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THE NEWS.

Published at Statesboro, Ga.
TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.

By The Statesboro News Publishing Co.

The balance market must be very dull, thinks the Baltimore American. A foreign Count, who has been living in New York has gone home, it is said, for the purpose of trying to sell his title.

A Chicago lawyer launches a boom for Mark Twain for President of the United States. Certainly a few Pudd'n-head Wilsons scattered through a message to Congress would immensely enliven and popularize the documents, suggests the Hartford Coverant.

We imported thirty-seven million dollars' worth of diamonds and other precious stones at this port alone this year, states the New York Commercial. There is a suspicion that the farmers of the country are beginning to number diamonds among the necessities of life.

There are sixteen million school children in this country, which fact furnishes sixteen million reasons why the system of education should be the best and most practical which the resources of the age and of the nation can afford, thinks the Baltimore American.

Our minister to Pekin, Mr. W. W. Rockhill, shares the view of Admiral Clark that the population of China is commonly greatly exaggerated, remarks the Baltimore Sun. The last official estimate—that of 1885—made by the Chinese board of revenue, put the population of 377,000,000. In an article in the last Emithsonian report, Mr. Rockhill puts the figure still lower. The population of China at present, he thinks, does not exceed 275,000,000 and is probably much less.

Drink bill, tobacco bill, sugar bill—all of these pile up to prove that this nation that was nourished to strength by "gripping wam" is now the most luxurious nation in the world, declares the New York Evening Mail. In addition to these, we have now on record the most amazing diamond bill that any country ever had. The value of the diamonds and other precious stones imported into this country during the year 1905 marks the glittering limit and apex of American luxury.

If a grocer uses scales that weigh short he is in danger of being haled to court and fined for a misdemeanor. Yet, contends the New York Tribune, if he stocks his store with short packages, with "ten pound" boxes of raisins, for instance, of which two pounds are wood, glass and paper, or "quart" bottles of olive oil, whose real measure is little more than a pint, and if he does a little business in selling these goods at good profits, he wins the praise which the world pays the prosperous.

But why does custom establish such distinctions? Are they not palpably fallacious? Does not the untrue package swindle the public as much as the untrue pair of scales? Should not the customer when he asks for a pound of provisions get a pound, no matter whether it is weighed before his eyes or taken down from the shelf in the wrappings in which it is packed at the factory? And if the retailer does shift the blame to the wholesaler and the wholesaler to the manufacturer, is the fraud any less a fraud?

In the matter of salaries the recent canvass made by the special committee appointed to investigate the subject reports a list showing an aggregate of \$3,544 positions, with annual salaries of \$4,000 and over, one-half of which pay \$500 and upward, beside 14,193 of \$500 to \$900 and 17,728 annual salaries below \$500, relates Leslie's Weekly, speaking of the college education pay. In Harvard and Yale the professors received all the way from \$2,000 to \$4,000 a year, and the instructors from \$800 to \$1,000. Small salaries, often pitifully small, they form the incomes that men of learning and superior abilities and accomplishments are ready to accept, where their pay is less than many mechanic's wages. We hear a great deal about the mania for money-getting in this country, as if it were the sole stimulus to exertion; but more than \$20,000 college professors and instructors are spending their energies in an employment which gives them scarcely more than a bare subsistence. The "simple life," of which we hear so much, is theirs. With them it is plain living and high thinking.

While out hunting with King Alfonso, Emperor William shot twenty-three hours, as against the king's twenty-nine. It wasn't a very good day for bores, either.

BILL FOR SUBSIDIES

Passed in Senate by Almost a Strictly Party Vote.

SIX NEW MAIL LINES

Are Given to Gulf Ports, While the Measure Provides for Establishment of Thirteen New Contract Lines.

At a few minutes after 6 o'clock Wednesday evening the senate cast its final ballot on the subsidy shipping bill, which was passed by a vote of 38 to 27. All the votes for the bill were by republican senators, and five republican senators voted with the democrats in opposition, viz., Burkett, Dooliver, LaFollette, Spooner and Warner.

The vote on the bill was preceded by action on a number of amendments and this was an entire day of debate. Many important amendments were accepted, but only in one case was a modification agreed to that was not a modification of the wishes of managers of the bill. The exception was an amendment offered by Mr. Spooner, eliminating the provision giving six months to members of the naval reserve who have served less than six months.

