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Miss Edna Brannen was brought up from Savannah Monday afternoon, being sick with fever. Her condition was somewhat improved at last accounts.

Mr. J. E. Anderson was among those who called on us yesterday. Mr. Anderson is due here on the 14th day of July every year and has not failed to show up with a dollar in ten or twelve years or more. He can always tell you when his time is out, and has never waited for a dun to call his attention to his dues. We wish we had seven hundred million more just such subscribers.

Mr. J. W. Skinner was among those who paid us a call yesterday. Mr. Skinner is one of Bulloch's rising young farmers and is making a success of the business.

Mr. Bosin Jones, after an absence of ten years in Texas, Oklahoma, Indian territory, Mexico and New Mexico, came in to see us yesterday. Mr. Jones is now engaged in farming and saw-milling near Dublin.

Mr. G. W. Burnside, of Groveland route No. 1, was in to see us yesterday, and arranged to have the News come to see him.

Mr. Web Akins, of the Upper Mill Creek section, was in to see us yesterday.

Dr. W. J. Flannery, state prison inspector, spent Tuesday night in the city. He went out to the camps yesterday morning and found everything in good shape, as he will always find them in Bulloch.

Mr. J. G. Blitch went down to Savannah yesterday to confer with some of the good roads enthusiasts about the route for the endurance race between Savannah and Atlanta. Mr. Blitch hopes to bring the run through Statesboro.

Col. U. M. Bennett, of DeLand, Fla., who has been spending a few days with relatives here with relatives left for his home yesterday via Register where he will spend a day or two. Before leaving he called at the office and arranged for the Statesboro News to follow him three times a week. He has been away from here forty three years but the old scenes came back fresh to him and he has decided that he wants to keep in touch with us. He has many relatives and friends in this section.

Mr. Timothy Holloway of Ft. Oglethorpe, Fla., sends in his dollar for a renewal. This means that he will not visit the old home this summer, he has made it a business to drop in and see us the first week in every July for ten years or more, except once before when the dollar came as it did this time. Mr. Holloway is one of the leading citizens of his section.

There will be regular services at the Statesboro Baptist church next Sunday. Everybody invited to come.

NOTICE.—Our store will be closed Tuesday and Wednesday July 20th, and 21st on account of taking stock.

Statesboro Mercantile Co.

Hereafter our ice wagons will not make any Sunday deliveries. Ice can be bought at the factory on Sunday from 8 a. m., to 12 m. only. Patrons will please govern themselves accordingly.

Statesboro Ice Factory, E. G. Enright, Manager.

NOTICE.—All parties are hereby warned not to hunt, fish, haul, wood, or otherwise trespass upon my land under penalty of the law.

B. E. Smith.

Big Watermelon Picnic.

The watermelon growers picnic will be held at Ivanhoe next Monday. The National Government will have three agricultural experts here to lecture on farm subjects. The Savannah & Statesboro Railroad will sell tickets at a reduced rate.

REGISTER DOTS.

Mrs. H. V. Franklin visited Statesboro Saturday.

Miss Laura Bruce of Statesboro, was in town Friday enroute to Hagan.

Mr. J. D. Tillman, who has been confined to his bed for several days, is reported to be improving some.

Misses Pearl Kennedy and Minnie Anderson attended preaching at Excelsior Sunday.

Rev. J. B. Dixon is conducting a series of meetings at Excelsior this week.

Mrs. P. L. Anderson visited relatives at Metter Monday.

Mr. W. G. Daughtry of Parish, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Daughtry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daughtry are now at home to their friends.

On Monday, July 4th, the Register Baptist church organized a Sunday school with an enrollment of 51 members. The outlook is very promising for a good Sunday school, and it is hoped that the people in and around our little town will give it their support.

Mr. C. H. Anderson spent the day in town Tuesday.

Messrs. S. E. and A. A. Daughtry spent the day in town Tuesday.

Mrs. H. C. McCrackin returned Tuesday from an extended visit to relatives at Washington, Ga.

Messrs. Fate Proctor and Jack Johns have moved back to Register and will reside here during the balance of this year.

Mr. Geo. W. Kennedy, who has been agent for the R. & G. railway for some time at Adabelle, leaves today for a more lucrative position in Savannah.

Mr. John Anderson was in town Wednesday.

