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REDUCING ACREAGE AND REDUCING FERTILIZER

The following article, by Colonel R. J. Redding, Director of the Georgia Agricultural Experiment Station, is reprinted from the Atlanta Constitution of Monday, February 18th, 1906. It is of much interest to the farmer, and his careful attention is directed to it.

The work of the recent cotton growers' convention at New Orleans deserves its place in the history of the cotton industry. The action of the committee, and the adoption of the plan for the reduction of acreage and the use of fertilizer, are of great importance to the cotton industry. The plan for the reduction of acreage is a plan for the future. It is a plan for the future of the cotton industry. It is a plan for the future of the cotton industry.

But many of the most intelligent and up-to-date farmers, supported by those who are themselves active friends of the cotton industry, are unable to see the wisdom of the plan for the reduction of acreage. They are unable to see the wisdom of the plan for the reduction of acreage. They are unable to see the wisdom of the plan for the reduction of acreage.

For what does a farmer use commercial fertilizers? Not for the purpose of increasing the yield per acre and at the same time as an insurance against the loss of the crop. He uses them for the purpose of increasing the yield per acre and at the same time as an insurance against the loss of the crop.

Suppose a given farmer has usually planted 100 acres in cotton and that he has a yield of 100 bales per acre. If he reduces his acreage to 50 acres, he will have a yield of 50 bales per acre.

He will have produced on the 50 acres 50 bales, whereas before he produced 100 bales on the 100 acres. He will have produced on the 50 acres 50 bales, whereas before he produced 100 bales on the 100 acres.

Therefore, it seems to me plain, that the farmer should produce a larger percentage of the undivided portion of each bale than he did before. He should produce a larger percentage of the undivided portion of each bale than he did before.

Acres	Fertilizer	Cost
100	40
50	20
50	20
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The above is suggestive, not absolute. It is within the limits of probability. You will not get the same results in every case. It is within the limits of probability.

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COMMUNICATED

Editor Statesboro News,
Statesboro, Ga.

Dear Sir:
I have read with much interest Hon. Harvie Jordan's speech in Savannah on the 18th inst. I hope you will publish it in full. I want every farmer to read it for at this time it is of the greatest importance to all concerned farmers.

We do, the victory is ours, if not, Wall Street and the speculators have us in their grasp for years to come, and as I stated at our meeting, it is up to the farmers whether he does it or not. Some will say I can't make any money unless I plant all the cotton I can tend and gather. I say he can, and if he and all of us plant as much cotton as we did last year we will make money. We will do well to make every acre a profit, and we will see the days when we are in the market with a great many people blamed Grover Cleveland for the hard times. We will see it in Roosevelt's term of office. Who said cotton would not come down if he was elected?

The supply and demand will ever govern prices of our product if we cut the speculators and the present movement will go far in that direction. Then we can sell our cotton to the spinner. He would be glad to buy of us now. The spinners have to pay the speculators a profit, and I have seen several letters recently from spinners to jobbers, saying: "We cannot go to the market now and buy our supplies without paying a premium of one-fourth per cent," which would mean eight cents on good middling cotton, and yet the cotton is so cheap. It was cheap a few weeks ago.

If you remember I stated in our meeting, that if the farmers change to hold their meetings and sign agreements to reduce the acreage twenty-five per cent, cotton would bring eight cents before June. A great change in several letters recently from spinners to jobbers, saying: "We cannot go to the market now and buy our supplies without paying a premium of one-fourth per cent," which would mean eight cents on good middling cotton, and yet the cotton is so cheap.

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As the matter now stands the politicians have won out and have so far controlled the Southern Cotton Growers' association as to be able to force a man they did not relish off the executive committee.

The Herald is of the opinion that President Jordan has made a mistake in this instance and if he has not appointed a successor for Mr. Watson as yet, it is respectfully suggested that he appoint Tom Watson to succeed Tom Watson, or the politicians glorified by their first advance in the Southern Cotton Growers' association, may get to work and plan new inroads into the organization. It will be found to act well on the future of the association if President Jordan will throw a jolt into the politicians as soon as possible and the more severe the jolt the more salutary will be the lesson that it conveys.

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With best wishes to you, I remain,
Yours truly,
P. R. McIlveen.

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Results of Operation of the Savannah & Statesboro Railway, 33 Miles, For Three Years, Ending December 31, 1904.

GROSS EARNINGS, FROM WHAT SOURCE DERIVED.

Annual Periods	Passenger, Mail and Express	Freight	Miscellaneous Service	Total per Annum	Per mile of road
To Dec. 31, 1902	\$ 9,947 07	\$28,245 98	\$ 11 05	\$38,204 10	\$ 1,167 70
To Dec. 31, 1903	\$ 8,654 49	\$24,928 48	\$24 14	\$33,607 11	\$ 1,019 40
To Dec. 31, 1904	\$ 17,492 78	\$5,845 46	\$25 49	\$23,363 73	\$ 712 83
Total for 3 years	\$41,744 38	\$99,111 87	\$ 60 68	\$140,916 93	\$ 4,283 24
Average earnings per mile per annum for three years					\$ 1,437 76

OPERATING EXPENSES.

Annual Periods	Maintenance of way	Cond'g Trans.	Maintenance of equipment	Gen'l Expenses	Total per annum
To Dec. 31, 1902	\$ 6,029 45	\$ 9,609 02	\$ 2,800 12	\$ 2,271 01	\$20,709 60
To Dec. 31, 1903	\$ 8,654 49	\$ 12,708 74	\$ 2,800 12	\$ 2,271 01	\$26,434 36
To Dec. 31, 1904	\$ 7,750 19	\$ 14,451 91	\$ 2,800 12	\$ 2,271 01	\$27,273 23
Total for 3 years	\$22,434 13	\$36,769 67	\$ 8,400 36	\$ 6,813 03	\$74,417 19
Average expenses per mile of road per annum					\$ 2,223 19
Percentage of operating expenses to gross earnings for the three years					58 21

NET EARNINGS AND INCOME FROM OPERATION OF ROAD DURING THE THREE YEARS WAS AS FOLLOWS:

Annual Periods	Net Earnings	Taxes	Int. on Bonds	Total Surplus
To Dec. 31, 1902	\$15,850 00	\$ 951 70	\$ 6,000 00	\$ 22,801 70
To Dec. 31, 1903	\$ 19,845 50	\$ 1,553 58	\$ 6,000 00	\$ 27,400 08
To Dec. 31, 1904	\$28,899 80	\$ 1,670 58	\$ 6,000 00	\$ 36,570 38
Total for 3 years	\$62,595 30	\$ 4,175 86	\$ 18,000 00	\$ 84,771 16

Watson's Resignation Accepted.

(Augusta Herald.)
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Unexcelled SILVER KING } \$1.00 per qt. Pure Old Rye Whiskey } JOCKEY CLUB } 75c. per qt. 6 Year Old Rye Whiskey }

TWO OF THE BEST WHISKIES ON THE MARKET
BOTTLED AND SOLD BY THE
Louisville Distilling Co.
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A fussy person quickly sours the milk of human kindness.
Smile! Oh, yes, smile at everybody and everything, and if you can't smile grin!

In a woman's eye an interesting man is any man who comes to her for advice.

All well-educated Spanish women are taught from the earliest years to handle the sword.

Spanking and all forms of corporal punishment are now prohibited in the New York schools.

**KILL THE COUGH
AND CURE THE LUNGS**

**Dr. King's
New Discovery**

FOR CONSUMPTION
CROUPS AND
Free Trial

Swiftest and Quickest Cure for all
THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES,
OR MONEY BACK.

THE TEST OF GOOD BREEDING LIES IN THE QUALITY OF TREATMENT A MAN OR A WOMAN ACCORDS TO INFERRORS.

The most beautiful women in the world are those whom we love, not those whom the millions admire.

It is only after her beauty and money are gone does the society belle begin to find out that brains are useful.

The woman who does her best, lives her best and thinks her best doesn't even know that her neighbors have tongues.

Give Your Stomach A Rest
Your must be properly digested and assimilated to be of any value to you. If your stomach is weak or diseased take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat and gives the stomach a rest, enabling it to recuperate, take on new life and grow strong again.

Water Mill Ready
My water mill is now fitted up and I am ready to accommodate those who want corn ground. Uncle Tucker will make flour out of corn on every Tuesday and Friday.