As passed, the bill establishes thirteen new contract mail lines and increases the subvention to the Oceanic line running from the Pacific coast to Australia. Of the new lines three leave Atlantic coast ports, one running to Brazil, one to Uruguay, Argentina, and one to South Africa. Four from Pacific coast ports, embracing one to Brazil, one to Cuba, one to Mexico and three to Central America and to the Isthmus of Panama; four from Pacific coast ports, embracing two to Japan, China, Philippines direct, one to Japan, China and the Philippines via Hawaii and one to Mexico, Central America and Panama.

The bill also grants a subvention at the rate of \$5 per gross ton per year to cargo vessels engaged in the foreign trade of the United States, and at the rate of \$5.50 per ton to vessels engaged in the Philippine trade, the Philippine coastwise law being postponed until 1909.

Another feature of the bill is that creating a naval reserve of 10,000 officers and men who are to receive retainers after the British practice.

Vessels receiving subsidies are required to carry a certain proportion of naval reserve crews. The aggregating compensation for mail lines is about \$2,000,000 annually. No steam vessel of less than 1,000 tons is to receive aid under the bill.

When the shipping bill was disposed of the statehood bill was made the unfinished business.

GILLETTE CAUSED SENSATION.
Swore on Witness Stand That Carter's Friends Outraged Him.
Major Cassius E. Gillette's testimony was concluded at Savannah Wednesday, and the Greene and Gaynor trial moved on to other witnesses, not, however, before the session had proven the most interesting and dramatic that has yet been held.

In the cross-examination of Major Gillette by Mr. Osborne, for the defense, a sensation was created when the witness plucked into a revelation of the difficulties he had encountered in Savannah because of the prosecution of Captain Oberlin M. Carter. He and his family, he testified, had been received but coldly and there was a practical ostracism from that society in which Carter had long been a favorite.

The most dramatic feature of his evidence developed, however, when he testified that he had had with Mr. Osborne, the attorney cross-examining him, in which the latter had told him that the animosity developed against him because of this attitude toward Carter, "for brazen effrontery, was without parallel in the history of crime."

TO WAR ON CATTLE TICK.
House Will Be Asked to Appropriates \$200,000 for Purpose.
At the conclusion of a lengthy meeting of the southern senators and representatives and a number of veterinarians and scientists from various southern states, in Washington, Wednesday, Representative Burleson, of Texas, who has been authorized to appoint a committee to appeal before the house committee on agriculture and ask for an appropriation of \$200,000 to be used in experimental work looking to the eradication of the so-called Texas cattle fever tick.

TO PROBE COTTON REPORTS.
House Committee on Agriculture Arranges for General Hearing.
The house committee on agriculture has arranged a general hearing on cotton statistics.

ATLANTA'S BID ACCEPTED

Georgia State Fair for This Year Goes to the Gate City Again by Vote of Special Committee.

By a bid of nearly \$10,000 more than that of Macon, the only other competitor, Atlanta secured the Georgia state fair for 1908. The executive committee of the State Agricultural Society in session at Macon Wednesday voted 18 to 16 in favor of Atlanta. The successful bid was \$17,100.

The Atlanta contingent was jubilant at the result, as Macon had put forth the most determined effort of its existence toward securing the agricultural society's sanction of the fair.

Atlanta's bid was presented by W. R. Joyner, who stated that it needed no comment and that he would not make any speech or argument other than the figures themselves and the showing made by Atlanta last year.

Atlanta's bid was itemized as follows: Agricultural premiums, \$12,000; other premiums, \$13,500; bonus to agricultural society, \$5,500; advertising, \$6,000; and races, \$10,000.

Macon's bid, which was supported by speeches by Mayor Bridges Smith, A. L. Dasher, Polton Hatcher, T. P. Haley, E. E. Small and Joe Hill Hall, was itemized as follows: Premiums, \$20,000; bonus for agricultural society, \$5,000; races and horse shows, \$12,000. There was no provision for advertising.

All the members expressed some surprise that there should have been any hesitation on the part of the executive committee to make the award and that the vote should have been so close, in view of the difference in the guarantees offered. But although Atlanta outbid Macon, by nearly \$10,000 the State Agricultural Society committee debated the award for nearly two hours.

The discussion evidently was heated, judging from the noise of debate heard by the Atlanta delegates. The award was made in executive session.

Macon offered as much cash for the state fair as she could well afford, said a director soon after the matter was decided by the committee. "We did the best we could and then assured the committee that we would appreciate the award. We reviewed our past successes and laid the whole matter before the body in such manner as to impress the members with our eagerness. We did our whole duty, and the fact that Atlanta came with a larger bid and convinced the agricultural society that the county to have it again, reflects in no wise upon those who represented the Central City."

