

Ashley Horne, the Farmer's and Business Man's Candidate

We appeal to the FARMERS to support Ashley Horne, to make him their candidate. Coming out of the war without a dollar, he now owns more land and he is the biggest farmer in Johnston county. He knows the farmer's life and his needs, and is pre-eminently the farmer's friend. Now is the opportunity to make a successful farmer a successful Governor of North Carolina. The farmers owe it to themselves to support Ashley Horne.

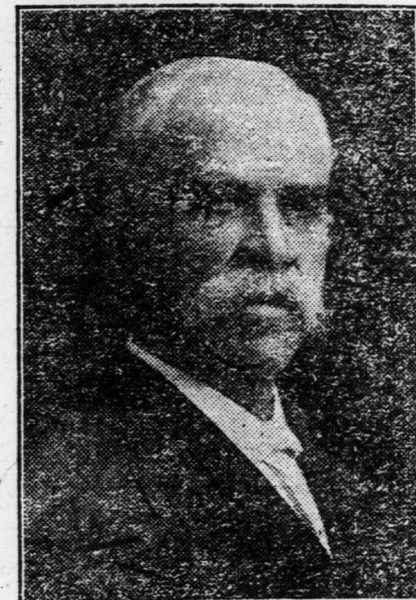
We appeal to the MERCHANTS to support Ashley Horne. Beginning with only a pittance, today he stands at the head of the line, and at his side door, perhaps, more bags of cotton are bought and paid for than at any store in the State.

We appeal to the MANUFACTURERS to support Ashley Horne. In these days of stress, of idle men and idle factories, but few, if any, men are furnishing employment to more labor than does Ashley Horne, in the cotton factories, fertilizer factories and the various other industries with which he is associated.

We appeal to the BANKERS to support Ashley Horne; President of one bank and Director of several others, no line of banking institutions in the State stands higher or has more assets in character, (the influence that pays dividends these panicky times), than the Banks with which Ashley Horne is connected.

A man of clean life; a friend to education; a friend to the Elemosynary Institutions of the State; a friend to the poor man; a friend to his fellow man; one who deserves the confidence and love of every man, woman and child in North Carolina; we call upon every man who can vote to show his appreciation of his great worth and great work, and support first, last and all the time, Ashley Horne for Governor.

He has been a big success in managing his own affairs. Make him Governor and give him an opportunity of applying his fine business sense to the management of our State affairs.



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The man who will be Governor, and Nothing more

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

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Matt. xvii, 22—Commentary Prepared
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We have just this one lesson to cover all the events of that night from the time they left the Passover room until the next morning when He was led forth to be crucified. There was never a night like that in the history of the world, when the Son of God was treated worse than the vilest criminal by the creatures whom He had made and who depended on Him, or, rather, were indebted to Him, for every breath they drew. Comparing the accounts in the four gospels, we gather the following outline of events: The discourse being ended, and the prayer, they sang a hymn, probably some portion or all of Ps. cxlvi, which, considered in this light, is full of wondrous significance. Leaving the city and crossing the brook Kedron, He entered Gethsemane, and then followed the prayers and the agony on His part, and on the part of the disciples the stupor of sleep. Then followed the arrest, Judas betraying Him by a kiss to the band which he led to take Him prisoner. Simon Peter would fain have delivered his Master from their hands, and, having a sword, he drew it and did cut off a man's ear, but this was not the way, and Jesus, having remodeled Peter's blunder, surrendered Himself into their hands and suffered them to bind Him and lead Him away as their prisoner. Then all the disciples, even the brave Peter, forsook Him and fled. They never could have taken Him unless He had permitted it, for just a word from Him sent the soldiers backward to the ground, but this was their hour and the power of darkness, and He yielded. They led Him to Annas, the father-in-law to Caiaphas, first, and then to Caiaphas, the high priest, where the scribes and elders were assembled. Here many false witness testified against Him, but no two agreed, yet they struck Him blindfolded Him, spit in His face and treated Him most shamefully. Oh, what a night it was of cruel treatment of the Creator by His creatures! One of the worst things that night was the conduct of Peter, who, standing without in the palace and warming himself at the servants' fire, denied with oaths and curses that he ever knew the prisoner. After they all for-

sook Him Peter and John returned, and John, being known to the high priest, went in with Jesus into the palace, but Peter stood with the servants. It was so that Jesus could see Peter from where He stood, and as the cock crew immediately after Peter's third denial the Lord turned and looked upon Peter, and that look broke him up and sent him out to weep as probably he had never wept before. In the morning they led Jesus, still bound, to Pilate, the Roman governor, for they had determined that He must die, and they came to compel Pilate to execute Him. Pilate, having examined Him, testified repeatedly that he found no fault in Him. His wife also, because of a dream which she had, urged him to have nothing to do with Him. Learning that Jesus was from Galilee and Herod being then in Jerusalem, he sent Him to Herod, but because Jesus would not work some miracles for him Herod set Him at naught and mocked Him and returned Him to Pilate, who, finding Him again on his hands, made a last effort to release Him by offering to release the worst prisoner he had or Jesus, for it was customary to release one prisoner at this feast. To Pilate's amazement they demanded the release of Barabbas, and then Pilate delivered Him to their will to be mocked and scourged and spit upon and crowned with thorns and killed. He bore it all, and for me, that I might not perish, and how much do I care? Does my life show that I care, and to what extent do I hate sin because it made my Saviour suffer so? Turning to our lesson chapter, we note that, as David's son Absalom rebelled against him and caused him to flee for his life across this same Kedron, so Jesus, Son of David, is now driven forth by the rebellion of His son Israel, but as truly as Jesus returned and sat on his throne David will return and reign on David's throne forever (Isa. ix, 6, 7; Luke i, 32, 33). Jesus knew all things that should come upon Him, and that made it all the harder. What a mercy it is that we do not know what a day may bring forth! Let us leave it all in His hands who loves us and never try fortune telling. Every cup which the Father gives us to drink is a cup of love, however bitter it may taste. We are called to follow His steps who when He was reviled reviled not again, but counted Himself to Him who judgeth righteously (1 Pet. ii, 21-23; iv, 12-14). When our hands are tied, as we say, by those who love Him not and we are seemingly hindered from doing what we would like to do for Him, let us not chafe or fret, but meekly submit to bearing all He permits to come and ask only that He may be seen in us and His beauty be upon us. Even if the guilty go free and the innocent suffer, consider Him. If falsely accused and all manner of evil be said of us, remember Matt. v, 10-12. Let us never on any

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