The Best Place to Buy
Rais and Caps
TURNER-GLISSON CO'S.

Cotton Seed Wanted.
I am in the market for cotton seed again this season. Will pay the highest market prices for seed delivered at any station on the line of the Central Ry. in Bulloch county. Will also swap cotton seed meal for cotton seed. Before you sell your seed consult your own interest by seeing me.

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Waistings
TURNER-GLISSON CO'S

The Big Store!

Do your trading at the biggest store in the country, outside of an incorporated town. I have just added a fine

Line of Carmiechal Buggies

These are acknowledged to be the best buggy on the market; other buggy-makers try to make one as good and more of them fail than succeed. The price is reasonable and quality unsurpassed. If you need a buggy come and look at ours.

We also have in stock a full line of all grades of

COFFINS AND CASKETS

On our large floor space, which is among the largest in the county, we carry the most extensive line of General Merchandise, etc., to be found outside of a large city—anything that you want and at the right price.

We have at this season all the various kinds of farm implements, improved and old style, anything you want, you make the choice and we do the balance.

OUR - SPRING - STOCK

of clothing and Dry Goods are soon to arrive and we hope that you will take the trouble to call and see them. We carry a full line of Furniture and Stoves. In our spacious new warehouse, adjoining our main store you will find anything you need and we compete with the cheapest in price and the best in quality.

We sell fertilizers by the car load, to yarties who want it. We pay the highest price for all kinds of produce. We respectfully solicit a part of your trade and will do our best to give you satisfaction.

RESPECTFULLY,
J. E. BROWN, Stilson, Ga.

The Statesboro News.

\$1.00 A YEAR.
STATESBORO, GA. FRIDAY MARCH 3, 1905.
VOL. 4, NO. 52

Capt. W. N. Hall
Passes to the Beyond.

Another one of the old guard has passed away. Captain William N. Hall died at his home in Statesboro on Wednesday night at ten o'clock after a few days' illness of the grippe, and his body will be laid away in East Side cemetery today. He was born on June 11th 1839, and was nearly sixty-six years old.

Captain Hall was a warm hearted man, good neighbor, and of loving, happy disposition, a kind father, affectionate husband, and his friends were legion. When the war between the states came on, he was one of the first to respond to the call for troops, and for four years, he was a loyal, brave and valiant soldier. He was Captain of the Bulloch Troop, Company E, 5th Georgia regiment, and participated in many hard fought battles during the war. When peace was restored he returned to the quiet pursuits of the farm, and moved to Statesboro, and lived and died, loved and respected by his neighbors. His mother, Mrs. Sarah Brannen, is still living, and his wife, and his children, Messrs. Leon Hall, Samuel Hall, and Mrs. W. T. Smith, Mrs. W. S. Prentiss, and Mrs. B. P. Maull are the surviving members of the family.

One by one the old guard is passing away, and the confederate veterans will soon be only a memory, and when the final roll call is made, no more valiant, and kindlier a spirit will greet the Grand Commander, than Captain W. N. Hall.

Peace to his ashes, and rest to his soul.

House and Lot for Sale
Good large roomy dwelling on the corner of College street and Jones Avenue. I will sell reasonably to good party. This is well located and one of the best pieces of property in Statesboro. For particulars and terms call on me. This property is located near the school building. This February 2nd 1905.

The Best Place to Buy
Umbrellas
TURNER-GLISSON CO'S.

Baby Ease a Big Success
Every mother using Baby Ease pronounces it the best and safest baby medicine they ever used. Its cures teething troubles and all bowel complaints. It has only been on the market for two years, but in that time it has become well and favorably known as the "World's Best Baby Medicine."

Cabbage Plants for Sale
I am now prepared to fill all orders with the best early strains of plants known to the trade. Plants guaranteed hardy. Will stand severe cold, being grown in the open air. All packages put up in the most approved style known to reduce expenses. Satisfaction guaranteed.

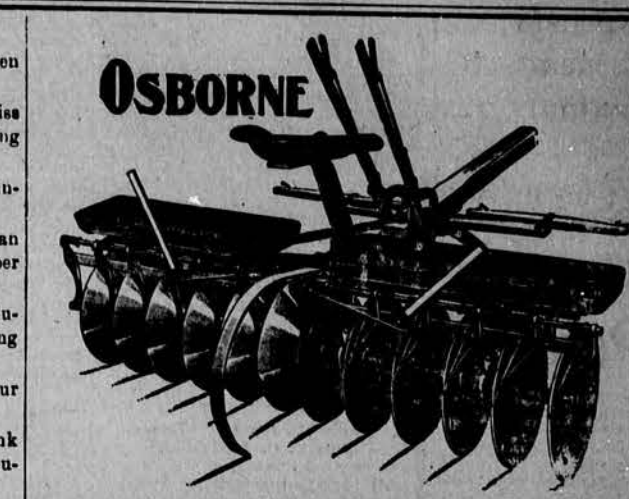
Orders solicited and promptly attended to. 500 \$1, 1000 \$1.50 a thousand, 5000 \$1.25 a thousand, 10,000 \$1 per thousand. Money must accompany order or plants will be shipped C.O.D. When ordering give express and post office addresses.
D W Mayer,
Maggett, S. C.

The Best Place to Buy
Waistings
TURNER-GLISSON CO'S

Another Grocery to Open.
Mr. Clarence Cromati, of Savannah, was in town on Wednesday and perfected arrangements to open up a grocery and general merchandise store in Statesboro. He rented one of the stores on West Main street, near the post office and will open up about the 15th. We bespeak for him his share of the business.

The Colonel's Walterloo
Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Tex. nearly met his Waterloo from Liver and Kidney trouble. In a recent letter, he says: "I was nearly dead of the rheumatism, and, although I tried my family doctor, he did me no good; I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them. Sold and guaranteed by W. H. Ellis druggist, at 50c a bottle."

Pleasant and Harmless
Don't drug the stomach to cure a cough. One Minute Cough Cure cures the mucous, draws the inflammation out of the throat, lungs, and bronchial tubes, heals, soothes and cures. A quick cure for croup and whooping cough. One Minute Cough Cure relieves a cough in one minute because it acts first on the mucous membrane right where the cough troubles—in the throat or deep-seated on the lungs. Sold by W. H. Ellis.



Farming Tools of All Kinds--Everything
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One and Two Horse Plows.
Dixie Plows.
Ga. Ratchet and Haiman Stocks
Cotton Planters.
Guano Distributors.
Planet Jr. Cultivators.

Shovels, Forks, Hoes, Rakes, Pitchforks and the many other small tools needed. Hames, Traces, Plow Lines, Single Trees, Back Bands, Collars and all other plow gear needed. Steel Plows and Dixie Points. Slides and Wings.

Our stock is most complete, bought at the closest prices, and we can and will save you money. At the same time you can always depend on getting goods that will give you the best satisfaction. Our long experience in this line guarantees you this.

W. G. RAINES,
Statesboro, Ga.

Mr. Grisham Takes Charge
Mr. H. B. Grisham, the new general superintendent of the Savannah & Statesboro railway, arrived in the city on Tuesday evening and on Wednesday morning took charge of the affairs of the road. Mr. Grisham is well known here, where he is deservedly popular. He served the road in the same capacity three years ago, and since that time he has been connected with the Seaboard Air Line railway, in charge of the buildings and bridges on the system between Savannah and Montgomery. Our people are also pleased to know that Mr. W. B. Moore, the auditor of the road, will be also retained with the road and that his headquarters will remain in Statesboro.

First New Potatoes
Mr. W. B. Bland, of Emitt, was in the city on Wednesday and brought along about a half dozen new Irish potatoes about the size of a bird egg. He says they were raised this season. He says he planted potatoes in January and they are up now and growing off nicely. He says he expects to have plenty of new potatoes in the next ten days.

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Mr. Jim Rogers, of Daisy, was in our midst Sunday afternoon. Mr. Plisha Rogers was on the streets of Emitt one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Dickerson Monday.

Dr. Cone was a welcome visitor at the home of Miss Annie Wilson Sunday evening. Mr. Harley Hodges attended preaching at Harville last Sunday. Mr. Clato Denmark was the guest of Miss Varden Hodges Sunday afternoon. Miss Agnes Rogers and brother Willie visited their parents Saturday and Sunday. Miss Julia Neesmith visited Miss Bessie Neville Sunday. Messrs. Cluse Stapleton and Penton Wilson were among those at Mr. J. B. Groovers Sunday evening. Miss Connie Wilson attended preaching at Harville Sunday. Miss Esne Denmark was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Denmark one day the past week.



