

# RENEWS SLATON ATTACK.

**Ex-Governor Brown Assails Him for  
Commuting Frank Sentence.**

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ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 26.—Ex-Governor Joseph Brown today issued an attack upon ex-Governor John M. Slaton, who commuted the sentence of Leo M. Frank. Brown also assailed Judge Adams of Savannah, who recently upheld Slaton's course, and he called on Senator Hoke Smith to make an "unambiguous declaration" of his views on the Frank case. This challenge to Senator Smith is caused by the statement of Judge Adams that Smith indorsed the course taken by Slaton.

Brown devotes much attention to the connection of Slaton with the law firm of which Luther Rosser, one of Frank's attorneys, is a member. He says that money is not the only influence that could have worked upon Slaton. He asserts that the friendship, the common interest, and the association of Rosser with Slaton could well have influenced the Governor in his action.

"In conclusion," ex-Governor Brown says, "let me say that Judge Adams refers to the 'wave of vilification that has swept over Georgia, and still survives, against ex-Governor John M. Slaton,' and adds that 'every man who has taken the position that Frank's sentence ought to be commuted will have his motives impugned.'

"Exactly the contrary has been the case. The 'wave of vilification' was upheaved in other States against the courts and fair fame of Georgia, and the press and public men of Georgia almost without exception sat mute and allowed it to dash against the very arcanum of justice and construed law. The few who dared to stand openly for the courts and the process of the law have been caustically criticised and have seen their motives impugned. Whatever may be the penalty, I have nothing to retract. My allegiance is to Georgia."

## No Tombs Fare for Unionists.

An order issued by Supreme Court Justice Tompkins affecting the seven union men, defendants in the Liebowitz murder trial, connected with the 1910 strike of the Suit and Cloak Makers' Union, permits the defendants to have their meals sent in from a restaurant and served in the Sheriff's prison guard room in the Criminal Court Building. They enjoyed the privilege yesterday, and were under supervision of Under Sheriff Jacobs.

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