Miss Mary Lee Williams left Saturday for Pavo, Ga., to visit her sister, Mrs. B. O. Woods.

Mrs. E. H. Waters, of Gainesville, Fla., visited her brother-in-law, Mr. J. S. Waters, this week left for Claxton Wednesday, where she went to visit other relatives of Mr. Waters.

Mr. S. G. DeLoach was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. A. L. DeLoach of Colfax, passed through here Wednesday from a visit to friends at Hagan.

Notice.

In justice to our competitors, the Green Ice Co., we desire to say that the cut in price made by our factory was done with the mutual agreement with them, in fact they first suggested the cut. This was done that the people of Statesboro might have the benefit of cheaper ice at a living price to the manufacturer.

Statesboro Ice Factory, E. G. Enright, Mgr.

Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops chronic coughs that weaken the constitution and develop into consumption, but heals and strengthens the lungs. It affords comfort and relief in the worst cases of chronic bronchitis, asthma, hay fever and lung trouble. For sale by W. H. Ellis & Co.

Big Reduction on Trunks at Clary's.

Trunks that sold for \$1.75 now \$1.20
Trunks that sold for 2.00 now 1.45
28 in. canvass trunks 3.50 val. 2.45
30 in. canvass trunks 3.75 val. 2.75
34 in. canvass trunks 4.50 val. 3.25
With straps 75c extra.

Suit cases 33% discount, Clary's. A lot of low shoes for ladies and children, worth up to \$2.00, sizes broken, for 98c.

Clary's.

PARTY TO UNLAWFUL RELATIONS

WITH MEMBER OF ASSEMBLY

Is Charge Made by McLeod—Says Suspension Therefore Void.

Atlanta, July 12.—Declaring that he could not get a fair hearing on the issues raised against him because of the disqualification to sit on the case of a member of the house through the unlawful relations that subsisted between him and the former governor, S. G. McLeod presented a petition to the joint legislative committee at the second hearing this afternoon, asking that the hearings might be suspended for a day until the general assembly might ascertain whether he would be allowed to prove the facts set out and whether he would be given a fair and impartial trial, such as is provided for the vilest criminal by law.

He said that he wished to prove that the order of suspension issued by the former governor was null and void, and that he could not get an impartial trial so long as a part of the jury was disqualified; he reiterated that he had violated no law, human or divine, and he earnestly sought that provision be made whereby his constitutional right to a speedy and impartial trial might be preserved.

The petition in part follows: Atlanta, Ga., July 12, 1909. To the General Assembly of Georgia, through its joint committee:

Exercising my constitutional right to petition, a right secured and sacred to all English-speaking people since the bill of rights in 1689 declared, "That it is the right of the subjects to petition the king," I come now and present this my petition to the general assembly of Georgia with all obedience and every assurance of confidence and respect, but at the same time, reserving all and renouncing none of my rights in the premises and show unto you:

1st. That the order of suspension issued by the governor is null and void for many reasons to be hereafter presented.

2d. That the constitution of Georgia declares that the paramount duty of government is the protection of life and property, and that such protection shall be ample and complete, and further that all persons charged with an offense against the law shall have a speedy and impartial trial.

3d. That while not so prepared at the first meeting of this joint committee, I am now prepared, stand ready, and offer to prove, and demand the right and opportunity, in such manner and form as the general assembly may prescribe, to prove the following facts, namely: That a member of the general assembly, and one of the jurors in the matter now under investigation, is disqualified to cast any vote in any matter, by reason of the relations established and existing between said member and Governor Smith as shown by the following facts:

I respectfully petition that I may be permitted to show that on September 27th, 1907, the governor paid to the said member of the legislature, he being then and there a member of the general assembly and being now a member of the general assembly, the sum of \$250 out of the public treasury.

That on March 21, 1908, the governor paid to said member the further sum of \$250 out of the public treasury.

That on April 6, 1908, the governor paid the said member \$200 out of the public treasury.

That on December 5, 1908, the governor paid to said member the further sum of \$285, the same being paid out of the public treasury.

That on January 26, 1909, the

governor entered into a contract with said member whereunder and whereby certain suits were to be instituted, and which have since been instituted, as I am informed and believe, for the sum of \$200,000, under which said member and his law firm are to receive the sum of 20 per cent, which emolument, in the event of the recovery of the full amount sued for, would yield to said member and his firm the sum of \$40,000, or other large sum as fees, and that in said contract it is provided that the state shall pay all the expenses of the proceedings so instituted under said contract.