ALASKAN GOVERNOR RESIGNS
Brady Sends Quitting Paper to Roosevelt and It Is Accepted.
President Roosevelt Wednesday afternoon received and accepted the resignation of John G. Brady as governor of Alaska.

The resignation was handed to the president on behalf of Governor Brady by Judge Pelee of New York. No announcement of the successor to Governor Brady has been made.

CUT EIGHT STEEL BARS.
Convicted North Carolina Murderer Breaks Out of Jail.
The murder of W. C. King, in Warren county, escaped Thursday morning from the Raleigh, N. C. jail, where he had been placed for safekeeping.

While Garfield Hicks, who was sentenced to death for being implicated in the same crime, refused to flee, and the supreme court was convinced of his guilt, the supreme court was convinced of his guilt, the supreme court was convinced of his guilt.

TWO INDICTED FOR MURDER.
Grand Jury Takes Cognizance of Shooting Affray in Savannah.
The grand jury at Savannah, after examining forty-nine witnesses to a recent general shooting affray in which two men were killed and three were wounded, returned indictments for murder against Tim McBride for killing "Babe" Dyer and against "Babe" Dyer for killing Policeman Patrick Kearney.

SEVEN REASONS WHY FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

is a Household Favorite Everywhere for Coughs, Colds, Group, Bronchitis, Pneumonia, Grippe and all other Throat and Lung Troubles

- 1 It quickly stops coughing, tickling in throat, difficult breathing and pain in the chest and lungs.
- 2 It immediately relieves the spasms of Croup and Whooping Cough and effects a speedy cure.
- 3 It contains no opiates or other poisons and can be given with safety to children and delicate persons.
- 4 It contains no harsh expectorants to strain the lungs or astrin-gents to dry the secretions and cause constipation.
- 5 It prevents Pneumonia and Consumption, strengthens the lungs and cures LaGrippe and its after effects.
- 6 It will cure Consumption and Asthma in the early stages and give comfort and relief in the most hopeless cases.
- 7 It is pleasant to take and at once produces a soothing and strengthening effect on the lungs.

A Severe Cold For Three Months.
The following letter from A. J. Nussbaum, of Batesville, Ind., tells its own story: "I suffered for three months with a severe cold. A druggist prepared me some medicine, and a physician prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR, and eight doses cured me."

A Chattanooga Druggist's Statement.
Robert J. Miller, proprietor of the Read House Drug Store, of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes: "There is no more merit in FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR than in any other cough syrup. The calls for it multiply wonderfully and we sell more of it than all other cough syrups combined."

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25c. 50c. ALL DRUGGISTS

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All Bowel Complaints, TEething Troubles, Write for Free Booklet, BABY EASE CO., CHICAGO, ILL.

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THE BIG STORE, SAVANNAH, GA.

A Perfect Laxative

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JOCKEY CLUB 6 Year Old Rye Whiskey } 75c. per qt.

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855 4th St. MACON, GA.
Mrs. A. L. Zettler, Proprietress.

Best \$1.00 per day House in the city. Good rooms and good table board. When in Macon give us a call

We Do Job Printing Of All Kinds. We Can Please You.

QUICK BANK WRECK

Organized in December and Now in Hands of Receiver.

PRESIDENT UNDER BAN

Allegation That Officials of the Institution Have Done as They Pleased with the Funds—Depositors May Be Saved.

The Bank of America, incorporated in Chicago last December, with a capital stock of \$250,000, Thursday night, was placed in the hands of a receiver on complaint of John E. Kavanaugh, a stockholder. The bill asking for the receivership holds former Judge Abner Smith, president and three other officers of the bank responsible for the alleged insolvency of the institution.

In the few weeks since the opening of the bank, President Smith is charged with having so manipulated securities, mortgages and notes and stock of the bank that he has obtained the funds of the bank for his own use, with President Smith and other officers, who in connection with the alleged insolvency of the bank are: G. F. Morrow, vice president; Jerome V. Pierce, cashier, and P. E. Greenman, a stockholder and director.

It is charged against these officials, together with President Smith, that they have done as they pleased with the funds of the bank, have voted themselves such salaries as they desired, and have lent the money of the incorporation on such securities as they saw fit.

The bank had about \$300,000 in deposits, of which \$25,000 was in savings accounts of working people. The representatives of the bank declare there is 40 per cent of the cash on hand and a large amount of paper, the value of which is unknown. On this paper depends the chance of the bank liquidating in full.

