiting relatives in this community. Wade.

First Bale at Little Mountain. Little Mountain, August 31.—Mr. Joseph A. Counts ginned and sold the first bale of new cotton today, in this community. It was sold to Messrs. Huffman and Derriek for 8 3/4 cents per pound, and was ginned by the Little Mountain Oil Mill and Fertilizer company. Last year the first bale was ginned for Mr. W. C. Shealy by the Oil mill company, on August 18th, and up to the 31st day of August last year they had ginned 911 bales. This shows the crop in this locality to be 12 days behind last year.

The cotton is very much damaged in some sections of this locality by the continued rains. We learned yesterday from reliable authority that a worm is in the cotton doing considerable damage. On Mr. Jno. D. Shealy's farm near Pomaria, the worms in the cotton bolls have ruined in places one third of the bolls. Mr. Editor, have you heard anything of the worms like this in cotton before? Doubtless you have, please tell us about it.

When the President and his family went to Oyster Bay, a pet parrot of which Mr. Roosevelt is fond was turned over to a dealer to be cared for. The parrot was introduced into the Roosevelt household some years ago, and became much attached to the President's eldest daughter. Its voice shouting, "Alice! Alice!" was frequently heard ringing through the hall ways.

With the marriage of Miss Roosevelt to Representative Longworth the parrot seemed to lose interest in life. Its jubilant voice changed to a dull croak, and the familiar cry of "Alice!" changed to a colorless echo. It no longer flapped its wings, nor did its shrill cries ring through the house.

GREY DIES ON THE GALLOWS.

Murderer of Mr. Clifford Pays the Penalty for His Crime in Aiken Jail Yard.

At twenty minutes past 11 o'clock Friday morning in the Aiken jail yard, Luke Grey was hanged for the murder of Mr. Clifford Woodward, on Friday night, the 3d of February, and twelve minutes afterwards he was pronounced dead by Drs. W. C. R. Turnbull and J. Frampton Wyman. Grey faced death with remarkable coolness, and the execution itself was orderly and successful.

The condemned man spent his last night on earth very quietly and slept well. He got up early, ate a hearty breakfast and talked with his fellow prisoners. He was let out into the corridor of the jail and went from cell to cell, shaking hands with prisoners. During the morning he was visited by the Rev. F. P. McLean, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and later by a colored minister. They both prayed with him and he said he was ready to die.

At 11:12 Sheriff Raborn read the death warrant, and then asked Grey if he had anything to say. He said he was ready to go, and the death march to the scaffold began. Luke was in the best of humor, and with a firm step he marched to the gallows between Jailer Vernon and Deputy Sheriff Busbee.

He took his place under the noose and the sheriff again asked him if he had anything to say. The jail wall and surrounding buildings were covered with men, and Grey looked up and said: "You all think you are going to see something, but you are not; just a poor negro taking his flight to Heaven." He told them he hoped to meet them all in Heaven, and then told the sheriff that he was ready and said good-bye. His arms and legs were securely tied, and the black cap pulled over his head. The noose was adjusted and twenty minutes past 11 the drop fell. When the weight fell to the ground the negro shot up in the air, and then dropped a few feet. The neck was broken and the negro made a few movements. In twelve minutes he was pronounced dead, and in fifteen minutes he was taken down and turned over to Undertaker Stanley.

The crime for which Luke Grey was hanged was committed on the 3d day of February this year. Mr. Clifford Woodward, a merchant of Montmorenci, was in his store talking to a negro named Bob Cauley when Grey entered the store with a gun in his hand. He approached Mr. Woodward and asked him what he meant by insulting his wife that morning. Mr. Woodward told the negro he had not spoken to his wife. Grey insisted that he had, and throwing up his gun said he would shoot Mr. Woodward's brains out. Grey walked backward toward the door. As Grey stepped out of the door he raised the gun and shot Mr. Woodward, who fell forward out of the store into the street.

The only eye-witness, a negro, testified that Mr. Woodward had absolutely no weapon, and when the people on the street rushed to the scene they saw no weapon until they placed Mr. Woodward on the counter, and a small pen knife fell out of his vest pocket. It was not open. Witnesses for the State testified that shortly before the shooting Grey, with his brother-in-law, Son Oliver, went to the store of Mr. Chitty Woodward, a brother of Cliff Woodward, and endeavored to purchase some shells. They could not secure them, and they immediately proceeded to Cliff Woodward's store. Grey going inside, while Oliver remained outside at the window.

Cambodia is a tropical country, but its King suffered so much from heat the other day in Paris that he had to have his patent leather shoes cut off his swollen and inflamed feet. It was French leather, perhaps, more than French climate that troubled the monarch.

A woman eares not who has the first word provided she has the rest of them.

CHARTERED CLYDE LINE.

Arrangements Completed for Transporting "Clansman" Company And Production to Charleston, S. C.

Special trains are often used by large theatrical companies when the regular railroad service does not suffice. It has remained, however, for the management of "The Clansman" Company to inaugurate the novelty of chartering a big coastwise steamship for the first "movement" of the coming Southern tour. Arrangements were completed by George H. Brennan by which the production, electrical effects, horses and the company of nearly a hundred people will be transported from New York to Charleston, S. C., by a special Clyde Line Steamer. The steamer will carry no other passengers and will make express time between the two cities, being one of the fastest in the Clyde Company's service. The cost of the charter is extremely large and the contract will prove the heaviest made by the transportation company this season. Having undisturbed occupancy of the whole vessel, "The Clansman" people will hold two daily rehearsals throughout the voyage on the main deck when the weather is fair and in the grand cabin on stormy days. These rehearsals at sea are being eagerly looked forward to as a novel experience by the players.

The opening performance in Charleston will be given Sept. 19.

CARD FROM MR. BLEASE.

Thanks His Friends—Shall Stand by The Principles He Advocated in The Campaign.

Senator Cole L. Blease returned home Saturday night and was seen yesterday and asked if he had anything to say in regard to the result of the primary election on last Tuesday. He said: "To say that I thank my friends would be indeed feebly expressing my gratification at the support given to me, and I feel that with the conditions under which I made my race I received a very handsome vote. I propose to do, as I have always done, stand by my friends, and upon the platform of principles which I advocated throughout the state, and to support in the future, as I have in the past, candidates who agree with those principles.

"I will not be in the state to vote in the second primary, because I am a representative to the Great Council of the Improved Order of Red Men, which meets at Niagara Falls on the 10th of this month, and consequently I will be absent from the state.

"I have no ill will towards any one who was in the race, and certainly no desire to dictate to any one as to whom they should support, feeling that when my friends voted for me, they did all that I could ask of them, and that it would be improper for me to attempt to suggest any course other than to stand by their principles and abide by the result of the democratic party, which I full well know my friends and supporters will do."

A Good Agent.

An agent for an opory troop' struck town the other day. And said the burg was perty small for such a show to play: That they carried sixty people and two car-loads of stuff. That wouldn't go upon the stage 'cause it wasn't big enough. He stopped down at the Central, set 'em up for all the boys, Jollied up the editors and made a lot of noise.

Said they'd broken records everywhere for big receipts. That speculators followed 'em and bought up all the seats. He fixed up all his business and was ready to leave when,— He called me in the office and made a touch for ten.

A. G. Delamater.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jackson, of Jacksonville, Fla., are visiting his parents in the city.