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Ansel and Manning for Governor. Vote for one!

Be sure and vote Tuesday for the men of your choice.

Wharton and Sullivan for Railroad Commissioner. Vote for the one you think will give us the best depots and the lowest freight rates.

Lyon and Ragsdale for Attorney-General. Take your choice.

It is the duty of every man in South Carolina to vote his ballot wisely.

The most important offices in our State and county are yet to be filled. Don't forget to go to the polls on Tuesday.

Tuesday you will have the last opportunity to vote for the men of your choice for two years. Be sure and make use of it!

The cotton season is at hand and it will not be long before the fleecy staples will be seen on every wagon that comes to town.

That was a great compliment that those 800 voters of South Carolina paid Adam Crane Jones, of Newberry, on the 28th of August.

In those \$50.00 cards in the Columbia State and the Sunday News and Courier, Adam Crane Jones, of Newberry, said he would be elected Governor of South Carolina if his friends would stand by him. They did it about 800 strong out of 100,000

Our old true and tried friend, Frank Shealy, "was running some." He got 2404 against 663 for both of his opponents. It reminds us of the Hoke Smith landslide in Georgia.

Adam Crane Jones, candidate for Governor, slapped the face of his opponent, Mr. Joel E. Brunson, a one-armed man, of whom there has never been a stain cast upon his name and an honest prohibitionist, in preference to spitting in his face. On election day, the people of South Carolina scratched his name to the tune of about 99,200 times. A just rebuke.

Dr. E. J. Etheredge, of Leesville, who has ably represented the people of Lexington county in the State Legislature for one term, is now asking the people to re-elect him to that office. The life and character of this worthy young man is well known to the people of this county. He is a vigorous fighter for the principles of right and is a ceaseless worker. His high, christian character, his clean

record in the House and his ability to serve the people, should commend him to the favorable consideration of every voter in Lexington county next Tuesday.

In the race for County Auditor we wish to say that one of the candidates, Mr. W. D. Dent, of Brookland, is personally known to us. In our issue of August 24, we published an endorsement from the people of his home town, setting forth his peculiar fitness for the duties of the office.

His life in the past has been clean; that he is possessed of all the qualifications that it takes to fill the office is not doubted, and coming into the race a perfect stranger, outside of his home town, and the vote he received in the first election is indeed a compliment to the man who is now asking the suffrage of his fellow citizens. We trust that he will receive the support that he so justly deserves.

Col. J. H. Wharton, who is in the second primary for re-election to the office of Railroad Commissioner, has served the people of South Carolina faithfully for the past six years in the office to which he now aspires. He is an old soldier who fought gallantly for

term, or even a third term, would not half repay him for the many acts of kindness he has shown to his fellow-man. Read the card of an old Confederate Soldier in another column. Col. Wharton is big-hearted and true to the principles of right and a strong fighter against all wrong. We feel that it is but just that this man should receive your thoughtful consideration next Tuesday, and we believe that the people of South Carolina would do honor to themselves and to the Commonwealth by electing Col. J. H. Wharton to a second term on the Railroad Commission.

CAMPAIGN PREDICTIONS.

Taking the gubernatorial vote as indicative of popular opinion, we find that the dispensary vote exceeded that of the anti-dispensary as represented by Ansel, by over 5,500 votes. The straight prohibition vote amounted to something over 10,000. Conceding that the dispensary and anti-dispensary vote in the second primary will remain about that same proportion, the question is where the 10,000 prohibition votes will go. We believe a majority will go to the state dispensary system as Mr. Manning represents it. We are reliably informed that Mr. Brunson, who received nearly 10,000 votes, believes in the state dispensary as Mr. Manning would and will have it, if elected, in preference to the county or license system. Mr. Brunson doubtless voices the sentiment of a great majority who voted for him. They are all prohibitionists, straight, pure, without any political or other entanglements, without any ifs or ands or buts about it. But seeing that they cannot now obtain what they want, as intelligent patriotic men they will vote for what they think will conduce more to sobriety, peace, law and order. It is inconceivable almost that they would align themselves with the license-bar-room element, and the defeat of the dispensary means the ultimate triumph of that element. Hence, we believe a majority of them will vote for Manning practically insuring his election.—Columbia Record.

BE SURE TO VOTE TUESDAY.

Next Tuesday, the 11th of September, the second primary will be held and it is the duty of every man that is old enough to vote to go to the polls and cast his ballot for the men of his choice.

In the State election there is three offices to be filled, that of Governor, Attorney-General and Railroad Commissioner. For Governor Ansel and Manning are making the second race; for Attorney-General Lyon and Ragsdale; for Railroad Commissioner, Wharton and Sullivan. These are the most important offices of our State Government, and it is your duty to help to elect one of these candidates. Vote for the principles you think are right and just. We are not going to tell you through these columns how you must vote. We have our preference; there are men in the race that we would like to see elected, but we accord to our readers the same privilege which are accorded to every man in this great and proud State of ours. But we urge you, in the name of good government, to exercise the high privilege which is extended you and vote on September 11th for the man of your choice.