Attorney Clarence Darrow, who is a stockholder, paid up to the extent of \$11,000, personally has come to the rescue of the saving depositors. "We did the best we could and then assured the committee that we would appreciate the award. We reviewed our past successes and laid the whole matter before the body in such manner as to impress the members with our eagerness. We did our whole duty, and the fact that Atlanta came with a larger bid and convinced the agricultural society that the county to have it again, reflects in no wise upon those who represented the Central City."

McCALL DEFENDS HIMSELF.

Says He Has Lived a Clean Life and is Ready to Go.

John A. McCall, former president of the New York Life Insurance company, Thursday night sent from his home in New York a defense of his own work in the company and of his relations with Andrew Hamilton. The statement was made to his son, and others gathered in the death chamber.

"It is God's will, I'm ready to go," Mr. McCall told his son. "I've lived a clean life. I've lived my life as I saw it. No man, woman or child can say that I ever wronged them."

METHODISTS FOR "OPEN SHOP."
All Printing Houses Controlled by Them Will Be So Conducted.
At the meeting of Methodist editors and publishers and managers of the United States in Cincinnati, it was decided that every printing establishment controlled by the Methodist book concern shall hereafter be run on the "open shop," making no distinction between union and non-union workers.

It was declared, Vice president that, since the open shop plan had been introduced, there had been better service in every way, and ever restoring the alliance with the unions.

ALBERS IN ANGRY MOOD.
Erstwhile Prisoner in Nicaragua Returns Home Angry.
William S. Albers, the American citizen who was imprisoned in Nicaragua last summer and served about six months of a three and a half years' sentence, arrived in New York on the steamer Panama from Colon and told his story of the arrest, conviction and release.

"I am going to Washington to try to get my head and shoulders. Reports say there is little chance of her recovery."

AUNT CARRIE AGAIN JAILED.
Afterwards Released in Order That She Might Deliver Lecture.
Carrie Nation appeared at a bar room in Hot Springs, Ark., Wednesday, and began lecturing the crowd. She was ejected and lodged in jail, charged with disturbing the peace. Later she was released in order to fulfill her lecture engagement.

MAY EXHUME CORPSE.

Alex Legler, Georgia Boy, Arraigned in Jersey City Court on Charge of Fratricide.

A New York special says: Accused of having murdered his brother, Carl, for the purpose of obtaining life insurance money amounting to \$3,000, Alexander Legler, Jr., was arraigned in court in Jersey City Thursday. The examination of the prisoner was postponed, however, until Saturday, at the request of Chief of Police Murray, who desired time to get together witnesses. The case is one of the most extraordinary in the police annals of Jersey City.

In explaining the case to the court, Chief Murphy said that the prisoner was suspected of having poured benzine over his brother, Carl, and of having set him afire while he slept, and added that it was believed that when Legler saw that his brother would not succumb to his injuries, he caused the victim's death by administering some powder, the presumption of a poisonous nature. The police announced that they will endeavor to have the body exhumed by the authorities at Baxley, Ga., whither it was taken by Legler soon after his brother's death.

Alex Legler, who resides in Baxley, Ga., is the father of the young man who is under arrest, states that he does not believe his son is guilty, and he says his son had insurance policies in the same company, since his death his brother helped him to put out the fire, and that Alex, the young man arrested, rendered him all the assistance possible.

Mr. Legler says Mrs. Rutherford is not on good terms with his son. He says his dead son's policy was payable to his mother, and Alex had no interest.

HELL IS AN IMPROVEMENT

Upon United States So Far as Negro Is Concerned, Says Bishop Turner.
Bishop H. M. Turner, addressing the 500 delegates attending the convention of negroes in Macon, Ga., Thursday to discuss racial problems, said: "I used to love what I thought was the grand old flag and sing with ecstasy about the stars and stripes, but to the negro in this country the American flag is a dirty and contemptible rag. Not a star in it can be colored man claim, for it is no longer the symbol of our manhood rights and liberty."

"I have heard of both white and black men perpetrating rape upon innocent and angelic women, but no negro in this country has been tried by the courts for rape in fifteen years. I know that bloody-handed and drunken mobs have said so, but what Christian people would accept their say? Yet there are millions of men who pretend to be moral and men who go to these drunken mobs to get information relative to the conduct of colored men."