Salzer's National Oats

Greatest oat of the century.
Planted in Ohio 1891, in Wis.
1892, in Mo. 1893 and in N. Dakota
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pride of our seed.

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In this, sold by drugstore, A.

WHY GET SOAKED
WHEN YOU
TOWER'S
FISH BRAND
OILED CLOTHING
WILL KEEP YOU DRY
IN THE
HARDEST STORM!
LOOK FOR ABOVE TRADE MARK OF IMITATIONS.
GIVE PRICES FREE
SHOWING FULL LINE OF GARBAGES AND HATS.
A. J. TOWER CO., BOSTON, MASS., U.S.A.
SOLE AGENTS: J. W. BARNES & CO., LTD., TORONTO, CANADA.

When the Editor read 10,000 plants for sale, he could hardly believe it, but upon reading the list, he found that John Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., the largest seed grower in the world, makes a large number of plants for sale. He will send you their big plant catalog, together with enough seeds to grow:

- 1,000 fine, solid Cabbages,
- 2,000 rich, juicy Turnips,
- 2,000 blanding, nutty Celery,
- 2,000 rich, buttery Lettuces,
- 1,000 splendid Onions,
- 1,000 delicious Cucumbers,
- 1,000 gloriously brilliant Flowers,
- ALL FOR BUT 16¢ POSTAGE.

providing you will return this notice, as you will send them 20¢ in postage, that you will send you above a package of 2000 Berliner Cauliflower. [A. O. C.]

Two thousand vessels of all countries

New Orleans will not be available until an inspection of the books of the docks is finished. Fortunately all of these were saved. Estimates of the loss vary between Superintendent Dunn's figures of \$3,000,000 and General Freight Agent Perkins' aggregation of \$5,000,000.

FIGHT OVER COTTON FINANCING

House Confers Want Senate to Repeal from Bacon Amendment.

The agricultural bill will fall unless the senate recedes from the Bacon amendment requiring cotton states to be gathered twice a month in stead of once at present. The amendment has gone forth from the house, confers on the bill.

A LIBERAL DONATION.

Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company
Assist in Farmers' Movement.

President Harvie Jordan of the
Southern Cotton Association has re-
ceived a check for \$1,000 for the as-
sociation from the Virginia-Carolina
Chemical Company of Richmond, Va.
The donation was made without any
solicitation, and will no doubt be a
great help in carrying on the work
inaugurated.

Flowers Barred from Senate.

The senate began proceedings Sat-
urday by adopting a resolution report-
ed by Mr. Lodge, from the commit-
tee on rules, directing the sergeant at
arms not to permit flowers to be

the state of Texas, involving the Texas anti-trust law. The state court found the company guilty under that law and held that it had forfeited its right to do business in the state. The case was appealed to the supreme court and the lower court is upheld.

FOR GREATER NAVY.

Carrying \$100,300,000 Appropriation Passed in Senate.

The senate Monday passed the naval bill carrying a total appropriation of \$100,300,000. The bill was discussed by many senators.

Mr. Gorman, discussing the proposed increase of the appropriation for the marine corps, declared there could be no excuse for such an increase in times of prosperity.

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THE STATESBORO NEWS PUBLISHING COMPANY.

The farmers have been hauling in cotton and hauling out the fertilizer during the past week. Look out, boys, the crop is to be reduced, you know.

The candidates for governor are all good men, loyal Georgians, and with either Howell, Estill, Brown, Smith, Hall, in the chair, the state would be safe.

The golden spring days are at hand, and the busy plowman, is turning the soil to make more corn and cotton, to feed and clothe the world.

The Central of Georgia Railway has changed its deposits to the First National Bank. This is a recognition of one of our new enterprises and shows in what measure of confidence the new bank is held.

The farmers have been making themselves pretty scarce around town during the past few days. The good weather has given them an opportunity to do some much needed work on the farm.

The loss by the New Orleans Company wharf fire is now fixed at five million dollars. Twenty thousand bales of cotton went up in smoke. This is one affective way to reduce the acreage.

We notice that Senator Clay is about to get "Deep Water" for Savannah. We thought during the last campaign that your Uncle Rufe was to attend to jobs of this nature.

Col. Geo. H. Bell has took upon his shoulders the job to get out a handsome souvenir edition of the Swainboro Forest-Blade. We wish him much success in his undertaking.

Teddy is to Be

Inaugurated Tomorrow.

The second inauguration of Theodore Roosevelt as president of the United States will be pulled off with great pomp and splendor in Washington tomorrow. The military and office seekers have been swarming the capital for the past week. There will be a noticeable absence of southern delegations.

This will be nothing strange however, as this section of the country has had very little to do in the way of assisting in inauguration ceremonies since the war. It is announced that the procession will be led by several negro companies.

It was at one time thought that the "Statesboro Mob," would have feature in the procession, but we fear the boys will not be able to be on hand. They ought to be there if what John Sharpe Williams says is true. He made public the statement just after the election that "the election of Roosevelt was due to the acts of the 'Statesboro Mob.'"

LETTER TO D. R. GROOVER,
Statesboro, Ga.

Dear Sir: What's the penalty for making or selling short-measure paint in your state?

And does it make any difference, if three-fourths of the paint is short-measure?

Is seven pints a full-gallon or a fool-gallon?

What's the penalty for making or selling white wash for paint?

Is whitewash paint, if mixed with a little paint and labeled "Pure mixed paint," or something like that?

But we don't intend to go into the business. We make DeVos lead-and-sink full-measure and true.

Yours Truly,
F. W. Devoe & Co.

IN MEMORIAM.

Next to the joy of sweet companionship, through which poor humanity is linked closer one to another in the bonds of love and fellowship, comes the process of mortal operation, by which we are enabled to recall the traits which characterize nobility in those who have departed. And when, in the battles of life, there falls from the ranks a soldier, brave and true, who is left to maintain the strife, how cause to rejoice that our comrade tell where the bravest love to die.

And this is especially true of one who, during a lifetime so short that the dewy kiss of the morning was scarcely dry upon his brow, was called to explore the mysteries of the Great Unknown.

HOLMES BLACKBURN.
After a few days of wearisome suffering, through which he was brave and patient, and by his sufferings displayed that matchless fortitude, that dauntless courage which ever characterized him, there came to him that great boon to the soul—freedom from the burdens of life, from which the spirit fled as a captive bird set free.

On the afternoon of Saturday, the nineteenth of February, Anno Domini Nineteen Hundred and Five, when the sun upon its downward slope, was falling before the spreading mantle of night, tinting earth and sky with resplendent hues of ruby and gold, the God of Mercy and Love looked down upon the sufferings of His child, stretched forth His arms and gently caressing the tired form, lulled him to rest.

Men say he is dead. Alas, 'tis but the fruition of error. There is no death for the Christian. Holmes Blackburn was animated by a heart that throbb'd with every vital function of Christian virtue; he was the highest embodiment of the Christian gentleman. Nay, he will not—cannot die. The silver cord which held him on earth indeed is loosed, but he yet lives as saint in the Paradise of God.

As the husbandman sows not that body which he afterward shall gather, but only those from which it springs, so we, in planting his mortal remains beneath a flower-laden mound, have but sowed that from which God shall gather into His garner in His own harvesting. In the lonely confines of the tomb we recognize the agency which God has appointed to hold in trust for a brief span that which is His own forever.

But what of the earthly life of this emboding soul?
I saw him when the full bloom of boyhood upon his cheek was transforming itself into that of perfect young manhood, ere the plagued hand had stroked his brow. He was happy when shedding the sunshine of his own life into the lives of others, and by that unselfish life these around him caught an inspiration of brotherly love and human kindness.

I saw him when the tide of life began to ebb—when the shadows were lengthening and the evening was hastening on. I stood by his bedside at a time when the life of life seemed to shake the very shores of Eternity, and upon his countenance was visible an expression of sweet recognition and child-like trust in the will of his Maker. From the sick chamber was sent into the hearts of his fellow men an inspiration of patience under suffering.