That on June 29, 1909, one day after his issuance of the order of suspension, and one day before the expiration of the term of Governor Smith, he, the said governor, paid to the said member of the general assembly the further sum of \$250 and entered upon the executive minutes an order providing for the payment to him in the future of the further sum of \$250, and such other fees as the result of certain litigation might entitle him to in the opinion of the governor.

I offer to show that all of said payments, as well as said contract, were unlawful and expressly prohibited by the constitution of Georgia, code section 5754, in the following words:

"No shall any senator or representative, after his qualification as such, be elected by the general assembly, or appointed by the governor, either with or without the advice and consent of the senate, to any office or appointment having any emolument annexed thereto, during the time for which he shall have been elected."

As attested at the discovery of this unlawful relation, and the influence which that relation must enable Governor Smith to exercise over and upon said member, I submit that the enlightened judgment of mankind and the high and sober sense of right enthroned in the hearts and consciences of this general assembly will deny to that member the right to sit in judgment on your petitioner in any case whatever.

A right to an impartial trial is an empty mockery unless the law which guarantees it shall also provide a method for the ascertainment and protection of impartiality before a person is placed in jeopardy.

I have no avenue of approach to the general assembly except through this joint committee and this committee is without power or authority to offer me that to which I am constitutionally entitled.

Respectfully submitted, S. G. McLENDON.

METTER NOTES.

Miss Bertha Rogers visited friends and relatives at Metter last week.

Mr. John Beasley and sisters visited their sister, Mrs. Frank Rogers, Saturday and Sunday last.

Mr. J. C. Flynt visited friends at Metter Saturday afternoon.

Misses Beulah and Alver Franklin, of Parish, visited their sister, Mrs. Will Wright, of Metter, last week.

Messrs Harvey Daughtry and Lester Parish made a flying visit "across the creek" Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. Bennie Parish and Willie Bland attended our Sunday school here yesterday.

Messrs. Homer and Rolla Rogers visited friends and relatives here last week.

Mr. Lester Dekle and sister attended preaching here Sunday night.

Mr. Jesse Campbell visited Metter last Sunday.

Mr. Ben Lanier attended services at Metter Sunday night.

Mr. Anderson Williamson made a flying visit over here to see his sister, Mrs. F. J. Bland, last Saturday afternoon.

R. H. Scott.

MEANS MUCH FOR ENTIRE SOUTH

Georgia Life Company and its Auspicious Launching.

INSURANCE PREMIUMS CAN BE KEPT IN SOUTH

The History of Life Insurance Shows Marvelous Profits in Life Insurance Stock—Why Stock of this Company Was Not Sold, in a Lump, in the East.

Georgia, long known as the Empire State of the South, is now to have still another distinction of importance—it will have what seems destined to be the biggest life insurance enterprise in the entire southern states.

Reference has already been made in these columns to the organization of the Georgia Life Insurance company, with a capital of \$1,000,000 and a large surplus. No movement in life insurance circles in the southern states in recent years has attracted more attention than this, and the organization of the company has been widely commented upon in the insurance and financial journals of the entire country, especially the east.

The Georgia Life Insurance company has its main offices at Macon, Ga., but it is more than a Macon company, and as a matter of fact is more than a Georgia company; for its field of operations will cover the south, and judging by the personnel of the men behind it, and the success of similar life insurance organizations in the past, it will soon attain a prestige of which the entire south will be proud.

Life insurance, one of the most blessed of business institutions in that it encourages economy and investments and provides for the protection of widows and orphans after the wage-earner has been removed by death, is also a business proposition in the strictest sense of the term. The people who buy stock in such companies do not do so from philanthropic motives, but to invest their money where it will bring good returns. The people who invested \$100 in Aetna Insurance company stock and can now sell their holdings for \$10,800; those who put \$100 in Metropolitan Life Insurance company stock and can now get \$15,000 for it in the open market; and those whose original \$90 investment in Prudential Life Insurance company stock is cashable at \$17,200 invested their money with the idea of making profits, although they hardly expected such fabulous returns. The history of such investments in the past is one reason why the stock of the Georgia Life Insurance company is selling so rapidly.