"Without multiplying words, I wish to say that hell is an improvement upon the United States when the negro is involved. If a little ignorant and stupid white man, who was heard of until ten thousand years after the resurrection trunk, wishes a little notoriety, he challenges to be slandered and the negro and bounds one or all of them to meet me in public discussion and I will show that the negro is a far better man than they are."

CASH FOR FISH HATCHERIES.

Two Carolinas and Georgia on the Appropriation List.
The house committee on merchant marine and fisheries decided Thursday to report favorably on a bill appropriating \$50,000 for the biological station on the Gulf of Mexico. Bills for fish hatcheries were agreed to as follows: South Carolina, \$25,000; North Carolina, \$25,000.

An appropriation of \$2,000 was also agreed upon for the buying of additional land at the fish hatcheries at Bullockville, Ga.

MISS MARY LEE INJURED.

Near Relative of General Lee in Serious Runaway Accident.
Miss Mary Lee, daughter of the late Colonel Richard Lee, and a near relative of General Robert E. Lee, was probably fatally injured in a runaway accident near Winchester, Va., Tuesday.

She was thrown out of a buggy, landed on her head and shoulders. Reports say there is little chance of her recovery.

CHARGES AGAINST JEROME.

District Attorney Accused of Conspiracy to Whitewash Offenders.
Charges including subornation of perjury, bribery of lawyers, misconversion of millions of dollars and the enlistment of District Attorney Jerome into a conspiracy to whitewash the offenders were made against the Metropolitan Street Railway Company and its officials at a hearing before the assembly committee on the way and means at Albany, N. Y., Thursday.

A Garden Properly Cared For is Half Ones Living.

The Sea Islands of South Carolina on account of being surrounded by salt water, have demonstrated that they can raise plants for the vegetable gardens earlier and harder than they can in the interior. We are going to make a special business this year of raising all kinds of plants for shipments. We have the best express rates in the south, will adopt a good substantial package for shipping, have a careful man in charge of this department and guarantee satisfaction. As for count, we make good all Bona Fide shortages.

Cabbage Plants \$1.00 to \$1.50 per Thousand.
Celery Plants, Beet Plants, Lettuce plants \$1.50 per Thousand

Cheapest Express Rates in the South

Cabbage Plants of the following varieties will be kept in stock: The extra early Wakefield, the regular Jersey Wakefield, Large Types of Charleston Wakefield, Early Tunker, Henderson's Succession, Large Flat Dutch. Also the Garden Self Blanching Celery and White Plum Celery Plank's Blood Red Beet Plants, Onion plants, (to take the place of sets) Tomato Plants, Cauliflower Plants, and all first class plants for garden use. Prices are low. Will give you prices on application. Special prices large farm orders.

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I have had several years experience in growing Cabbage plants for the trade and am again prepared to fill any and all orders for the very best early and late varieties best known to experienced truck farmers. These plants are grown out in the open air and will stand severe cold without injury. Prices, t. o. b. here, packed in small, light boxes, so as to make express charges lighter.

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In lots of 5,000, \$1.25 per thousand; in lots of 10,000, \$1.00 per thousand. Special prices made on larger orders. All orders shipped C.O.D. when money is not remitted with order. I guarantee satisfaction. Your orders will have my personal attention. Address all orders to

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We carry in stock not only a full line of all kinds of Groceries, both wholesale and retail, but we also carry the best there is going in the way of Fine Liquors, Wines, Etc.

We are located near the two depots, and are in a position to serve your wants promptly and satisfactorily. We are also in a position to handle your produce to the best advantage. We have an established city trade among the best people in Savannah, who are always looking for something good in the way of country produce, and we can place your produce to the best advantage if consigned to us.

Red Rust Proof Seed Oats Give Us a Trial.

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CABBAGE PLANTS FOR SALE

We are again prepared to fill all orders for Early and Late varieties of Cabbage plants at same old price

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We meet all competitive prices on large lots and make special inducements to dealers. If you handle Cabbage Plants it will be to your interest to get our prices on large lots before ordering elsewhere. Address all orders to

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Doings In The Local Field

FOR SALE—For cash or on time one mule eight years old, sound and kind. Apply to Mrs. C. M. Leitner, Clito, Ga.

WANTED—One full blooded wholstein milch cow; gives no less than three gallons per day. M. L. Glisson.

You can always find some one to trade with you on seed, etc. at the oil mill. E. A. Smith, Sept.

I have disc harrows for \$18 and up. W. G. Raines.

We will give you best bolted meal in exchange for seed—Try it. Bulloch Oil Mill.

