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## Marey E. Grimes

Jeweler and Optometrist,  
Expert Watch Repairing and Eye Examinations.



Diamonds,  
Watches,  
Fine Jewelry,  
Cut Glass Etc.

I wish to call your attention to the fact that when you anticipate investing in a good watch, a diamond ring or any piece of jewelry that will pay you to consult me before hand. Also since having good help I am better able to turn out repair work at short notice, and can devote more time to eye examinations.

Orders by mail or express will receive our prompt attention.

### Notice.

To the Colored Farmers of Bulloch County:

By order of R. R. Wright, president of said conference, College, Ga., on the 27th day of this month all the colored farmers are requested to meet at the First Baptist church in Statesboro, at 11 o'clock. Be sure and bring some mission to pay for advertising, to D. E. Dickerson, Chairman B. C.

Billious Bill was getting bloated, and his tongue was much coated. Patent "Kodol" wouldn't cure him. All his friends were badly frightened. But their spirits soon were lightened. For Bill said—and they believed him, EARLY RISEY pills relieved him. Sold by W. H. Ellis, druggist.

**FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR**  
Soothe the cough and heal the lungs

### Snap School.

The fourth month of our school closed today, Friday the 6th. On account of cotton chopping, our average is cut short being only 80%. The honor pupils of this month are as follows:—

#### HONOR ROLL.

Enmit Lee Stella Lee  
Lulu Waters Mamie Lee  
Charlie Dutton Earnest Lee  
Maybel Blunson Linton Evans  
Fannie Simmons.

It would be a great consolation to a man if he could only realize that, no matter how he married, it probably would have turned out about the same.

A woman dislikes men who understand her.

Children are the sure way to escape the disgrace of dying rich.

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.

**FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR**  
For children; safe, sure. No opium.

Mr. Rufus Best returned from Brunswick, S. C., where he has been spending a few days.

Miss Estelle Best was the guest of Miss Effie Hart last Sunday.

The masquerade party at Mr. Jno. Waters on Saturday night was enjoyed by all who attended.

Mrs. H. V. and Miss Newton visited Statesboro Saturday.

Mr. Desse Newton was the guest of Mr. George Best Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robbins were the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Best Sunday.

Misses Ophelia and Irene Beasley passed through our vicinity Monday evening.

Mrs. Emma Sikes was the guest of Mrs. R. L. Best Saturday night.

Mrs. Alice and Estelle Best were the guests of Mrs. Hannu Newton Saturday.

Strictly Genuine.

Most of the patent medicine testimonials are probably genuine. The following notice recently appeared in the Atchison (Kan.) Globe: "Joe Tack, a well known engineer, running on the Missouri Pacific between Wichita, Kan., and St. Louis, Mo., was one with a picture, and when he was in this office today, we asked him about it. He says he had terrific pains in his stomach, and thought he had cancer. His druggist recommended Kodol and he says it cured him. He recommended it to others, who were also cured. 'Kodol Dyspepsia Cure' digests what you eat and cures all stomach troubles. Sold by W. H. Ellis.

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## 1862. Baldwin 1905.

44 Years of Progress Crowned By  
The World's Highest Honors.

The recent victories of the house of Baldwin at the Paris Exposition give to its products a value and prestige not possessed by any other American piano.

The grand Prix awarded the Baldwin Piano is an honor coveted by all the manufacturers of the world, but which has never been bestowed upon any American piano except the Baldwin.

The Silver Medal awarded the Hamilton pianos and organs shows the estimate of the International Jury of these standard instruments.

The fifteen other awards (Gold, Silver and Bronze medals, and honorable mentions) serve to emphasize the GREAT ONE, and show the high value placed upon the details of construction and the inventiveness embodied in these instruments.

8,000 Pianos ANNUAL CAPACITY OF THE FACTORIES 5,000 Organs

Strictly Genuine.

We have unsurpassed facilities for the production and distribution of pianos and organs, and can offer to the trade inducements worthy of attention in instruments of the highest artistic excellence, as well as those of medium grades.

Our products are: Baldwin Pianos, Grand and Uprights—Grand Prix, Paris, 1900 and St. Louis 1904 (Highest Artistic Excellence.) Ellington, Hamilton, Howard and Valley Gem Pianos, Hamilton and Monarch Organs.

Factories: CINCINNATI and CHICAGO. For Catalogues and Prices Address L. G. LUCAS, Statesboro, Ga.

FLY. Quite a large crowd attended preaching at Mill Creek Sunday.

We are sorry to report the illness of little Clyde, the one year daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Marsh, but wish for her a speedy recovery.

Misses Edner and Annie Mincey were the charming guests of Misses Jettie and Minnie Parish on last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Alma Bland is able to be out again, and enter school at the Enterprise academy, which is being taught by Prof. D. L. Deal.

Miss Emma Jones, of Monte, returned last Saturday to the home of Mr. Jno. Crumley and will start another school at the Donaldson academy near Mr. Jar. Donaldson's home on May 8.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Beasley were pleasant callers at the home of Mr. M. B. Marsh.

Meas. Horace and Hubert Marsh entered school at Bradwell on last Monday morning.