Again I saw him when it was with-out the bounds of possibility to fan the dying embers back into flame and the spark of life had flickered and faded from view. White winged peace sat enthroned upon the motionless brow. It was as though hovering angels had kissed down the eyelids into dreamless sleep bearing the impress of peace—the peace of God which passeth all understanding. With hands folded he lay like infant dreaming. But he could climb his way to the very presence of God.

It is not enough to say his will be missed. The expression beggars the thought. The affections of family and friends clustered about him even as the ivy clings to the wall, but from those crushed and bleeding hearts about the bedside, there must come, even in this sad hour, words of praise to God for the joy of knowing that the world was made better for their loved one having lived in it.

In committing his body to the ground we commend his soul to the God who gave it, having the sure confidence that the Lord gave, and that He it is who hath taken away. May God give to us, who are still in our pilgrimages here, grace to follow his good examples, that with him we may be partakers of eternal life.

"Eternal rest grant him, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon him."

A FRIEND.

WANTED.
Five hundred cords of wood, medium dried, four foot pine wood.

Statesboro Ice Mfg. Co.,
S. Landrum Grover, Mgr.

FOLEY'S HONEY-TAR
Keeps the cough and soothes the lungs

New Castle Exercises

The New Castle school, conducted by Prof. Geo. Franklin, celebrated Washington's birthday with appropriate exercises.

Song by school.
Life of Washington—Benj. W. Strickland.

Recitation; John Henry Jones—Dural Rushing.

Recitation; American Boy—Troy Anderson.

Events in the Life of Washington—Lucius Anderson.

Song by school.

Recitation: Washington—Fannie Anderson.

Recitation: What a Grandpa Said—Gennie Anderson.

Character of Washington—Dora Rushing.

Washington's Greatness—Terrell Rushing.

Banner Betsey made—Eliza Rushing.

B. W. Strickland.

A Dinner Invitation
After a hearty meal a dose of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will prevent an attack of indigestion. Kodol is a thorough laxative and a guaranteed cure for indigestion, dyspepsia, gas on the stomach, sour risings, bad breath and all stomach troubles. N. Watkins, Leebus, Ky., says: "I can testify to the efficacy of Kodol in the cure of stomach troubles. I was afflicted with stomach troubles for fifteen years and have taken six bottles of your Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, which entirely cured me. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will digest any quantity of all the whole some food you want to eat while your stomach takes a rest—recuperates and grows strong. This wonderful preparation is justly entitled to all of its many remarkable cures. Sold by W. Ellis.

Poison Hunting in Ante-Bellum Days.
I have read so much about' poison hunting and good singing in the Progress recently, that I have thought proper to give the lovers of such sport a few old time songs.

They were applicable in those days and they are even admissible now.

Away back "hyander," when I was a boy, every body was fond of opossum hunting, and the old and young enjoyed it. Even the preachers enjoyed it. My grandmother was a Burk county lady and loved' possum and 'taters so well that she always greased her face to her eyes while eating it—in fact she said 'possum and 'taters was the best of good eating.

Our favorite dog was Pete (not Peter Clifton) and Pete never lied. Ten or fifteen 'possums a night was no big job for Pete to find. Of course with such encouragement as this we had to sing:

"The raccoon ain a mighty man, He totes a bushy tail, He stole ole' Massa's corn at night An' hunk it on a rail."

The 'possum ain a sully man, He rambled in the dark He never know what trouble ain 'Till he hear dat ole' houn' bark 'Till he hear dat ole' houn' bark."

Bill Skipper was the climber and as he would ascend the tree after the 'possum, you could hear him humming:

Sister Sal can climb right well, But she can't climb his way to use to, But now she is practicing pitching corn

"To our old ball tossed rooster," I go down to Miss Sally's house, Miss Sally's not at home; I seat myself in the big arm chair An' stay 'till, Sally comes home.

Now these songs can be sung by the clergy, deacons, lay members and the good sisters thrown in for good measure, with propriety, and all, too, without voice culture.

All this is a reminder of what He actually took place years ago, and now gives our "associaty" something to feast upon. There is certainly no harm in 'possum hunting, even if sister Sal had to climb the tree and catch the possum.

JOHN H. CLIFTON.

A Safe Cough Medicine For Children
In buying a cough medicine for children never be afraid to buy Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it and relief is always sure to follow. It is especially reliable for colds, croup and whooping cough. For sale by All Druggists

In Memoriam

In loving remembrance of Mrs. Rachael A. Richardson, who was born March 24, 1802, died Oct. 12, 1904. She was married to Mr. William Richardson, April 18, 1800, and was the daughter of the late Benjamin Waters, of this county.

She was buried at Lane's church. Her funeral was preached by Elder J. L. Smith. She united with the Missionary Baptist church at Excalior before her marriage.

She leaves a loving husband, one brother, six sisters and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her loss. She was a true and loving wife and mother. Before she died she said, "I am safe in the arms of Jesus, and there is rest beyond the River."

Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep From which none ever wake to weep; A calm and undisturbed repose, Unbroken by the last of foes. Rest in peace dearest aunt. Written by her niece

Nettie Mikell.

Has Stood The Test 25 Years.
The one, original Grove's Tonic (Chili Tonic). You know what you are taking. It is iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. 50c.

NOTICE

If you need a sewing machine, we handle the best. The Singer, known the world over as the lightest running and most durable machine on the market. Terms to suit. We also carry a full line of oil, needles, parts and attachments for any make of machines. Repairing a specialty. When in town call and see us or drop us a postal and we will call to see you. Address

Singer Sewing Mfg. Co.,
J. E. Parker, M. S.,
Statesboro, Ga.

REDUCED RATES

The Central of Georgia offers reduced rates to the Mardi Gras celebration March 27, 1905. One fare plus 25c for the round trip for Military Companies and Brass Bands in uniform, 20 or more on one ticket, one cent per mile in each direction. From points on and east of a line drawn from Savannah to Oak Grove, Ga., to Mobile, Ala., and from points south and west of above described line, tickets will be sold March 13 and 14, 1905.

Holder of such tickets may at leave Washington returning, not later than March 8, 1905; unless ticket is deposited with special agent, and fee of \$1.00 paid at time of deposit, in which case an extension to March 18, 1905 may be obtained.

For further information apply to your nearest ticket agent.

Cotton Seed Wanted.
I am in the market for cotton seed again this season. Will pay the highest market prices for seed delivered at any station on the line of the Central Ry. in Bulloch county. Will also swap cotton seed meal for cotton seed. Before you sell your seed consult your own interest by seeing me.

Respectfully,
John G. Williams,
Register, Ga.

WHY SUFFER?
With Headache and Neuralgia when you can be relieved by using "Neuralgine" which is guaranteed to cure sick and Nervous Headaches. Four doses 10c. Sold by W. H. Ellis

Manufactured by Neuralgine Co

Messrs. Custer and Leighton Mikell are in the city, called here by the death of their uncle, Capt. W. N. Hall, and the illness of their father, Mr. J. T. Mikell. Mr. Mikell has been quite sick, but the latest reports from his bedside, are to the effect that his condition is somewhat improved.

To Cure A Cold In One Day.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Stalk Cutters
For Sale.

All parties interested in Stalk Cutters would do well to see me before buying. I have a fine lot of Steel Blade Stalk Cutters for sale at my place at Dock, Ga.

J. M. Hendricks

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Keeps Kidneys and Bladder Right

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Sea Island Bank,
Capital \$40,000.00.
'We Offer a Service that is

Prompt, Accurate and Safe

Our policy is to combine liberal treatment with due conservatism.

We pay 4 per cent. on time deposits

Your business solicited.

EXCURSION RATES
VIA
CENTRAL OF GEORGIA.

To New Orleans, La.; Mobile, Ala., and Pensacola, Fla., Mardi Gras celebration March 27, 1905. One fare plus 25c for the round trip. Tickets on sale March 1st to 6th, inclusive, limited to leave destination not later than March 11, 1905, unless ticket is deposited by original purchaser, with special agent, and fee of 50c paid at time of deposit, in which case an extension to March 25, 1905 can be obtained.

To Washington, D. C., Presidential inauguration ceremonies March 4, 1905. For individuals and members of organizations not distinctly military, one fare plus 25c for the round trip for Military Companies and Brass Bands in uniform, 20 or more on one ticket, one cent per mile in each direction. From points on and east of a line drawn from Savannah to Oak Grove, Ga., to Mobile, Ala., and from points south and west of above described line, tickets will be sold March 13 and 14, 1905.