Nothing equals fish as Guano. Pine Land and Our Own Guano has 400 pounds fish meal in every ton.

COOK WANTED—Apply to Mrs. S. Landrum George.

Next Thursday is Washington's birthday. Remember that all the banks will be closed on that day.

Elder A. W. Patterson filled the pulpit at the Baptist church on last Sunday.

Victor Records, ten inch, sixty cents each, seven inch records, thirty-five cents each at the Statesboro Music House.

See me before you buy your disc harrows and wire fence. W. G. Raines.

Mr. Cecil Gabbett has been appointed general superintendent of the Augusta and Florida Ry. by the new owners. Mr. Gabbett held this position with the Georgia and Alabama Ry. for years and later was president of the Savannah & Statesboro Ry. with headquarters at this place. Mr. Gabbett's many friends here will be pleased to learn of his new appointment.

For any disease of the skin there is nothing better than Chamberlain's Salve. It relieves the itching and burning sensation instantly and soon effects a cure. Sold by all druggists.

Call on W. G. Raines, Statesboro, for Bowen's guano distributors.

All white teachers will please meet at Statesboro institute next Saturday, Feb. 24.

J. E. Brannen, C. S. C. If you want Guano that will pay you, buy Our Own and Pine Land from J. W. Olliff Co.

President J. Randolph Anderson, of the Savannah & Statesboro railway, is in the city for a few days.

Bring us your seed and get their value in meal and hulls or cash. Bulloch Oil Mill.

I have everything in the plow line at bottom prices. W. G. Raines.

Mrs. L. G. Lucas spent yesterday in Savannah.

One Minute Cough Cure contains not a atom of any harmful drug as it has been curing coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough so long that it has proven itself to be a tried and true friend to the many who use it. No need to fear of your child choking from croup with One Minute Cough Cure handy. Sold by W. H. Ellis.

A few guns that I will close out at cost. W. G. Raines.

Farming Tools FOR SALE

In addition to my blacksmith and repair shop I have added a first class line of improved farming tools, where I am prepared to furnish the farmers their needs in this line and save them money. Remember, know you want and need. I can tell you what you need on your farm and I have it here—any farm tool from the smallest to the best Outlaw Harrow or Mower or anything else. If you need anything in my line give me a trial and I will save you money. G. B. Spivey, METTER, GA.

Graves Forced From The News

Atlanta, Feb.—Hon. John Temple Graves, one of the founders of the Atlanta News and until Tuesday morning its editor-in-chief, has resigned his position with the paper to take effect immediately, as a result of the litigation which has been pending for several weeks between himself and Charles Daniel and others.

Col. Graves claimed that the paper was under the domination of the Southern and Central railways as the result of a trade made between Mr. Daniel and Samuel Spencer, president of the Southern Railway and still asserts his belief in the corporate domination of the paper. Through his attorney, Col. Clifford L. Anderson, he stated Tuesday morning in Judge Pendleton's court such belief was the cause of the severance of his connection with the paper.

Parties having cotton seed to sell or exchange will please send them in as early as possible as we want to close down soon. Bulloch Oil Mill.

The Northwestern Life Insurance Co., the greatest dividend paying life insurance company in America, is desirous of having a local agent to represent them in this section. A liberal contract will be offered to the right party. For information write to E. J. Costello, Harrison Bldg., Augusta, Ga.

We have 100 squares of new iron roofing for sale cheap. Bulloch Oil Mill.

There has been a sharp advance in the local sea island cotton market. The best grades selling as high as 17 1/2 cents.

Send \$1.00 to B. J. Donaldson, Meggett, S. C., and get a sample box of Cabbage Plants for your garden.

Go to D. Barnes' for Heinz Pickles. They are the best on earth.

I will save you money on your wire fence. W. G. Raines.

Mr. W. W. Hackett, traveling passenger agent of the Central railway, with headquarters at Augusta, spent last night in the city.

Our Own and Pine Land Guano are in large and well filled sacks, dry and fine, so that it can be put out with a distributor without any trouble.

Pulaski School Entertainment.

The literary society and school at Pulaski academy entertained the patrons and public last Friday evening by presenting three scenes from the play, "Ten Nights in a Barroom," which was pronounced a success.

The school here is progressing nicely, and we predict the most successful term we have ever had.

The school will celebrate Washington's birthday on the evening of the 22d instant, after which the society will serve an oyster supper.

Prof. W. Hart, ably assisted by his daughter, Miss Lillian, is doing good work here, both in the literary school and the Sunday school work. X Y Z.