Why Suffer From Rheumatism. Why suffer from rheumatism when an application of Chamberlain's Pain Balm will relieve the pain? The quick relief which this liniment affords makes rest and sleep possible, and that alone is worth many times its cost.

Many who have used it hoping only for a short relief from suffering have been happily surprised to find that after awhile the relief became permanent.

Mrs. V. H. Legett of Yum Yum, Tennessee, U. A. writes: "I am a great sufferer from rheumatism. One morning I was unable to get out of bed. I had heard of Chamberlain's Pain Balm as the only thing that will relieve the pain." For sale by all druggists.

Most people can find time to find fault.

Marriage is a safety pin that often comes unstuck.

Some people acquire fame without forgetting their politeness.

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

When money marries a title the title may be justified in suing for non-support.

A fool begins to acquire sense after he is divorced from his money.

One of the greatest blessings a modest man can wish for is a good, reliable set of bowels. If you are not the happy possessor of such an outfit you can greatly improve the efficiency of those you have by the judicious use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are pleasant to take and agreeable in effect. For sale by all druggists.

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\$100 A YEAR.

STATESBORO, GA., TUESDAY MAY 16, 1905.

VOL. 5, NO. 10

## NAN PATTERSON SET

FREE WITHOUT BAIL.

### District Attorney Jerome Requests Recorder Goff to Discharge Her and He Agrees.

New York, May 12.—Nan Patterson, the one time Florida show girl, was released from the Tombs prison today, after almost a year within its walls, awaiting a determination of the charge that she had murdered her protector, Caesar Young, a race track bookmaker.

She will leave for Washington this afternoon. She was loudly cheered by a crowd of 2,000 persons as she left the prison.

Her release was made at the instance of District Attorney Jerome, who said he did not believe another trial would result other than a disagreement.

At the same time, he declared that there had been a serious miscarriage of justice. He said many of the newspapers had labored to create sympathy for the girl, and that this case had "caused one more step in this country toward trial by newspaper rather than trial by jury."

He approved of all his assistants, Mr. Rand, had done or said in conducting the case, and added: "The people for whom I care approve our action. From the same which you have just passed and to permit every action of your life hereafter to be guided by that experience. I feel sure that you will do so: that you will remember your ordeal."

His newspapers.

In the course of his address to the recorder, District Attorney Jerome criticized the newspapers for their statements about the expense of the case, declaring that they had made "gross misrepresentations of the cost of the trials," and that the accounts of "enormous expenditures flaunted before the public" were erroneous.

He said that his auditors had made an estimate of the cost of the case, which did not exceed \$8,000.

In his defense of Mr. Rand the district attorney declared that the attacks upon his chief of staff, as he termed Mr. Rand, were "wilful and mendacious" and that though made by his "professional brethren," he considered them unjust in the extreme. He said he upheld Mr. Rand in everything he did during the trials and considered his conduct of the case an exhibition of bravery on his part.

SMITHS ARE RELEASED.

NAN RECOVERS NEWSPAPER MEN.

At the St. Paul Nan Patterson received a number of newspaper photographers and sketch artists who wished to have a good portrait of her. She said the newspapers had treated her so well that she could not refuse when they asked the privilege to photograph her.

It was her desire to go to Washington at once, but she feared she would not get ready to go this afternoon. It was necessary that she have a conference with Mr. Levy, her senior counsel, before going away. At any rate she hoped to go tomorrow. She could not believe she was free, she said. The ride up Broadway bewildered her for a time, but she declared that she was very happy and very grateful to the many who had been kind to her.

Miss Patterson declared she would not return to the stage. Her one idea, she said, was to get

home as quickly as possible and take a long rest.

During the court proceedings in the Smith case today counsel for Smith said in answer to a direct question by District Attorney Jerome that his client would admit that he fled from the state in wilful defense of the court, and that this action was taken on advice of counsel for Miss Patterson.

It was announced late today that Miss Patterson would leave for Washington at midnight over the Pennsylvania railroad.

HER MOTHER COLLAPSES.

Washington, May 12.—The first intimation that Mrs. Patterson, the mother of Nan Patterson, had of her daughter's release was contained in the Associated Press bulletins from New York. Mrs. Patterson at first would not believe the news, but when convinced that the report was correct and that her daughter would arrive home this afternoon, she collapsed and physicians were hurriedly sent for.

When the bulletin was carried to the family Miss Patterson's three married sisters were seated on the porch. Mrs. Patterson refused to be seen but the news was carried to her by one of her daughters.

The first member of the family to hear the report was Miss Patterson's brother, who was found at his place of business. He also at first was unwilling to believe the news because he said for a year the family had been misled by untrue reports of his sister's liberation. When finally convinced that the report was true, he said: "That is what we have been praying for a year. It seems too good to be true. The agony which my mother and all of us have suffered is all at an end."

Miss Patterson received a check for several hundred dollars this afternoon and at once sent \$250 down town to pay Smith's fine. The remainder of the amount called by the check was turned over to Lawyer Limberger. Smith's counsel, in part payment of his fee. Miss Patterson expected that Smith would be released immediately upon payment of the fine. The name of the sender of the check was not revealed.