A strong sentiment is developing among southern people not to send their insurance premiums away from home, but to keep the money right here in the south, instead of enriching other sections. The organization of the Georgia Life comes at a time when this sentiment is particularly strong, and when well organized, well managed home insurance companies will reap the full benefit of the development of this idea, which is based on common sense as well as patriotism.

All the stock of the Georgia Life could have been sold, in a lump, in the east, but it was the desire to place it among the home investors, thereby enlisting to a still greater degree the personal interest of southern people in the enterprise.

The Georgia Life will write both life and casualty business and its field work is being rapidly organized. W. E. Small of Macon is president, the vice presidents are Chas. B. Lewis, J. C. Walker, J.

J. Cobb and W. J. Massee, all of Macon, and S. Herbert Wolfe of New York is the consulting actuary.

Messrs. P. Epes and Jas. O. Williams are in Statesboro with headquarters at the Jaekel selling stock in the new company. They have found local investors much interested, and will be pleased to go into the proposition thoroughly with prospective purchasers.

COMPULSORY EDUCATION IS COMING SURE.

Says C. S. Barrett, President of Farmer's Union Favors Measure

"No more important measure was ever before the Georgia general assembly than that providing for compulsory education, and while I do not know the particulars of any one bill, I feel assured that anything that puts Georgia forward in the matter of education is worth while."

This was the emphatic statement Saturday of C. S. Barrett, president of the National Farmers' Union, who had just returned from a trip to Washington. President Barrett is especially equipped to speak on this subject. He was for many years a teacher himself and practically all of his life has been spent among the people in the country, where the average of illiteracy is highest.

"The day is dawning, and dawning fast, when politicians can no longer hoodwink people about this matter. Let's face the bold truth of this matter. You hear on every side that same old cry when compulsory education comes up—negro domination and too much going for the education of the negro."

"It is the favorite bug-a-boo of every crafty politician in the state when he is out hunting office. He's got to have something to scare the people with, some hobby to ride into office on. But it can't last always. It is just like the farmers of the middle West voting year in and year out for a protective tariff. They've been fooled a long time, but a day of reckoning is almost here."

"So it is with our people and compulsory education. The Southern farmer pines far behind farmers of the East and West because he is ignorant. He is naively as shrewd and able as the best of them, but is handicapped by lack of education. The smart, smooth ones can best him in the intricacies of business affairs."

"I know that the county boards of education handle their problems of the negro with ability and diplomacy now. In many counties the negro population dominates, but it is so arranged that he gets only in proportion to the amount of taxes he pays in. Don't you know, don't I know, doesn't every thinking man know that satisfactory ways would be devised by the county boards to handle compulsory education?"

"Negro domination has too long been our bug-a-boo. It has kept us back in many ways, yet we have gone forward when confronted with our problems and solved them. The white man still rules, and he will continue to rule. Let these little politicians get something else to work their schemes on. They are blocking a great and irresistible movement. It remains to be seen whether or not Georgia is to bring up the rear of the forge ahead with the other progressive states."

"They may keep compulsory education back now, but it is going to come inevitably."

If people with symptoms of kidney or bladder troubles could realize the danger they would without loss of time commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. This great remedy stops the pain and irregularities, strengthens and builds up these organs and there is no danger of Bright's disease or other serious disorders. Do not disregard the early symptoms. For sale by W. H. Ellis & Co.

FOUND:—One small article, found by L. L. Sanderson, owner can get same by describing same and paying twenty five cents for this notice. I. L. Sanderson.

THE STATESBORO NEWS.

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TO ABOLISH FEE SYSTEM

OBJECT OF MEASURE IN SENATE

Bill is Almost Certain of Passage in the Upper House,

Atlanta, July 15.—Senator H. H. Perry of the Thirty-third district, introduced a bill in the senate today which is aimed directly at the fee system. The bill is almost certain of passage.

It provides that the grand juries must fix the salaries of all county officers immediately after the election, which salaries are to be in force during the term of office of the official. The officials are prohibited from receiving any other compensation in the way of costs or other fees.