Excursion Rates

Via Central of Georgia Railway

To Louisville, Ky., and return, account Department of Superintendence National Educational Association, Feb. 27-March 1, 1906. One fare plus 25c round trip. Tickets on sale Feb. 24, 25 and 26, final limit March 4, 1906.

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Child's Death.

On Saturday morning the three-year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Sample breathed his last at their home on North Main street.

The little fellow had been sick several days, but until a short time before his death his condition was not considered serious.

The funeral was held at the home on Sunday morning, the services being conducted by Rev. T. J. Cobb, and the interment was made in the town cemetery. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of their many friends in the loss of their son.

the transfer of the 247 shares of stock has been other than what his pleadings have alleged, and in view of the fact that he does not feel that he can continue his services under the present status of affairs, I beg to inform your honor that Col. Graves will tender his resignation as editor-in-chief of the News as soon as the paper can be prepared."

Soon after the adjustment of the matter in court Charles Daniel gave out a statement in which, among other things, he said:

"The Atlanta News is now out of the jurisdiction of the court as to the matter that have been pending there for several weeks, and this newspaper is a free property, standing before the public as an independent, fearless and unimpeach journal. Its liberty is absolute its character unimpeached and its destiny unclouded."

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

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Comendation of Strange's Article.

Editor News:—If you will allow me sufficient space in your columns I would like to express my hearty appreciation and approval of H. B. Strange's article in your issue of the 18th instant, in regard to "the personal convictions on certain questions" of the candidates for the legislature, and I want to commend it to every voter in the county for a careful reading. Throughout, from beginning to ending, it certainly expresses my views.

Let every voter demand an expression from every candidate for the legislature. W. O. Darsey.

The Yellow Fever Germ

has recently been discovered. It bears a close resemblance to the malaria germ. To free the system from disease germs, the most effective remedy is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed to cure all diseases due to malaria, poison and constipation. 25c at W. H. Ellis' Drug store.

Resignation of Graves

As soon as Mr. Hopkins sat down, Col. Anderson made the following statement:

"May it please your honor, in view of the statement made by Mr. Hopkins, and in view of the further fact that Col. Graves cannot bring his mind into accord with the view that

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As we are a careful man in charge of this department who will give you satisfaction as to count and quality. The express company have granted a deduction of 50% on the express rates from last year and we hope to soon have it in effect, when cash does not accompany order plants will be sent C.O.D.

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HON. HOKE SMITH COMING.



Hoke Smith will be in Statesboro to address the people of Bulloch County. All are invited, including the ladies, to attend the meeting and hear his address at the court house at half past eleven o'clock, on Friday, March the 2nd. Don't forget the time, Friday, March the 2nd.

SAVED FROM THE NOOSE.

Jim Carter Snatched From the Scaffold By Reconsideration of Prison Board.

Jim Carter, convicted of the murder of his wife last August and sentenced to be hanged today, has been commuted to life imprisonment.

Col. H. B. Strange, who has worked faithfully to save the negro's neck, never gave up, and on Wednesday went to Atlanta to appear before the governor and make one last appeal to save Jim's neck. He had obtained the signature of nearly everybody in town and the surrounding country, as many as it was possible to see in the short time after deciding to make the final appeal. He had been turned down by the pardon board, but decided to put it up to the governor.

On Wednesday morning he appeared before Governor Terrell in Atlanta and presented the petition, together with an editorial from the Statesboro News, stating that the people were surprised at the board, and would be satisfied with a life time sentence. The governor refused to interfere, but stated that the pardon board would be in session that same day to reconsider another matter, and he would put the matter back before them. This was done, and about this time a telegram signed by several prominent men here, among them city and county officials, was received, asking that the sentence be commuted. Col. Strange appeared before the board in the afternoon, and after presenting the matter again, he secured a decision from them commuting Carter to life imprisonment.

When Col. Strange arrived he went to the jail where old Jim was fairly quaking with fear and delivered the message to him. The old negro hardly knew how to

express his thanks to Col. Strange for the interest he had taken to save his neck from the gallows that stood open to receive him. The bag of sand was still hanging to the rope and the black cap was ready. He looked square into eternity. He professed that he had made it right, but his extreme fear of the fate that awaited him made it appear doubtful if he had obtained that measure of forgiveness that would tide him safely over the "river sticks."

He will be taken to one of the convict camps in the state and soon begin to do service for his state for the balance of his days. He seems to be as happy as if he had been set free.