Base Ball Tomorrow!

Statesboro

Augusta.

EVERYBODY COME

Admission 25c. and 15c.

The Blue and the Gray.

Washington, May 11.—Veterans of the Union and Confederate forces gathered here today for a two days' social and non-political rally. The meeting is intended as a preliminary to a permanent fraternal organization, national in character, of the blue and the gray and with the idea of holding in Washington in 1908 a grand reunion and review. It is not the intention of the new organization to interfere in any way with any association of veteran soldiers.

Cleared for Action.

When the body is cleared for action, by Dr. King's New Life Pills, you can tell by the bloom of health on the cheeks; the brightness of the eyes; the firmness of the flesh and muscles; the buoyancy of the mind. Try them at W. H. Ellis' drug store, 25 cents.

## Augusta Vs Statesboro.

On the Statesboro base ball diamond on tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon, Augusta and Statesboro will cross bats. This is probably the best team that has ever tackled our boys, and it is expected that there will be an interesting game.

Ball Game Resulted in Tie.

One of the prettiest games of base ball ever seen on the Statesboro diamond, was that played on last Friday afternoon between the Stillmore and Statesboro teams. The game resulted in a score of 1 to 1. Statesboro making one score in the first inning, and fall to score any more. Stillmore failed to score at all until the last man was up in the ninth inning, when they, too, made a score. The tenth inning was played with a hope to untie the score, but both sides fanned in regular order.

The Stillmore boys felt elated at tying a team that has defeated all comers. Never before has the home team been run so close on its own diamond. The game was a clean one and everybody who went out enjoyed it.

Quarterly Meeting.

The second quarterly conference for Statesboro station Methodist church, will be held at the church on Wednesday 17th inst. 4 p. m. A full attendance of the official members is requested. Rev. Geo. W. Mathews, presiding elder will preach at 8:15 p. m.

Truck Market Glutted.

The reports from the vegetable and truck markets are to the effect that the market is completely glutted with every vegetable imaginable. It seems that this great country of ours can produce more good things to eat than people can destroy.

Saved By Dynamite.

Sometimes a flaming city is saved by dynamite. So it was in the case of a small town in Georgia. A small town in Georgia was threatened by a fire. A small town in Georgia was threatened by a fire. A small town in Georgia was threatened by a fire.

Mr. N. V. B. Foss has the contract for the repairing of the brick store of Mr. B. T. Outland. He will start work on it in a few days.

Yesterday afternoon all but Jim Brown were tried before Judge E. D. Holland, and he found Wash Burns, Steve Ellis and John Mikell over to city court under bonds of two hundred dollars each. Brown will be tried today. The evidence showed that these parties had been selling liquor on the streets Saturday night being their favorite time.

## FOUR ARRESTED FOR SELLING WHISKEY

Statesboro Authorities Make a Round Up and Bag a Number of Well Known Characters.

### Mon. W. S. West.

Senator W. S. West, of Valdosta, was in the city last week. He spent the night here on Tuesday night and left on the Central Friday morning. Col. West is a candidate for president of the state senate, and was here for the purpose of laying up a few rails that had been blown off of his fence. How much encouragement he got we, of course, are not in a position to say, but we believe that every thing in this section of the state stands pat the other way.

Senator Strange, the only man here who has a vote, states that he is for Murphy Candler, and we learn that the other members of the senate from all this section stand pretty much the same way. But Senator West made an impression here; he carries himself in a dignified way, and wore the most extended edition of Gossling Driver coat we ever saw. Col. Don Clark's not excepted. It was a regular "Jim Swinger," and it is needless to say he makes a "clean sweep" wherever he goes.

Col. West is a South Georgian, and we generally stand to the men from our own section, every thing being equal, but in this fight everything is not altogether equal.

On the questions that have affected the great common people before the legislature, the votes of Murphy Candler, who is an opponent of Col. West, have been on the side of the people, while those of Col. West have been on the side of the corporations and against the people. It is simply a question of the corporations vs. the people in the contest for the presidency of the senate. Candler is the people's candidate, and he is the man who is going to win.

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## 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 Carmichael 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 country, 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 staidious new ware house, 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 parties 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.

## M. DRYFUS,

"The Clothier."

111 BROUGHTON STREET, WEST,  
Savannah, Georgia.

## Good Clothing

AT Reasonable Prices.

AGENT FOR Walk Over and Banisters' Shoes.

Panama Hats and Straw Hats of all Kinds. Mail orders solicited.







## CIVIC VIRTUE AND PUBLIC SPIRIT.

Without public-spirited men,

there would be no progress, and it

is really unavailing to see a few

men trying to help a town by put-

ting their money into public en-

terprises, and see the suckers set

by and not contribute a cent, and

reap increased values of their

property by the outlay of other

people's money. And yet every

town is afflicted by those kind of

people. Another affliction on a

town is to have people in it who

take sides with the law breakers,

blind tigers, etc. While big ho-

tels are valuable, yet the most

valuable asset of the future are

the boys and girls, and yet we

have men in every town who will

not hesitate to wreck a boy with

mean cigarettes and mean liquor,

and if you happen to corner one

of the sellers, you will find men

ready to rush to their rescue and

will protect and shield them from

prosecution. Men have been heard

even to say they would not if they

were on the jury convict one of

these law breakers even if they

were guilty.