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NOTICE
We have purchased Foy's old trestle across the Ogeechee river at Rocky Ford and have converted it into a wagon bridge. This bridge is seven-eighths of a mile long and above high water mark. Bridge will be open for traffic by February 1st 1905. Special rates for parties hauling fertilizers etc.

For particulars call on or address C. M. Capps, Rocky Ford, Ga. Rocky Ford Toll Bridge Co.

SELL FRUIT TREES.
Agents wanted, easy terms, write at once. Upon Nurseries, Yatesville, Ga.

STRAYED
One small bay mare, unbroken; last heard of at J. W. Bennett's. Any one stopping the same will please notify me at Claxton, Ga.

H. B. Wilkinson.

Campbell
Fertilizer Distributor,
Pat. Jan. 19, 1904.

CABBAGE PLANTS.
FOR SALE—I have had several years experience in growing cabbage plants for the trade and now have ready for shipment the very best Early and Late varieties of cabbage plants—best known to experienced truck farmers. These plants are grown in the open air, and will stand severe cold without injury. Prices 1 c. b. packed in light baskets, so as to make express charges lighter. \$1.25 per thousand. In lots of over 5,000 at \$1.25 per thousand. Special prices made on large orders. All orders shipped C. O. D., when money is not remitted with order. I am in better position this season to give satisfaction than ever before, as I have my plant beds at express and post office named below, which enables me now to ship plants same day orders are received. Your orders will have my personal attention. Awaiting your valued order, I am, Yours truly, B. J. Donaldson, Meggett, S. C.

FARM WANTED
Anyone having a farm of about 100 acres good land with one horse farm cleared on it, about six or eight miles of Statesboro, would find something to their interest by calling at this office, if he wants to sell. Give prices and location of land. Party will want possession January next.

JOHN CAMPBELL,
Statesboro, Ga., R. F. D. 2.

SPECIAL NOTICE
The water mill, of J. F. Olliff, at Adabelle will have regular grinding days on Wednesday and Saturday of each week. The public will take notice that we make the best meal to be had. We have an old experienced miller.

J. F. Olliff,
Adabelle, Ga.

Fish! Fish!
Gould's Grocery.

Mr. R. F. Williams of Brooklet, was among those who brightened our sanctum sanctorum with his presence during the past few days.

Mr. H. I. Finkle of Seaboard, paid us a flying visit one day this week.

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W. B. Martin's is the Place
To buy something Good to Eat and get the most for a DOLLAR
We handle Groceries and Horse and Cow Feed Exclusively, therefore if studying a thing is worth anything at all we ought to be posted on Groceries.

For a Short Time We Will Sell	Try our Buckwheat, Force, Grapenuts, Oat Meal and Postum. Get our prices on Seed Irish Potatoes, Onion Sets, Corn, Early Peas and all kinds of Garden Seed.
28 Lbs. Good Rice \$1.00	
8 Lbs. Good Coffee 1.00	
15 Lbs. Gran'd Sugar 1.00	

RESPECTFULLY,
W. B. MARTIN

Local and Personal.
Remember J. E. Bowen, the jeweler, when in need of anything in his line.
Open an account with the Bank of Metter, and ask for one of their thermometer-barometers combined which they are giving their depositors.

Judge John F. Brannen spent two days the early part of the week on his farm in the lower part of the county.

We sell nothing but the best Gould's Grocery.

You can get your timepieces repaired right now at J. E. Bowen.

Col. R. E. DeLoach, one of Claxton's leading legal lights, spent the day in Statesboro on Wednesday.

What fine seed Irish potatoes you get at Gould's Grocery.

Mr. Jas. A. Brannen, of Star, spent the day in Savannah on Tuesday.

Insure your property against loss or damage by fire. E. D. Holland, Resident Agt.

If you want to patronize home industry get your watches, clocks and jewelry from J. E. Bowen.

Rev. Whitley Langston sends in his dollar round Sander's, and tells us that he is anxious to hear from Statesboro twice-a-week. He reports his family all well.

Mr. J. W. Williams left on Wednesday for Mississippi, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Alice Spiess.

Mrs. W. W. Williams left on Wednesday for Valdosta, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. W. M. Oliver for some time.

Go to the South Side Grocery and get the famous Riggs old mill pure water ground meal.

Miss Kittie Stubbs left on Wednesday for Mobile, Ala., on an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. Bessie Seckinger.

When you buy meal, get the best. The famous Riggs old mill pure water ground meal for sale by the South Side Grocery.

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Lost—On Wednesday, either in Statesboro or on the public road between Statesboro and my place, one brown over coat. Any information as to its whereabouts will be thankfully received.

Joshua Smith,
R. F. D. No. 1 Statesboro, Ga.

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FINE WHISKIES.

I take this method of announcing to the people of Bulloch and adjoining counties that I have opened a line of Good Whiskies and will appreciate a share of their patronage.

GIVE ME A TRIAL

THE NEWS.

Published at Statesboro, Ga.
TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.

The Statesboro News Publishing Co.

This is a world in which there is always something coming off, the Dallas (Texas) News declares.

A remedy for the divorce evil might be for the clergy to preach divorce as a duty, advises the Houston (Texas) Chronicle.

Don't look for trouble in this year of grace. Trouble will save you that trouble by looking for you, the Atlanta Journal says.

Is it human nature ever to be satisfied? Last year the cotton planters were dismayed because of the short cotton crop, while this year they are even more disappointed because they have the biggest crop on record.

Political forces touch the life of the people intimately. Thus, under a monarchy or a theocracy or an oligarchy, a man with long hair passes for a poet, whereas under a republic he is thought to be paying an election bet merely, remarks Puck.

Professor Wiley's "poison squad" will undertake a course of dried meals to prove the effect of coloring matter on the human system. If it is not asking too much, we would like to have the professor show us at once the effect of the pink tea, states the St. Paul Globe.

The new Governor of Indiana has refused a railroad pass, and the new Governor of North Carolina an increase in salary! Taken in connection with the discovery of the sixth satellite of Jupiter, and various other signs and omens, it would seem from this that the millennium is near.

Chicago will probably never cease to cower over her traditional rival St. Louis on the subject of world's fairs. At the Chicago fair there was a total of 27,539,000 admissions, or a net of 21,490,000 paid admissions, while at the St. Louis exposition there were only 12,805,000 admissions in all, of which only 12,805,000 were paid.

One of the most common causes of friction between this country and foreign countries is found in the number of foreigners who come to the United States for the express purpose of attaining American citizenship and then going home, says the Nebraska State Journal, to make mischief under the protection of the American Government.

Professor Seward, of Stanford University, questions the value to Americans of the Rhodes scholarships, states Puck. His countrymen, he declares, have nothing to learn from England. Four hundred undergraduates of Columbia University, in a hush after a freshman last week, broke innumerable windows in New York and destroyed the railings of a subway station.

Advices from New York state the custom of hiring rather than owning horses and carriages is becoming much more general than it has been among the wealthy people of that city, states the Breckers' Gazette. It is related that many of the rich ladies have this season hired complete outfits and that additions are being made to their ranks every day. This custom has prevailed in Britain for a long time.

At a cry of "fire" in McVicker's Theatre in Chicago December 31 there was a panic which came near resulting very seriously. The audience, nervous at the recollection of the Iroquois disaster of a year before, made a mad rush for the exits, in which a number of persons were injured. Experience has proved that in cases of panic, whether from fire, shipwreck or what not, it is safer to stand still than to join in the dash for what seems deliverance, declares the Pathfinder. People going into crowds should instill this idea into their minds.

Stoessel is described as a German sixty years of age, who was born in Switzerland about forty years ago. It is reported that he is a drunkard and a character, being strictly temperate and a man who is to be relied upon under any circumstances, continues the Chicago Record-Herald. It may be added that he is one of the world's most splendid heroes, and has just rendered under conditions that prove him to be an ardent coward. He ought to be ashamed of himself and may be pardoned if he is at times inclined to speak with the simple bluntness of the truly great.

GEORGIA NEWS

Epitomized Items of Interest
Gathered at Random.

Making Tour of the Schools.