Col. Strange has certainly worked hard and successfully against great odds, and his victory in this matter is quite a compliment to his never ceasing energy when he sets in to win.

The strong petition sent up by the best people of this section goes to show that the white people of Bulloch county are not out for the blood of the negro, they are law abiding, but when a crime is committed like the one on the Hodges family the same thing may be expected here or elsewhere in Georgia.

Sam Hall Gets Good Job.

Mr. S. A. Hall, for several years conductor on the Savannah & Statesboro Ry., has accepted the position of train master on the Augusta & Florida Ry. from Swainsboro leading towards Augusta. Mr. Hall left on Tuesday to take charge of his new position.

Mr. Hall is a first class railroad man, and by his strict attention to business has won for himself a good place with one of the best new roads in this section.

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That New School Building at Metter.

Mr. Editor: You hit the nail on the head last week when you said "Metter needs a new school building, and needs it bad." I think there are others that stand with us on this question.

I am now teaching my third term at Metter, and can testify that I have never seen a more generous, hospitable people; they have always responded liberally to every call I have made for the betterment of the educational interest of the community—all but one—they have not built the new house, and to this minute I am unable to say why it has not been done. They are financially able, and seem willing enough, but as Senator Tillman says, "There is something rotten in Denmark." It is the only impediment that checks the possibility of their having a school that is the pride of the town, for I have never seen better material for a good school.

Despite these many disadvantages the school has increased to such an extent that another building and teacher are now being allowed. Still the question is allowed to become a kind of a joke, and is beginning to be looked upon in about the same light as a trip across the ocean on a bicycle would be regarded.

You intimated that it was a matter of petty differences. I am not prepared to defend or refute that argument, but I will say this, and that is enough, whatever the cause may be it is high time the cause is being investigated and a remedy applied, for every cause has its effect, and the more vital the cause, the more vital the effect. The effect will soon present itself if a remedy can't be found.

If I know myself I think I have the highest educational development of the boys and girls of Metter close to my heart, but no superior degree of excellency can be attained till a more suitable building and equipments are procured. That can never be done till every citizen of the Metter school district realizes that he is personally responsible for allowing his children to go to school in a house that he would apologize to move a negro into. Two or three can't do the work; there must be a unit of every man in the district, and they must forget all else but the fact that the new building must come. If they would come together with the interests of their homes and children at heart they would have no time to think of anything else. The "petty differences" would vanish as mist before the mid-day sun.

Mr. Editor, I'll stop. These words are addressed directly to the people of Metter, but if anybody else in Bulloch county is in the same fix let them take a dose of it, too; if that fails to keep double the dose, and don't get mad, for it is often the worst tasting medicine that does the most good; then, too, you know, Bro. Sam P. Jones says it is the hit that will howl, but I don't believe he can howl down the facts I have given him.

With many hopes for a new building, I am, yours, Hamlin Etheredge.

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May Charge Treason Against Bishop Turner.

Macon, Ga., Feb. 20.—So much has been said about Bishop Henry M. Turner's denunciation of the United States flag that efforts are now on foot to bring charges of treason against him. Attorneys are investigating the question.

Turner is reported to have said in a negro meeting that the flag is a "dirty, contemptible rag," so far as the negro is concerned.

Demands for his punishment are pouring in from all sections of the United States.

Bishop Turner lives in Atlanta.

Rough Hands made Smooth.

A man who once had rough horny hands made them soft and smooth with Witch Hazel Salve, but he uses the genuine—that bearing the name "E. C. DeWitt & Co. Chicago." For sores, boils, cuts, burns, bruises etc., it has no equal and affords almost immediate relief from blind bleeding, itching and protruding Piles. Sold by W. H. Ellis.

Mr. Moore to Leave Us.

It will be a source of genuine regret to the many friends of Mr. W. B. Moore to learn that he will leave us. Mr. Moore has been appointed auditor and general freight agent of the Augusta & Florida Ry. and will leave on the first to take charge of his new position.

Mr. Moore has filled a similar position with the Savannah & Statesboro Ry. for the past several years, and during his residence here has made many warm friends, and his departure, together with that of his family, will be a source of regret.

In conversation with the News Mr. Moore stated that he had been raiding for the past sixteen years, but had never left a town that he regretted to do so more than he does the fact that he has to leave Statesboro.

Mr. Moore's new position carries with it an increase in salary and a broader field in which to apply himself. The chances of further promotion on the new system are much greater than here.

Just who will fill Mr. Moore's place here with the Savannah & Statesboro Ry. has not been announced.

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