When you catch up with a mean

negro for selling blind tiger liquor

there is always some mean white

man at the bottom of it. Well,

now, those kind of white men

have understood in this town that

they can't do as they please, and

unless virtue has departed, and

the good men are in the minority,

they will learn this lesson over

again. It may take some big fines

and long chain-gang sentences, but

people are not going to let hood-

lums run a town, and ruin the boys

with liquor and cigarettes. A

hotel is nothing, public enterprises

are nothing, if the youth of the

country are to be the sacrifice of

modern progress. Better have

no public spirit if the protection

of society is to be forgotten in the

mad rush for great buildings and

rich institutions.

All needed improvements of a

public nature will come along in

their time as needed, and will take

care of themselves to a great ex-

tent, but you owe a standing duty

to society from day to day to pro-

tect it and the youth of the land

from vice influences, and to help

enforce the laws of the land

against the violators.

Help Your Town.

You can help yourself and help

your town at the same time, if

you will do so. For instance, if

there is an enterprise here that

has been built with home capital,

help it along and give it your

patronage. Don't try to cripple

it by sending off for a product

made at home, but encourage the

home manufacturer, and you will

see your town build up. There is

no encouragement for a citizen

to help build up his town by start-

ing an enterprise, if half the citi-

zens oppose him and try to ruin

his business by getting up opposi-

tion where none should exist, or

try to kill a public enterprise by

sending away for what you want

when you can get it just as good

and cheap at home.

There is too much disposition

among people to oppose anything

## One Cold and Another

The season's first cold

may be slight—may yield

to early treatment, but the

next cold will hang on

longer; it will be more

troublesome, too. Un-

necessary to take chances

on that second one. Scott's

Emulsion is a preventive

as well as a cure. Take

SCOTT'S EMULSION

when colds abound and

you'll have no cold. Take it

when the cold is contracted

and it checks inflamma-

tion, heals the membranes

of the throat and lungs

and drives the cold out.

Send for free sample.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists

409-415 Pearl Street, New York

and all druggists

"The Scourge of God."

(Savannah morning News.)

It seems to be human nature to

attribute the outcome of battles

or other great ventures to divine

or occult interference, according

to the religion of the commenta-

tor. The Japanese, for instance,

credit their successes to the

"sublime virtues" of their emper-

or, while the Russians depend

largely on their blessed ikons to

give them victory. Meanwhile the

German Emperor is of the opin-

ion that God is using the Japan-

ese as a lash with which to punish

the Russians for a lack of fullness

in christian faith and practice.

At Wilhelmshaven the Kaiser told

the naval recruits, to whom he

made a speech, that "the Japan-

ese are the scourge of God, like

Attila and Napoleon," and that

it developed upon the Germans to

"take care that God does not

chastise us some day with such a

scourge." He further said that,

in his opinion, the Russian de-

feat was "due to the fact that

Russian Christianity" was "in a

deplorable condition." He said a

tribute to the patriotism and

bravery of the Japanese soldiers,

but warned his hearers that Ja-

panese victories did not mean

that the "heathen" religions of Ja-

pans were better than the Chris-

tian religion of Russia.

It seems to us that in the effort

to create sympathy for Russia, too

much stress has been placed on

her alleged Christianity and hol-

iness. It is rather saddling the

Christian religion with a heavy

and obnoxious load to attempt to

hold it to be connected in any

manner with the doings of the

grand dual coterie that has for

years misruled Russia and perpe-

trated innumerable crimes in the

name of the church. There was,

until recently less freedom of

conscience in Russia, probably,

than in any other country of the

world, and it is quite likely that

this religious oppression is largely

responsible for the country's pre-

sent deplorable political condition.

But it isn't right to connect the

Christian religion with it. The

bureaucrats and the designing and

corrupt politicians are to blame.

Meanwhile it is unfair to call

Japan a heathen country. Japan

has no state of religion. The ma-

## Judge Spear Refuses to

Quit Farmers Until Letter.

(Macon News.)

Once again Judge Spear showed

this morning his sympathy for the

poor farmer of Georgia.

Many times in years past he

has shown that he sympathized

with the plain people of this

state and again today he did an

act which will, in all probability,

be greatly appreciated by those

satisfied.

Such a street fair as was propo-

sed the supreme court declares,

"is a public nuisance of the most

aggravated nature."

There is nothing in the charter

of the city of Augusta which per-







## Good Whiskies.

Any brand or any price most that you want. Give us a trial, if we don't treat you right, then try somebody else—but we will do you good

**J W Palmer** Per doz. qts \$12. **King Leo** Per doz. \$8  
Per Gallon \$4. Per Gallon 4  
**Cabinet Whiskies** Per dozen Qts. \$6  
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We are in a position to handle your  
**Chickens, Eggs, Potatoes, Hides, Tallow,  
Bees' Wax, Etc., to the best Advantage**

We will get the top of the market for you and report sales, accompanied by check for same, the same day the produce is sold

Respectfully,

**L. J. NEVILL & CO.**

Cor. Congress and Jefferson Sts.