Lexington. For Supervisor, one of the most important offices in the county, Mr. Geo. A. Shealy, of Edmund, and Mr. G. H. Koon, of the Dutch Fork, are making the race. For County Commissioner, Messrs D. H. Craft and W. T. Craps are out for the office. For Auditor, Mr. W. D. Dent, of New Brookland, and Mr. M. P. Lindler, of the Fork, are fighting for the place. These are all no doubt good men and are well known to most readers of The Advocate.

In the county as in the State, we have our preference, but we are not going to say how you must vote, but we want to impress upon your minds that the most important offices are yet to be filled, and next Tuesday will be the time for you to make your choice. Be sure and turnout Tuesday and vote like men. Don't let the idea get into your minds that our State is going to the bad and every time you cast your vote it makes matters worse. This is the great trouble now, you fail to exercise the great privilege that is accorded to every citizen of this broad land; you fail to go to the ballot box and cast your votes as free men for those principles of government which, in your judgment, you honestly think will redound to the betterment of your County and State. It matters not if the men you vote for get elected or not, you will feel better for having done your duty.

Again, we ask you, in the name of good government, and in the name of your County and State, to go to the polls next Tuesday and cast your ballots for that which you think is right and just.

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Double Thinking.

Professor Jastrow, writing in the Popular Science Monthly of the causes of certain lapses of speech, recalls the singular power that Sir Walter Scott, among others, possessed of conducting two trains of thought at the same time. When highly developed this power enables its possessor unconsciously to find words expressing a thought already formed while at the same time shaping the next thought period in conscious preparation. An instance is given by Scott's amanuensis, who relates that while dictating the novelists would sometimes search through a book, finding and reading a passage, and thus keeping two trains of thoughts going simultaneously. The amanuensis discovered the fact that Scott was doing double work in his brain through the occasional occurrence in the dictation of a word which did not fit in the sentence, but four or five lines farther on the place where the word belonged would turn up.

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Hardest Water.

The Rev. Samuel Peters was the man who made Connecticut's blue laws famous by their publication in his history of that state. In that interesting volume the following original bit of natural history is to be found: "In the Connecticut river, 200 miles from Long Island sound, is a narrow of five yards only, formed by two shelving mountains of solid rock, whose tops intercept the clouds. Through this chasm are compelled to pass all the waters which in the time of floods bury the northern country. Here water is consolidated without frost, by pressure, by swiftness, between the pinching, sturdy rocks to such a degree of induration that an iron crow foot smoothly down its current. Here iron, lead and cork have one common weight; here, steady as time and harder than marble, the stream passes, irresistible if not swift as lightning."

Passenger Elevators.

"He claims that he built the first passenger elevators used in this country."
 "Nonsense! The Mississippi steamboats were running and blowing up regularly long before he was born."—Philadelphia Times

Moors Consider Us Dirty.

A habit of our own which we consider far more cleanly than eating with our fingers is looked upon by the Moors as filthy—that is, washing our hands or face in a basin and, still more, taking a bath where the water is not running. The cleaner we become, they say, the dirtier the water we are washing with must necessarily become, and eventually we step forth as cleansed from water which is no longer clean. A Moor to wash his hands has the water poured from a vessel over them as I never by any chance dips them into the dirty water. The same way in their baths. The water is thrown over their bodies out of bright brass bowls and flows away through holes in the marble or tile floor.—Modern Society.

The Harvard Cross.

The iron cross surmounted with gold which is over one of the entrances to the Harvard college library (store hall) was at the time of the 1745 siege of Louisburg taken from a Catholic chapel and brought to Massachusetts as one of the spoils of victory. In 1877 Justin Winsor, the librarian of Harvard college library, found it in the cellar of the library and had it gilded and placed in the position which it now occupies.

Should Have Been Put Otherwise.

An esteemed Perthshire minister was visiting a burly parishioner suffering from the "melligrubs," or "Elie Lind-say." The strong man was intensely irritated at being attacked by disease, and he greeted his minister thus: "Weel, Mess John, I thought ye wad never come. I ken ye are busy w' thinkin' whinna fresh notion ye can gie huz on the Sawbath, and I ken ye manning yer brains—as I jalouse by readin' a' the bit bookles ye can come by to hae a crap o' profitable notions for a'body. Sit ye doon, sir, in the big chair, and, Janet, gie Mr. Pottelhead a whang o' gouda cheese, a sople scone and the grounds o' the greyberd. The bite and sup will keep his honest, putr stock. Noo, sir, it's baith lamentable and awfule, but this is the first illness I have ever had in a' my born days. I tell ye, my first illness!" "Well," replied the minister, in a voice meant to be plangent with suppressed emotion, "I most earnestly hope it may be your last."—Dundee Advertiser.

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