Dr. Wallace Butcher, of New York, agent for the national education board and for the Slater board, and W. H. Heck, his assistant, are making a tour of the schools of Georgia, gathering data for the national board. The information thus acquired will be used by the board in the distribution of funds for the aid of education in Georgia.

Port Valley Votes Bonds.

Port Valley has voted on the question of issuing \$12,000 in bonds for the purpose of establishing an electric light plant and extending the city waterworks. Out of 148 votes cast only three were against the bonds. This being more than two-thirds of the registered voters in the last municipal election, the bonds will be issued. They are to be 5 per cent and will be put on the market at once.

Will Spend \$100,000 on Highways.

The work on the macadamizing of the country roads in Clarke county will be started as soon as the weather settles thoroughly. All the necessary machinery is on hand, the men are ready and the weather alone stands in the way. The first work will be done on the road leading from Athens to Jefferson. The county expects to spend \$100,000 on this kind of work, the money already being in bank and ready for use.

The small towns of Georgia and adjoining states are responding liberally to the Southern Cotton Association and are making donations nearly every day to the movement inaugurated by the association to hold cotton, and reduce the acreage twenty-five per cent. Newman and LaGrange the past week each donated \$100 and other towns in the state are expected to follow at once. President Jordan is very much elated over the success of the movement.

New Colony of St. George.

Over five hundred attended and participated in the drawing at Cutler last Friday of the allotments to be made in the founding of the new colony of St. George by General Fitzgerald of Indianapolis, who established Fitzgerald, Ga., ten years ago. The colony members began to draw lots at 8 o'clock, and before the noon hour lumber was laid down by many for residences and business houses. Surveys for five 40 and 100-acre tracts will be commenced at once, and by September there will be a large force of farmers engaged in building up a section hitherto but sparsely settled and only partially developed.

Peachgrowers in Session.

The Georgia Peachgrowers' Association convened for its annual session in Macon with peachgrowers from attendance from all parts of the state. The most important action taken at the meeting was the adoption of the following resolution:

"Resolved by the Georgia Peachgrowers' Association, in meeting regularly assembled, That we use all our influence to secure the passage of a bill in congress putting all private car lines under the control of the interstate commerce commission; that it is the sense of this meeting that our representatives in congress be requested to favor the passage of the bill."

Educators Out for Milwaukee.

A party of prominent educators, superintendents of city schools and others in various parts of Georgia, left Atlanta Sunday afternoon on the Southern railway for Milwaukee, Wis., for the purpose of attending the annual convention of the department of superintendence of the National Educational Association.

Among those who left with the Georgia party were State School Commissioner W. H. Merritt, Dr. G. R. Glenn, president of the North Georgia Agricultural College at Dahlonega; Chancellor Walter B. Hill and State Agent J. S. Stewart of the State University; L. M. Landrum, assistant superintendent of Atlanta's schools; Superintendent Lawton B. Evans of the Augusta schools; Superintendent Otis Ashmore of the Savannah schools; Superintendent C. B. Gibson of the Columbus schools, and a number of other prominent Georgia educators.

Fine Premiums for State Fair. Premiums for the Georgia State Fair that is to be held in Atlanta during October of this year were decided upon during a meeting in Atlanta attended by the officers of the State Agricultural Society, and the officers of the Southern Interstate Fair Association, of the Capital City.

A reading of the list will show that valuable premiums are offered for county and individual exhibits. It is now worth while for any county to make a special effort to capture the big prize of \$1,000, one of the largest that have ever been offered for a county exhibit in Georgia.

The premiums determined upon were as follows:

For the best and most attractive county exhibit, \$1,000; for second best, \$500; for third best, \$200; for fourth best, \$100; for fifth best, \$50; for the next five best, \$200 each; for the next five best, \$100 each; for the next five best, \$50 each.

This makes a total of fifteen counties which will receive a special premium, and every county after these which makes a creditable showing will get a prize of \$100.

The following premiums were determined upon for the best collective individual agricultural exhibits, raised on the exhibitor's own farm:

First, \$400; second, \$300; third, \$200; fourth, \$100. For the best one-acre farm exhibit the prizes settled upon were: First, \$150; second, \$100; third, \$50; fourth, \$25.

In this classification the artistic arrangement of the exhibit will be carefully considered and will count for ten points in making the award.

President Johnson Issues Call. President M. L. Johnson of the Georgia division of the Southern Cotton Association, has issued an address to the people of Georgia, asking their support in the cotton holding movement and the reduction of the acreage. He also calls for mass meetings in every county. His call, in part, follows:

The Georgia division of the Southern Cotton Association at their meeting on the 21st instant honored me by my election to its presidency.

It provided for meetings taking place in each county of the state on the first Tuesday of March, April and May, respectively; and by the authority thus vested in me, I hereby call said meetings for each of said days in each of said months.

Georgians in the continuation of fight for right, justice, the freedom of your calling and a fair remuneration for your labors, let me warn you not to underestimate the resources, wills, devices, efforts and determination of your enemies.

Be there a man in Georgia who will now sell his cotton below the price fixed? Be there one who is not so thrilled with pride and love of Georgia that he can stay out and fall to aid in winning this fight?

Who is there within this great state who does not wish and who will not bear his part in this fight we are now waging. Men, we must whip them to a standstill; we can do it; we have only to continue in future as we have for the past thirty days. They no longer doubt we will stick; they will hold. They have changed their point of attack. They now say we won't reduce. Yet, the information continues to come: Acreage being reduced from 25 per cent to 60 per cent; indeed at every point our line grows and moves forward with no evidence of wavering. Scarcely a car of fertilizer moving.

The watchword should be "Organize." House to house, door to door, place, till not a man is missed, so that everyone has the opportunity of joining and doubt not he will do so, for there is not a fair man in this great state who is not with us in this fight. He only wants the opportunity of helping us.

BIG FIGHT IS COMING.

Advices from Manchuria indicate increased activity.

A dispatch reaching St. Petersburg from Sachetun, Manchuria, dated February 24, says: "The Japanese in superior numbers forced the Russian detachment at Taimbetchin to abandon their base at Beresene hill. The battle has been desperate on both sides. The result is not yet known." Official dispatches given out Friday dispose of the rumor of General Kuratkin's retirement from the Shikha river, but taken in connection with the Associated Press' Taimbetchin dispatch, shows that operations of an important nature are in progress in the mountain region to the eastward. The movement was precipitated by the Russians, who last week sent out two divisions and occupied well advanced positions. The Japanese attacked these positions in force. The Russians retired slowly, fighting, and Thursday evening were driven within their fortified lines. The latest dispatches prophesied heavy fighting Friday.

The war office attaches considerable importance to the blowing up of the bridge south of Hailong, and hopes it will interrupt the transportation north of the Port Arthur. Preparations for some time at this critical stage of affairs.

PART COMPROMISE

Russia Not Altogether Justified in North Sea Affair.

THE OFFICIAL DECISION

Firing on British Fishing Boats by Russian's Fleet Was Without Just Cause, So the International Commissioners Say.

The decision of the international commission of inquiry into the North Sea incident was publicly announced at the closing session of the commission at Paris Saturday.

The decision lengthily sets forth the circumstances and incidents and gives the opinion of the admirals on the various important points involved. The decision says the delay of the Russian transport, Kamschatka, following the breakdown of her machinery, was perhaps the cause of the incident. The commander of the Kamschatka signaled to Admiral Rojestvensky and reported that he was attacked by torpedo boats. "The admiral, therefore, had good reason to believe he was attacked, and gave orders for strict vigilance against the possible approach of torpedo boats."

The majority of the commission considers that Admiral Rojestvensky's orders were not excessive in view of war, particularly under the circumstances, and that he had every reason to consider the situation very alarming.

The commission, the decision says, recognizes unanimously that the fishing fleet committed no hostile act and the majority of the commissioners being of the opinion that there were not, neither among the fishing boats, nor in their vicinity, any torpedo boats, the opening of fire by Admiral Rojestvensky was not justified.

The decision further says that the Russian commissioner did not share in the latter opinion.

"In any event," the decision continues, "the commissioners are glad to recognize unanimously that Admiral Rojestvensky personally did all he could from the commencement to the end to prevent the travelers from being the object of the fire by the Russian squadron."