Savannah, Ga.

### Senator Flinn's Chicken Story.

Former Senator William Flinn told an interesting story of chicken-raising the other day at the Hotel Duquesne, says the Pittsburg Gazette, in an interval of the political harmony conference conducted by Senator Penrose, which he used to typify the strenuous life of men to gain a foothold in the world. Ex-Senator Flinn has a small farm in Allegheny county, which he holds chiefly to get his supply of fresh eggs and butter and garden truck.

One day the senator paid visit to his farm and on entering the chicken house was stuck by what was to him a novel sight. He saw a number of cabbage heads suspended from the roof of the chicken house to within about three feet of the ground.

"What's that for?" he demanded, pointing to the cabbages.

"They are for the chickens," his farm manager answered. "The chickens are very fond of cabbages and to good layers they must have exercise. We cannot turn them loose outside and to give them exercise in here we put up those cabbages to make them jump for wunner they are hungry. If a chicken does not jump for the cabbage we soon get rid of it."

"Thus it is with men," observed Senator Flinn, philosophically. Unless a man jumps up and bustles he is soon brushed aside to make way for a better man."

### Chamberlain's Cough Remedy The Very Best.

"I have been using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and want to say it is the best cough medicine I have ever taken," says Geo. L. Chubb, a merchant of Harlan, Mich. There is no question about its being the best, as it will cure a cough or cold in less time than any other treatment. It should always be kept in the house ready for instant use, for a cold can be cured in much less time when promptly treated. For sale by All Druggists.

### Notice

I have 197 acres of land lying in the 1840 district, seven miles north of Groveland, sixteen miles south of Statesboro, about forty-five acres of cleared land, clear of stumps except a few, nearly a half mile of wire fence well put up, lot and yard very well fixed up. If you want to purchase come and look. R. F. D. mail route in front of gate.

J. E. Bennett,  
Ketus, Ga.

### Notice.

Having put my two shops into one I am prepared to wait on my friends and customers on short notice. Thanking you for past favors and hoping to be favored with part of your future patronage, I am,

Respectfully,  
"Pete The Barber."

## Baby Ease

CURES

**BOWEL AND STOMACH TROUBLES**

Makes Teething Easy

25 and 50 cents per bottle.

HARMLESS.

### Snake Yanked Off His Boot.

Allentown, Pa., May 7.—Snakes are out in Lehigh, and according to the declaration of Joel Hoffman of Siesholtzville, one big black snake in particular, is a living bootjack. Hoffman limped into Red Lion yesterday with one boot on and one boot off. He asserted that he had tried to kick what he thought was a stick out of the path when he was suddenly tripped up. Recovering his scattered senses he found that a seven-foot black snake had coiled half its lithe sinistosity around his left boot and the other half around a small pine tree. Hoffman tried to yank his foot loose and the boot came off. Terrified by his experience he fled.

A party of doubters went in search of the snake, but after it had gone a short distance it met a breathless runner, who inquired if there was a preacher in the crowd, as he wanted to take the pledge. Being cross-examined, he deposed that he had seen a black snake crossing the hills, carrying what appeared to be a section of stove-pipe. No further confirmation of

Hoffman's story being desired, the doubters turned back.

### COMMUNICATED

Statesboro, Ga. May 15, 1905.

Mr. Editor: I have just returned home from the sight of seeing fifteen lovely souls baptized into the Primitive Baptist faith. Words fail me to describe the heavenly scenery. I told you in last Tuesday's issue that I believed we were going to have a good meeting.

Oh, what a sweet, lovely time it has been! I can't see how one of God's children could object to one of these yearly meetings when conducted like the one which has just closed. I have never seen more love manifested among the dear people of God than I have witnessed for the last eight days.

God bless our dear brethren and sisters and unite and keep them in peace and christian fellowship. Oh, may His richest blessings rest upon our town, and may we be enabled to keep His holy commandments.

M. C. Jones.

## CABBAGE!

I can furnish nice fresh headed **Cabbage** by express, f.o.b. here, at \$1.25 per barrel crate. This price holds goods until Saturday 6th. Give me a trial order.

Money Must Be Remitted With Order

Yours to serve,

**B. J. DONALDSON,**  
Meggetts, S. C.

## CABBAGE!

## Delings In The Local Field

Mrs. Mattie Jones will leave the first of this week for Yamacraw, S. C., to visit her sister, Mrs. A. E. Owell. She will be away for about a month.

**FOR SALE**—Seven room house and lot for sale. Apply to A. H. Mathews.

Phone us for what you want in groceries, Goulds Grocery

The old reliable Mathushek and Chickering pianos, sold in every part of the musical world. Terms and price, address

L. G. Lucas,  
Statesboro, Ga.

The hot weather for the past week has put "the ice man" in complete control of the situation.

If you want your groceries delivered promptly, phone Goulds Grocery.

For fruit and vegetables see us, Goulds Grocery

Mr. A. F. McCroan, of the northern part of the county, spent several days the past week visiting relatives at Liberty City and Savannah.