A Book on Rheumatism, by Dr. Shoop, of Racine, Wis., tells some plain truths and in a plain and practical way. Get this booklet and a free trial treatment of Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy for some disheartened sufferer in your vicinity. Make a grateful and appreciative friend of someone who is discouraged because of the failure of others to help him. Help me to make this test, and I'll certainly help your suffering friend. W. H. Ellis Co.

SHAH OF PERSIA FLEES TO RUSSIAN LEGATION.

Fierce Fighting—Nationalist Forces in Possession of Teheran

Teheran, Persia, July 16.—The Shah has just taken refuge in the Russian legation. A deputation from the British and Russian legations is now on his way to inform the nationalist leaders of the fact.

Teheran, July 15.—Despite the efforts of General Liakhoff, military governor of Teheran, to open negotiations with nationalist leaders and the management of both sides to cease hostilities, street fighting was in progress throughout the day between the Persian Cossacks and the nationalists, and between the royalist Bakhtaris and the newly arrived nationalists and revolutionary Bakhtaris. The insurgents, however, continue in the ascendancy. The Shah remains obdurate, and will probably insist upon holding out until the nationalist forces are trained on the Sultan palace.

St. Petersburg, July 15.—The Novyremya has received a dispatch from Teheran stating that the foreign legations were under fire by

the nationalists. The dispatches say the Russian legation was partly demolished and that the various legations were removed to a place of safety outside the city.

London, July 16.—Advices to the Times from Teheran say that all day long a party of Cossacks at the Russian banks were heavily engaged with the nationalists, of whom four were killed or severely injured.

The nationalist leaders give assurances that they had no designs on the throne but regarded the future of the Shah as dependent upon the will of the nation, which the forces under his command would make no endeavor to influence.

Probably the killed and wounded on both sides will not exceed 100. The behavior of the nationalists is irreproachable. They have maintained order and shown mercy to their prisoners, and have shown a laudable desire to carry out their plans in a civilized manner.

A NIGHT RIDER'S RAID. The worst night riders are calomel, croton oil or aloes pills. They rob your bed to rob you of rest. Not so with Dr. King's New Life Pills. They never distress or inconvenience, but always cleanse the system, curing colds, headache, constipation, malaria, etc., at W. H. Ellis Co's.

If you want good candy go to The Utopia.

Chicagoan Held Up And Robbed By Two Girls.

Chicago, July 15.—Two sisters, the elder 16 years old, held up Charles Natel, in South Chicago last night, and, with an empty revolver, forced him to give up 10 cents, under penalty of death. Natel gave up the dime and then ran to a police station. He returned with a police escort which captured the hold-up girls.

When taken before the sergeant, the sisters treated the whole affair as a joke, laughingly recalling the nervousness of their victim.

Between giggles they gave their names as Helen Derowska, 16 years old, and Bertha, 13 years old. They admitted taking money from Natel, under threats to kill him.

The girls, both of whom are small and good looking, said they recently had visited a wild west show, and had become imbued with the idea that robbery was an easy way to obtain money.

"We have just opened a line of Stringer's candies. We guarantee every package of this candy to be fresh and in good order. We leave it to your best girl to say whether or not it is as fine as any she ever ate.

The Utopia.

Men, women and children's low shoes at bargains at The Shoe Store.



George Washington

Won our freedom. George Washington could not tell a lie. Are you free? Are you living an honest life? If you spend more than you earn you are living a false life, which means a life of slavery to your daily labor. Be honest. Be free. Be a man. It merely takes the courage to save a little out of each day's earnings. Ambition, wealth, success, freedom—are these worth while? Start by opening an account with us.

The First National Bank

Of Statesboro, Ga.

BROOKS SIMMONS President. J. E. McCROAN Cashier.

Directors: F. P. REGISTER, M. G. BRANNEN, W. W. WILLIAMS, JAS. B. RUSHING, F. N. GRIMES, BROOKS SIMMONS, F. E. FIELD.

One Dollar (\$1.00) will open an account with us. Start and make it grow. We pay five (5) per cent. on time deposits. Four (4) per cent paid in Savings Department. Call and get one of our little Banks.

TO=DAY AND MONDAY

OF OUR

MAMMOTH STOCK REDUCTION SALE SATURDAY AND MONDAY.