Concerning the squadron's proceeding without assisting the damaged trawlers, the decision says:

"The commissioners are unanimous that under the circumstances preceding and following the incident, that there was such uncertainty concerning the danger to the squadron as to warrant Admiral Rojestvensky in continuing his route."

"However, the majority regrets that the admiral did not inform the neighboring maritime powers of what had occurred."

"The commissioners declare that their views as formulated are not of a nature to cast any disrespect on the military valor nor upon the sense of humanity of Admiral Rojestvensky and the personnel of his squadron."

SHOT FOR A FOOTBALL.

Atlanta Citizen Mistaken for Highwayman and Instantly Killed. Thinking he was being held up by a footpad, Thomas G. Foote drew a pistol Sunday night at the mouth of an alley on South McDaniel street in Atlanta and shot Peter F. Ryan dead in his tracks.

Not knowing whether he had killed his man or not, Foote continued on his way to get assistance, Ryan was a well known business man, being secretary of the Atlanta Wire and Iron Works Company.

HOUSE HONORS TEXANS.

Status of Houston and Austin Accepted for Hall of Fame. The house Saturday divided its time between legislation and patriotic exercises. An hour and a half was spent in passing minor bills. Legislation then gave way to oratory, in which many members participated in honoring the memory of Sam Houston and Stephen F. Austin, following which the marble statues of each, which have been placed in Statuary Hall by the state of Texas, were formally accepted.

IS NOT SEEKING PEACE.

Japan Indifferent as to Whether War Continues or Otherwise. Japan, through her minister at Washington, Mr. Kogoro Takihara, has categorically and absolutely denied all rumors and reports that she was suing for peace, or that any act of the mikiado's representative here can be possibly so construed.

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XX Rye whiskey	2.00	Juniper Gln, double stamped	2.00
Bourbon	2.00	BRANDIES AND WINES.	
Black Warrior	2.75	XX Apple Brandy	2.00
Baker's X. X.	3.00	Apple Brandy, 8 years old	2.00
O. K. Cablet	3.00	Peach Brandy, 8 years old	2.00
Walter's Prize	3.00	Blackberry wine	1.00
Cream of Kentucky, 10 years old	3.00	Old Blackberry wine	1.00
Old Colony	3.00	Fort wine	1.00
CORN WHISKY.		Old Port wine	1.00
X Corn whiskey	1.50	Sherry wine	1.00
X X Corn whiskey	1.50	Imported Sherry wine	1.00
X X X Corn whiskey, sub stamped	2.00	Sweet Catawba wine	1.00
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WEST BOUND.				EAST BOUND.			
No. 5	No. 4	No. 1	No. 2	No. 4	No. 1	No. 2	No. 5
Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily
Sav. Stop	Sav. Stop	Sav. Stop	Sav. Stop	Sav. Stop	Sav. Stop	Sav. Stop	Sav. Stop
Only	Only	Only	Only	Only	Only	Only	Only
A. M.	A. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Leave—				Arrive—			
7:55	8:00	8:15	Cuyler	9:15	7:00		
8:10	8:15	8:30	Ellicott	9:00	6:48		
8:15	8:25	8:40	Elmira	8:55	6:48		
8:20	8:35	8:50	Olney	8:50	6:40		
8:25	8:45	9:00	Ivanhoe	8:50	6:40		
8:30	8:50	9:05	Hubert	8:45	6:48		
8:35	8:55	9:10	Stillson	8:35	6:20		
8:40	9:00	9:15	Arcola	8:30	5:50		
8:45	9:05	9:20	Sharwood	8:25	6:18		
8:50	9:10	9:25	Brooklet	8:20	6:07		
8:55	9:15	9:30	Fretton	8:15	6:08		
9:00	9:20	9:35	Statesboro	8:10	6:08		
9:05	9:25	9:40		8:05	6:00		
Arrive—				Leave—			



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ORDINARY NOTICES

Letters of Dismission.
Georgia-Bulloch County.
Whereas, Samuel Mercer, administrator of the estate of Lindy Mercer, represents to the court in his petition, duly filed and entered on record, that he has fully administered the said estate, and is therefore to, cite all persons concerned, kindred and creditors, to show cause, if any they can, why said administrator should not be discharged from his administration, and receive letters of dismission on the first Monday in March next.
This Feb. 6th, 1905.
S. L. MOORE, Ordinary.

LEAVE TO SELL LAND.
Georgia, Bulloch County.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has applied to the ordinary of said county for leave to sell land and for leave to sell saw mill privileges belonging to the estate of J. M. Hiers for the payment of debts and for the purpose of distribution. Said application will be heard at the regular term of the court of ordinary for said county, to be held on the first Monday in March, 1905.
This 6th day of February, 1905.
S. C. Hiers,
Administratrix estate J. M. Hiers.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors of the estate of J. M. Hiers, late of said county, deceased, to render in an account of their demands to me within the time prescribed by law, properly made out. And all persons indebted to said deceased are hereby requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
This 7th day of February, 1905.
S. C. Hiers,
Administratrix estate J. M. Hiers.

FOR LETTERS OF DISMISSION.
Georgia-Bulloch County.
Whereas, A. L. Johnson, administrator of the estate of J. L. Olliff, represents to the court in his petition, duly filed and entered on record, that he has fully administered the said estate, and is therefore to, cite all persons concerned, kindred and creditors, to show cause, if any they can, why said administrator should not be discharged from his administration, and receive letters of dismission on the first Monday in March next.
This Feb. 7th, 1905.
S. L. MOORE, Ordinary.

Letters of Administration.
Georgia-Bulloch County.
To whom it may concern:
J. W. Olliff having, in proper form applied to me for permanent letters of administration on the estate of J. L. Olliff, of said county, this is to cite all and singular the creditors and next of kin of J. L. Olliff, to be and appear at my office within the time allowed by law, and show cause, if any they can, why permanent administration should not be granted to J. W. Olliff on J. L. Olliff's estate.
Witness my hand and official signature, this 6th day of Feb., 1905.
S. L. Moore, Ordinary.

Letters of Administration.
Georgia, Bulloch County.
To all whom it may concern:
Mrs. Mary T. Gay having, in proper form, applied to me for permanent letters of administration on the estate of Ivy D. Gay late of said county, this is to cite all and singular the creditors and next of kin of Ivy D. Gay, to be and appear at my office within the time allowed by law, and show cause, if any they can, why permanent administration should not be granted to Mrs. Mary T. Gay on Ivy D. Gay's estate.
Witness my hand and official signature, this 6th day of February, 1905.
S. L. Moore, Ordinary.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.
GEORGIA, BULLOCH COUNTY:
To all whom it may concern:
J. P. Brannen, of said state, having applied to me for letters of administration, de bonis non, with the will annexed, on the estate of John N. Tullis, late of said county, this is to cite all and singular the creditors and next of kin of said John N. Tullis to be and appear at my office on the 10th day of March, 1905, of the court of ordinary of said county, and show cause, if any they can, why letters of administration, de bonis non, with the will annexed, should not be granted to said J. P. Brannen on John N. Tullis' estate.
Witness my official signature this February 6th 1905
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SHERIFF SALE.

Georgia, Bulloch County.
Within the legal hours of sale on first Tuesday in March next, I will sell before the court house door in Statesboro said county, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, that certain tract of land situated in the 4th district, G. M. said county, containing 28 acres and bounded north by lands of Foy and Williams, east and south by M. J. Rushing and Eli Barrow, and west by Eli Barrow. Levied upon by virtue of a J. F. F. issued from the justice court of the 4th G. M. district in favor of R. Simmon vs. W. H. Nevill. Legal notice given defendant.
This February 6th, 1905.
J. Z. KENDRICK, S. B. C.

IVANHOE.

We hear from Hubert occasionally, why not give Ivanhoe a space in the News.

Mr. Frank Warnock who has been ill with pneumonia is slowly improving we are glad to state.

Mrs. Sallie Purvis, of Eldora, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Wright of this place on Saturday.

Our school at Ivanhoe academy is progressing nicely under the skillful management of our accomplished teacher, Miss Mattie Cone. We have an enrollment of thirty-eight pupils. Our county school commissioner paid us a visit one day last week, and made a splendid talk to the children. We are glad to know he was well pleased with the work that is being accomplished here. He said that the Ivanhoe school was one of the most wide awake schools that he had yet visited. That speaks well for our teacher and pupils. We hope to have him call again.