Bring me your produce, Goulds Grocery

**FOR SALE**—Four head of good milk cows for sale; apply to the undersigned.

James M. Mincy,  
Statesboro, Ga. Route No. 2.

Remember we guarantee everything we sell. Goulds Grocery

Mr. Elias Daniels, one of Miller's prominent business men, was in the city yesterday morning for a short while. Mr. Daniels is very enthusiastic in his support of the new county movement. He has strong hopes for the creation of Dixie the new county of which Miller is to be the county seat.

Fish every day, fresh meat every Saturday. Goulds Grocery

**REWARD**—I will pay one hundred dollars reward, with proof to convict the party who set fire to and burned my barn with corn, fodder and two mules on the night of April 26th. This May 9th 1905.

A. J. Miller,  
Rocky Ford, Ga.

Yes we want your trade and will treat you right. Come and see us Goulds Grocery

Mr. N. V. B. Foss spent several days last week visiting at Vidalia.

A car load of fine horses for sale at Smith & Olliff's.

Mr. S. C. Groover is preparing to make extensive improvements on his residence on North Main street.

Sick headache results from a disordered stomach and is quickly cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by All Druggists.

**GIRL WANTED**—to do book-keeping and office work. Apply "Hudson" care of News.

10 lbs good coffee for \$1.00 Goulds Grocery

**I've Played My Last Card.**

From the New York World. "Well friends, I don't feel just right tonight, and I think I have played my last card," explained Frederick W. Linde to a number of friends who were playing pinochle with him in the Coleman House, West Orange, Friday night.

He had been in high spirits all the evening and this remark, taken as a joke by those in the circle, only served to heighten the jollity, and Mr. Linde became the butt of good natured chaffing for a minute, until it was seen that he was deathly pale. Dr. J. Minor Maghee was called from his residence opposite the hotel, but when he arrived Mr. Linde was dead. Dr. Maghee said death was caused by apoplexy. Mr. Linde was 67 years old.

Mr. Linde was proprietor of the Coleman House, one of the best known hostleries in Northern New Jersey.

**Kodol Dyspepsia Cure**  
Digests what you eat.

Physician and Surgeon.

### Meeting Closed

The annual 8-day meeting which has been in progress at the Primitive Baptist church during the past week closed last Sunday. Elders Bussey, of Columbus, and Simms, of Valdosta, were here to conduct the meeting and it was a very successful one, fifteen new members having been taken into the church. The usual baptismal services were held yesterday morning. Elder Bussey left for his home Sunday morning and Elder Simms left yesterday, he having stayed over to the baptism.

## Base Ball Tomorrow!

**Statesboro**

VS.

**Augusta.**

EVERYBODY COME

Admission 25c. and 15c.

### Two More Rural Routes.

Special Agent Purdam, inspector of the rural mail routes, spent several days last week surveying out rural routes in the northeastern section of the county. What will be known as No. 7 will leave Statesboro and run via Olliff bridge, D. B. Franklin's, A. F. McCroan's and back by Zoar post office, down via Dr. Miller's, back through the Hart settlement, I. T. Newcome's, H. B. Jones' and back to Statesboro.

No. 8 will leave Statesboro and run via E. C. Mosley's, across the Sand Hill Ford, down to Spring creek, taking a circle and take in the greater portion of that section of the 48th district, back via I. V. Simmon's, Morgan Lee's, back by the Sand Hill Ford and through the Mikell settlement.

All these are good routes and are a public necessity. It is expected that they will be in operation by the first of July.

Billious Billings getting bloated. And his tongue was muchly gaped. Patent "tonic" wouldn't cure him. Companies would not insure him. All his friends were badly frightened. But their spirits soon were lightened. For Billings—and they believed him, EARLY RISEN pills relieved him. Sold by W. H. Ellis, druggist.

No Decrease in Cotton Acreage in Mitchell. Camilla, Ga., May 18.—The weather in Mitchell county for the last ten days has been favorable for growing crops. There is much complaint of grass from the recent heavy rains and some cotton fields will no doubt have to be abandoned, because the grass has so strong a hold. A few farms that have over-cropped with the prevailing scarcity of labor will have to be abandoned. Continued fair weather for next two weeks will enable the farmers to clean out the grass from most of the fields. The stands of cotton are good. The acreage is about the same as last year, with slight decrease in the use of fertilizers.

One of the greatest blessings a modest man can wish for is a good, reliable set of bowels. If you are not the happy possessor of such an outfit you can greatly improve the efficiency of those you have by the judicious use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are pleasant to take and agreeable in effect. For sale by All Druggists.

**Notice to the Public**

I have opened an office in the Brannen building at the place formerly occupied by the Sea Island bank. I now offer my professional services to the public. Residence at Mrs. Linton Cone's place on North Main street, this side of Baptist church.

M. Y. Allen,  
Physician and Surgeon.

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Atlas and Erie Engines and Locomotives, Tanks, Stacks, Stand Pipes and sheet Iron Works; Shafting Pulleys, Gearing, Boxes, Hangers, etc. Complete Cotton, Saw, Grist, Oil, and Fertilizer Mill outfits; also Gigs, Press, Cane Mill and Shingle outfits. Building, Bridge, Factory, Frame and Railroad Castings; Railroad, Mill Machinery and Factory Supplies.