We will offer our entire stock at Special Cut Prices. If you are thinking of purchasing anything in Shoes, Clothing, Hats, Gents' Furnishings, Dress Goods, Laces, Embroideries, Handkerchiefs, Parasols, Skirts, Hosiery, Ribbons, Furniture, Mattings, Rugs and Millinery. It will pay you to take advantage of this Extraordinary Opportunity for the next Three Days. Remember . . .

MONDAY IS THE LAST DAY

As we will be closed Tuesday and Wednesday taking stock.

Statesboro Mercantile Co.

The Statesboro News

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Standard Oil Butter.

Prepare, oh ye mortals, to pay further tribute to that giant monopoly, Standard Oil. Until this hour the Rockefeller and the Flinders have kept their hands from our dining tables and have been content to take the coin from our pockets through other means. But now, mark you, Standard Oil is going into the butter business. We presume this means that the butter makers of the country, from those who run the giant creameries of the Middle West to the poor widow whose mooley cow's milk furnishes her a modest part of none too golden butter every morning, will have to go out of business and content themselves with handling petroleum, which is to be the name of the new product that Standard Oil is to force upon us.

There doesn't seem to be any real demand for petroleum. We have been getting along pretty well with the creamery product, backed up occasionally with a little oleomargarine, but as the Rockefeller interests say we must eat the new dish, we suppose we shall do so and pretend that we enjoy it.

We are not told just how petroleum is made, but we guess it is turned out like everything else that Standard Oil touches. It is simply forced from a hitherto sacred property of the crude petroleum. When we come to think of it, there is no reason why a concern that can get axle grease out of petroleum shouldn't get butter also. What is good for the axle is good for the tongue—good even if it does not aid the digestion.

We are told that petroleum butter is not to be white, but will be brown in color. Ah, the anaesthetic taste of a Rockefeller. The modern flour is not to be white, but brown. So the modern butter is to be of the same hue. When we spread our trust made brown flour with our trust churned brown petroleum butter, we can realize then with a brown taste in our mouth just how thoroughly the trusts have us in their power. We will know that we have been done up brown, as the sports would remark.

It is said that petroleum butter lasts much longer than the real thing ever on a boarding house table. We should imagine it would. It is also claimed that it would not get rancid. This is bad. It permits of too many return engagements.

The discovery of petroleum butter is the crowning work in the life of Standard Oil. We will now pay tribute to this octopus through all the walks of life. Sleeping or walking, or riding, eating or drinking, we will be given our mite to the maintenance of this giant monopoly. When we light the lamp to illuminate the house we pay a tax to Standard Oil; when we grease the farm wagon, we use axle grease made by Standard Oil; when we light a candle we add to the income of Standard Oil, for candles are one of its by-products.

The gasoline for our automobiles comes from the refinery of Standard Oil; the oil stoves that we light for warmth in winter are the product of the Standard Oil Company; the yaseline which we rub upon our faces and hands to keep the cold from cracking them, comes from the laboratories of Standard Oil; the lubricant with which we make the wheels of progress turn more smoothly comes from Standard Oil factories, as does the oil which we add to the pliability of the harness upon our horses.

We could stand all these things, but this latest invasion—this aim at possessing the butter from our mouths—seems to be a blow which we cannot survive.—Savannah

Williams to Get Control of Seaboard Air Line.

Is the temporary truce declared between the long opposing factions of John Skelton Williams and Thomas F. Ryan of the Seaboard Air Line Railway company to result in the final victory of Williams as the controlling head of the organization?

This interesting question is being asked among railroad men, especially in view of the fact that the reorganization of the road is to be placed on one of the most solid operating bases that it has known since its organization.

It is understood that Williams and Ryan have compromised so that the road will not necessarily be sold under a decree of the United States court. At the same time it is being rumored that Williams is making every effort to consolidate his interests so as to finally control the road. It is further stated that Ryan is willing to sell his interest in the road to Williams, provided the latter is able to finance his scheme to own the road.

Appointments that have been recently made, incidental with plans for the reorganization, have been Williams' appointments. This creates the opinion that Williams and Ryan have reached some agreement by which the long fight will be ended, with Williams in complete control.—Atlanta Journal.

Georgia Weekly Press

Condemns Near Beer.
Douglas, Ga., July 15.—Declaring that "near-beer joints are a disgrace to a prohibition state," the Georgia Weekly Press Association today passed a resolution demanding that the legislature pass a law that will obliterate these "pest holes of temptation," and pledging the support of the weekly press to the state of these saloons.