Mr. J. M. Martin who has been confined to his room for several days is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Griner returned from Clito Sunday, where they have been visiting Mrs. Griner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson.

Mr. I. G. Lanier, of Argyle, was a pleasant visitor at the home of Mr. J. W. Wright one day this week.

Gypsy.

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City Court In Session.

The regular monthly session of the city court has been holding this week. There was only two criminal cases tried, one that of the State vs. T. H. Burns, charged with riot resulted in a mistrial, this is the second mistrial we have seen in this same case. Another case was that of the State vs. Henry Smith, colored, charged with cheating and swindling, he was acquitted.

There were no litigated civil cases tried at all. The session was a fairly tame one, nothing sensational developing.

A Novel Introduction.

Dr. Howard Co. Make a Special Price.
The Dr. Howard Company have entered into an arrangement with W. H. Ellis drug store, by which a special introductory offer will be made of 25 cents on the 50 cent size of their celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia.

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By The Tonic Route

The pills that act as a tonic, and not as a drastic purge, are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They cure headache, constipation, biliousness, etc. Early Risers are small, easy to take and easy to act—a safe pill. Mack Hamilton, hotel clerk at Valley City, N. D. says: "Two bottles cured me of chronic constipation." Sold by W. H. Ellis.

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Bulloch Represented On State Committee.

Mr. J. R. Miller, of The Statesboro News has been appointed one of the three members of the state executive committee of the southern Cotton Growers' association.

When the list came out it was published as Augustus Miller, of Bulloch. Hon. Martin V. Calvin, a member of the committee, informs us that it was the man who carried "The Handsome Bulloch County Fair Exhibit" who was appointed, and not remembering the initials at the time, the name went out wrong. There is no one in Bulloch by the name of Augustus Miller that we know of.

The other two members of the committee are, Hon. W. W. Bush, of Calhoun county, and Hon. W. L. Peek, of Rockdale county.

Appointments

Elder H. Temples, Lord willing, will fill the following appointments:

Monday after 2nd Sunday in April at The Lake; Tuesday following, Lower Lotts Creek; Wednesday, Ephesus; Thursday, Rest; Friday, DeLoaches; Saturday and 8rd Sunday, Upper Black Creek; Monday, Middleground.

He will be dependent upon the brethren for conveyance.

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Mrs. Elizabeth Miller Dead.

On Friday last at the home of her son, Mr. F. M. Miller, about eight miles from town, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, one of Bulloch's oldest women, passed quietly to her reward.

The deceased was 70 odd years of age, and it is thought that her age had a great deal to do with her death. The remains were interred at Macedonia cemetery on Saturday afternoon by the side of many other ancestors who had gone before. Rev. T. J. Cobb conducted the funeral services. There was a large crowd out.

The deceased was the mother of Rev. J. J. Miller and Mr. F. M. Miller, Mrs. Jasper N. Woods, and Mrs. Levy Newton, all of this county. She leaves a large number of friends and relatives to mourn her loss.

Quarterly Meeting

The second quarterly meeting for Zoar circuit at Paynes Chapel Friday March 19. For Brooklet at Harmony Saturday and Sunday March 11-12.

Geo. W. Mathews, Presiding Elder.

A Word From Those Who Have Used It.

We have used Bowens Guano Distributor and have saved time and money by its use. We recommend it to our farmer friends.

Jas. F. Olliff J. V. Brunson
J. W. Williams S. C. Hanks
H. V. Franklin, Adabelle, Ga.

Yesterday was a dull day considering that it was ordinary's court. Only a few people were here, and very little business was transacted.

Killing at Pulaski

Bud Parish, colored, was killed by a negro by the name of Newton on Saturday afternoon in a row at Pulaski. It seems that the brother of Newton had been in a row with the Parish negroes the night before, and he was mistaken next day for the same man, and the row was started anew. Both negroes had guns, but Newton got the drop on Parish and shot him down. Then the Newton negro turned to run; he was pursued by a half dozen or more of other negroes who fired at him as he went. After chasing him for about a mile he was lost but came up yesterday and surrendered. It is claimed that when he shot he did so in self defense.

Little Girl Burned

Bairbridge, Ga., March 8.—Olive, the three-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Harrell, was burned to death here this afternoon. The little girl was playing with a box of matches, which she ignited in some manner, and before help could reach her the flames had burned her face and body frightfully. The little one lingered in agony for several hours, dying about dusk this afternoon.

Mrs. E. A. Harrell, the child's grandmother, was badly burned about the hand in attempting to put out the flames. She reached the little girl too late to save her. The accident occurred in the rear of Mr. Harrell's home. The affair has prostrated the family, and shocked the entire city.

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L. H. SEWELL, Cashier.

Mr. W. E. Strange Dead.

News was received in the city yesterday of the death of Mr. W. E. Strange, in Sherman, Tex., on Sunday. Mr. Strange is a brother of Misses Mollie and Ophelia Strange and has many friends in Statesboro who regret to learn of his untimely death. The funeral was held at Sherman yesterday. The News extends condolence to the bereaved family.

Pulaski to Be Incorporated

Steps are being taken to incorporate the town of Pulaski, and put the place under the protection of a municipal government. A list is being gotten up asking for this end.

After Twenty Years.

Twenty years ago, Mr. James Donaldson, one of Bulloch's oldest and most highly respected citizens living near Register, lost \$25 in paper money. He had been playing in the peach orchard the day he lost it, and consequently, the ground was all scratched up to find the lost money, but a most thorough search failed to reveal its whereabouts, and it was given up as lost.

One day last week Mr. Donaldson took down an old bible that was given him by his mother years ago, one that had not been used for the reason that there was another family bible in the house. He opened its pages and the \$25 bills dropped out. They had been there for all these years where he had placed them and forgotten it.

Saw Mill Burned.

On Saturday the saw mill of Messrs. Proctor & Burns, between Stillson and Hubert was burned. The property is a total loss, just how much we failed to learn. It is understood that they will rebuild at once.

Chloroform the Old Men

Recently Dr. Osier, an expert on matters connected with the brain and an authority on many other subjects, was quoted in the papers as having expressed the opinion that a man ceased to be useful after he passed his fortieth birthday, and that all men over sixty should be chloroformed. This reported assertion created much interest and many papers made a vigorous reply. This caused Dr. Osier to make the following corrections:

"I have been so misquoted in the papers that I should like to make the following statement: 'First—I did not state that men at 60 should be chloroformed. That was the point in the novel to which I referred, and on which the plot hinged.

"Second—Nothing in the criticisms have shaken my conviction that the telling work of the world has been done and is done by men under 40 years of age. The exceptions which have been given only illustrate the rule.

"Third—It would be for the general good if men at 60 were relieved from active work. We should miss the energies of some young old men, but on the whole it would be of the greatest service to the sexagenarians themselves.

It looks very much to us as if this discussion will convince nobody. Dr. Osier may be right, but who will believe him? What man over 40 will consent to be called a back number and what man over 60 will agree that he is out of date?

Dr. Osier should go to England and stay there—Courier-Dispatch.

For Fifteen Days I Will Offer the Following Bargains.

Clothing	Pants.	Shoes.	Dress Goods	Specials
\$12 to \$15 suits going at \$8.00	\$8.00 pants going at \$1.98	Ladies' shoes worth \$2.00 for 1.25	All flannels at 60c and 75c for 85c	Every day from 10 to 11 o'clock
\$10 suits going at 6.00	150 pants going at 85c	Men's brogans worth 1.25 for 95c	All wool goods worth \$1 for 60c	Percales worth from 10c to 12c will go at 7c
Children suits worth from \$4 to \$5 going at 2.48	These are great bargains	Don't miss these bargains.	All white waist goods worth 50c going at 30c	Dress gingham worth from 10c to 12c going at 8c
			Flannellette worth 12c and 15c going at 9c	Calico worth 5c at 4c; 6c at 5c

P. WILLIAMS, Statesboro, Ga.

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Refreshments of all Kinds

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Our 20-Syrup double-draft Fountain (the largest and most complete apparatus ever used in a town the size of ours) will be here about March 15 and we will need more room.

We are going to offer some special bargains from now until April 1st and it will pay you to visit our store when out shopping.

REMEMBER!

We are always cheaper than the other fellow, and now we are still cheaper for the next few days.

THE RACKET STORE,
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