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OUR STANDARD-BEARERS.

FOR PRESIDENT: GROVER CLEVELAND.

OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT: ALLEN G. THURMAN.

OF OHIO.

Dr. Mayo and Education.

Dr. Mayo has again written a letter to the Boston Transcript...

Again, he says: "It is easy to say that the mass of respectable people in South Carolina are hypocrites..."

As Dr. Mayo styles himself a "liberal in politics and theology," his opinion of "Bourbonism" in education in South Carolina will certainly, or at least it ought to, have more weight than the opinions of outsiders...

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A Contemptible Business.

It has become quite common in recent years in the State of South Carolina for a certain pretentious class of men, styling themselves reformers, to oppose everything and everybody connected with the State government.

Any honest opposition and sincere difference cannot be condemned in any one, but when this opposition arrogates to itself all the virtue and honor to be found in the party and government and stoops to the low and contemptible scheme of traducing and slandering the characters of men of known and tried honesty, it becomes imperative for the honorable people of the State to severly and effectually set down upon it.

We have constantly set before us in our papers charges of actual stealing and other dishonest actions among our officials, unaccompanied by a single word, statement or evidence of proof.

Two instances may be given: L. S. Bigham, of Marion, recently stated that Governor Thompson took away from the executive mansion furniture for his own use.

Mr. B. R. Tillman also is an expert at this mean business. His style is familiar to all. He is head and shoulders above them all in such statements.

He proposes to canvass the State in opposition to the present administration. In the "secret" conclude recently held in Columbia he made many sweeping charges, among them one, that the salary of the superintendent of the Asylum had been increased from \$2,000 to \$3,000 in the past few years.

It is time to call a halt in this slanderous business, but should it continue, it will most assuredly fall into "inconuous desuetude," especially when

published to-day, the refreshing and gentle showers which have fallen since Saturday were very much needed in some sections. The cotton crop, though late, with favorable seasons can yet be large.

The Convention, on Saturday, was as usual a most harmonious meeting of the Democratic hosts of Fairfield. Several important actions were taken, among which were the election of delegates to the Congressional and Judicial Conventions.

The Convention refused to elect delegates to the State Convention, believing that this matter could better be postponed until a later time in view of the fact that all candidates for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor may have not yet been announced, and that the views of those already announced had not been made public to the voters of the county.

In electing delegates to the two Conventions, the Democracy of Fairfield very enthusiastically expressed their confidence in General Bratton and Solicitor McDonald, and pledged to each of them their most hearty support.

Under the present rules and regulations governing the primary elections of our county, it is a question whether certain parties who will be entitled to cast their votes at the general election, will have the privilege of voting in the primary.

is that the corn in this neighborhood will not carry beyond the month of January. From some inexplicable reason it is observable that this year the crops upon clay lands are not nearly so good as upon loam or even upon sandy lands...

It is very plain that the Democratic and Republican papers are filled with names of men of every degree of importance and insignificance who hoist their respective parties. The Democrats are considerably ahead in that line this year, by showing a much larger list than the enemy.

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MOSSY DALE—Cotton doing well and generally in good condition. Old corn shoots out well and will make a fair crop with good seasons.

FLINT HILL.—Not much change in condition of crops since last report. The weather has been dry and hot with northwest winds, which have had a tendency to check the growth of cotton.

JENKINSVILLE.—The weather for the past week has been very unfavorable for the crops. We had a light shower on Tuesday, which was followed by westerly winds that nearly parched the vegetation.

UPPER OAKLAND.—Cotton not growing; heading rain; very few blooms. Corn—no improvement; can't make half a crop.

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The campaign will open in the county on the 1st of August. All candidates will attend these meetings, but only candidates for the Legislature will be expected to make speeches.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER. We are authorized to announce Mr. JAS. L. RICHMOND as a candidate for re-election to the office of Probate Judge.

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