Besting Packing, Injectors, Pipe Fittings, Saw, Piles, Otters etc. Cast every day. Work 300 hands.

**Lumbard Iron Works and Supply Company,**

Above

Passenger Depot,

Foundry, Machine, Boiler, Work and Supply Store.

Augusta, Ga.

Smallest Grand in the World.

(Length, 5 ft. Width, 4 ft. 9 in.)

The true grand tone of this instrument attracted general attention and favorable comment at the world's fair, St. Louis.

Laminated rim and improved grand scale among its exclusive features. Artistic case.

Its small compass makes it particularly desirable in the average home or small apartment.

**Ellington Pianos**

Every part of the mechanism, including the minutest detail, is made in our factory. In the vital qualities that insure life to a piano, an Ellington is unsurpassed. Its tone is pure, brilliant, sympathetic.

Catalogue showing many beautiful styles from \$400 to \$800. Grand and upright, sent free on request. If no dealer near you has the Ellington, we will ship you any style, freight prepaid, with the understanding that if not as represented we will pay cartage and return freight. Time payments acceptable. Write us.

D. H. BALDWIN & CO.,  
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Represented in all the large cities.

The above advertisement will appear in the May number of the Ladies' Home Journal and Delineator, whose combined circulation reaches 2,160,000 homes.

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Agent and salesman, Statesboro, Ga.

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J. L. Coleman

When stern reality faces sentiment it should not be difficult to decide which way to move.

The window dresser knows a window isn't half dressed without a sash.

The most even-tempered gentleman may be in the habit of firing up.

Men talk enough about ambition to be thoroughly familiar with what it means.

It isn't every writer of fiction who can frame up a novel excuse when he gets home late at night.

**Hot Weather Piles.**

Persons afflicted with piles should be careful this season of the year. Hot weather and bad drinking water contribute to the conditions which makes piles more painful and dangerous. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve stops the pain, draws out the soreness and cures. Get the genuine, bearing the name of E. C. DeWitt & Co. sold by W. H. Ellis.

**Kodol Dyspepsia Cure**  
Digests what you eat.

Physician and Surgeon.

# The Statesboro News.

\$1.00 A YEAR.

STATESBORO, GA., FRIDAY MAY 19, 1905.

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### Jim Brown Comes Clear.

The prosecution in the case of the state vs. Jim Brown, charged with running a blind tiger, lost out. It seems that they had banked their hopes on the evidence of Jule Waters, a well known white man around town. Waters was on hand and swore positively that he bought a bottle of whisky from Brown and paid him a dollar for it. The defense put up evidence to show that Waters was so drunk until he did not know who he got it from, and furnished testimony showing that Steve Ellison, one of the negroes arrested on the same charge, was really the seller, that Ellison had bid in the S. & S. depot, and Brown only directed Waters to where it was. On being questioned as to what he did with the whisky, Waters admitted on the stand that he took it up town and gave Grady Smith, a white boy, a drink of it.

Grady Smith is a boy not twenty-one years old, and we understand that a warrant will be sworn out against Waters for giving whisky to a minor. So it seems that there will be lots of straw cleaned out in the courts, as a result of the pulling of this tiger.

It is expected, too, that other cases may follow the ones recently pulled.

### New County Legislation

Atlanta, May 15.—Legislation which proposes to create new counties, according to the unofficial opinion of Attorney General John C. Hart, is not local legislation in the sense intended in the state constitution, and will not have to be advertised as such.

There have been many inquiries on this point, regarding which Judge Hart has simply given his opinion as a lawyer and not as attorney General.

Hon. E. T. Steed of Carroll county, who was here today, already has a resolution prepared which he proposes to introduce at the beginning of the session providing for joint committee of 12 members to consider all matters relating to new counties. This committee will be expected to make a report as to what new counties should be established.

**GRAIN TAKING THE FIELDS.**

O. M. Harris, a well known planter of Terrell county, who was at the capital today, says that the grass produced by recent heavy rains is about to overrun the farmers of southwestern Georgia. "I have made inspections," he said, "and have received reports from other farmers that it will be impossible for the farmers to clear all of them up. There is no doubt in my mind that this condition is going to mean a big reduction in the yield, whether the acreage is materially reduced or not."

**Excursion to Tybee.**

The Savannah & Statesboro railway will run a special excursion from Pretoria and other points on its line of road to Tybee on the 26th of this month. The low price of \$1.50 from Statesboro to Tybee and return will be given. Tickets are good to return up to the evening of the 27th. Trains will run straight through to Savannah without change.

**A Scientific Discovery.**

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure does for the stomach that which it is unable to do for itself. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure supplies the natural juices of digestion and does the work of the stomach, relaxing the nervous tension, while the infamously muscles of that organ are allowed to rest and heal. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and enables the stomach and digestive organ to transform all food into rich red blood. Sold by W. H. Ellis.

### Statesboro 14, Augusta 3.

The Statesboro base ball nine added new laurels to their crown on Wednesday afternoon. They went up against the Augusta team and the same old song had to be repeated without lining: Statesboro wins as usual.

The Augusta team seemed to be the weakest members that we have been against in some time. When we put the Y. M. C. A. team of Savannah out of business on a score of 11 to 8 our boys got the idea that they were simply "invincible," but George Brinson's crack nine came down last week and played them the warmest game they have ever been into. This gave them cause to believe their old luck had deserted them, but in the game with Augusta they made their reputation good and had some to spare.

Several members of the Augusta club are said to have been regular league players. They left on the one o'clock train yesterday morning for Waynesboro, where they hoped to get another game, but not one like the one that struck them here. Before leaving they went out in a body to get a few splinters from the widely advertised stump where Reed and Cato were burned. They each took back with them a souvenir of the incident about which so much has been said and written.

## Base Ball

**May 23-24**

**Statesboro**

VS.

**Lyons.**

EVERYBODY COME

## Karl E. Watson & Co.,

Druggists and Apothecaries.

We have in stock a full and complete line of

**PURE DRUGS**

**Medicines, Toilet articles**

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We carry all the standard Patent Medicines, as well as a full line of Pure Drugs in bulk; also all varieties of flavoring extracts. We have a regular licensed druggist and all prescriptions will be carefully compounded with the utmost care and dispatch.

We carry a line of **Nunnally's** fine candies and receive a fresh supply every week. Complete line of Tampa and Key West Cigars and fine smoking and Chewing Tobaccos. We invite the patronage of the public generally.

We also have in connection a first class Soda Fountain, where all the leading and popular flavors are dispensed. Give us a call.

**Karl E. Watson & Co.,**

Phone No. 75.

Crouch's Old Stand.

### Robert Fulcher Dies

After Long Illness.

After an illness of thirteen weeks Robert, the seventeen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fulcher, passed into the Great Beyond on Wednesday morning at a few minutes after ten o'clock. The deceased contracted a case of spinal meningitis just thirteen weeks ago, and his death has been daily expected ever since that time, though he was provided with the best medical attention and nursing, yet there was nothing that earthly power could do to stay the inevitable result.

The funeral was held at the Methodist church, of which he was a member, and the interment was made in East Side cemetery on yesterday afternoon. Rev. G. N. MacDonald, the pastor, conducted the funeral services in the presence of a large crowd of sorrowing friends and relatives of the deceased.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulcher have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad affliction.

### Dr. Belk to Lecture Here.

On Monday evening of next week the people of Statesboro will have an opportunity to hear Dr. S. R. Belk lecture at the auditorium. Dr. Belk is pastor of St. James Methodist church in Augusta, and is said to be one of the best platform speakers in this section of the state.

Strictly Genuine.

Most of the patent medicine testimonials are probably genuine. The following notice recently appeared in the Atchison (Kan.) Globe: "Joe Tack, a well known engineer, running on the Missouri Pacific between Wichita, Kan., and St. Louis, Mo., was in this office today, we asked him about it. He says he had terrible pains in his stomach, and thought he had cancer. His druggist recommended Kodol and he says it cured him. He recommended it to others, who were also cured. 'Kodol Dyspepsia Cure' digests what you eat and cures all stomach troubles. Sold by W. H. Ellis."

### Narrington to Be

Here Tuesday Night.

Col. Alf. Herrington will deliver his lecture, "The Negro and the South," before a Statesboro audience on next Tuesday night, though mention has already been made of this event, yet we feel that you may overlook the event and if you do you will miss a treat. There is only one genuine "Alf. Herrington" and those who have heard this lecture say it is the best they ever heard on the negro. Alf. can beat a negro himself picturing him as he really is. The price of admission will be 25 and 15 cents. The proceeds are to be given to the Statesboro Athletic Club. Don't forget the time, next Tuesday night at the college auditorium.

**2,000 Drinks Free!**

to the readers of

**THE NEWS**

Cut this out and sign your name on the line below, present it at TURNER-GLISSON Co.'s, modern Soda water fountain and receive FREE of CHARGE any thing that you call for—ice cream, any flavor, or a drink of any kind. Sign.....  
(One drink to a person.)

### REQUEST.

Any one having any of our soda water crates will confer a great favor by notifying us by postal or telephone and we will send after them at once. The demand for our High Grade Soda Water has increased so that we are compelled to take this method of tracing our crates and bottles.

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In our new location, just completed, we are better prepared than ever to care for the interests of our customers, and we promise you courteous and satisfactory treatment, whether your business be large or small. We cash checks, make loans, sell exchange on the principal cities and offer every favor consistent with conservative banking. Safe deposit boxes to rent at reasonable rates. We invite you to open an account with us.

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### Actress Gets Fat Contract.

New York, May 16.—"Nan" Patterson is said to have signed a contract with Hurling & Seamon, the New York theatrical managers, to appear under their management for two years. The salary will begin at \$1,800 a week, and gradually decrease as public interest abates. Miss Patterson will make her first appearance in New York in a few weeks and later will go on the road.

The characters which she will portray are to be announced. It is thought that the royalty from her book will amount to a large fortune.</