The Sylvania Horror.
The deepest sympathy of our people goes out to the stricken people who had the misfortune to be so badly burned in the automobile explosion at Sylvania one day this way. The Statesboro News had a small account of it in Thursday's paper, but at that time there were no particulars, and the affair was much more grave than we expected. The latest from the bedside of the afflicted is that two have already succumbed to the effects of the burn and two or three more are on the verge of death. The town is shocked by the enormity of the accident. The stricken people of our sister county have the deepest sympathy of all our people.

Birds From the Same Covey.
It would be too harsh to apply to the present situation around the capitol the old maxim, that when there is a falling out among the real bad, honest men get their dues. But it is a pretty kettle of fish that we see in the middle now before the legislature. Ex-governor Smith says McLendon was so rotten that he must be fired. McLendon says Smith is as rotten as he is, and the fact developed in the trial that Judge Hines was slightly mixed. Now it is unfortunate for these fellows to fall out and claw each other to death, just for the amusement of the opposition, but they are taking off the stunt in good style. They are all of the same covey and hatched out by the same old "refarm" hen.

We forgot to mention anything about Cooper's troubles. My, how the list grows!

Land For Sale.
1500 acres of the best rolling pebble land in Appling county, only four miles from the railroad. This land is excellent for growing Sea Island cotton and all other crops, and it has a great deal of sawmill and crosstie timber on it. We would prefer selling in a body to a number of farmers who will divide it up and clear it for farming after using the timber, and will sell for a part cash and allow good time on the balance for interest. Write to the owners if you mean business as we have a great many other tracts of land in Wayne and Appling counties that might be just to suit you. Ben Milinkin & Son, Jesur, Ga.

Notice.
There will be an all day picnic given at Flat Ford bridge on the Ogeechee river the 24 day of July. Everybody is invited to come out and have a good time. Good music for dancing, and plenty of refreshments of all kinds.
Beasley & Fitch, Com.

MOONEY NOW HEADS DOCTORS.

STATESBORO MAN PRESIDED.

Bulloch County Town Also Lands Meeting Next December.

At the meeting of the First Congressional district Medical society at the DeSoto Hotel yesterday (Wednesday) Dr. A. J. Mooney, of Statesboro, was elected president; Dr. D. B. Edwards, of Stillson, first vice-president, and Dr. R. T. Coleman, of Graymont, second vice-president. By unanimous vote Statesboro was selected as the place for the holding of the middle winter meeting, which will probably be held in December.

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DEATH FOLLOWS AUTO ACCIDENT

Sylvania Stricken by Terrible Accident at Picnic.

EXPLOSION OF GASOLINE TANK. Machine and Occupants a Sheet of Flame—Loaded With Picnic Party.

As a result of the explosion of an automobile which was owned by Mr. George M. Hill of Sylvania, which occurred at Jacksonboro, five miles from that place Tuesday afternoon, two lives have been lost and more names may be added to the death roll before another day passes. News of the tragedy was brought to Savannah yesterday morning by Hon. J. W. Overstreet of Screven county. There were eight persons who sustained injuries, all of them being children, with the exception of Mr. Hill and his wife. The following is a list of the victims:

The dead:
Hewlett Hill, 3-year-old son of George N. Hill.
Fannie Mills, aged 16.
The injured:
Mrs. George N. Hill, probably fatally burned.
Rubie Thomas, aged 16, probably fatally burned.
Lurline Cooper, aged 13, painfully burned.
George Hilton, aged 16, painfully burned.
Bowie Saxon, aged 18, painfully burned.

Today there is weeping and mourning in the little town Sylvania, and sorrow broods over many homes where the angel of death hovered with reluctant wings. The entire community is stunned by the calamity, business is suspended and all interest is centered upon the latest news from the beds of the surviving children who hover so near the brink of eternity.

Tuesday afternoon a large party the young people of Sylvania organized a picnic party and went to Jacksonboro, near Beaver Dam, which is about four miles from Sylvania. There were some fifteen or more in the party, and the fun and frolic of the afternoon was in full swing when Mr. Hill arrived in his White Steamer. Hardy had the big machine arrived before it was crowded with a gay and laughing levy of young people. In the car upon its arrival were Mr. and Mrs. Hill and their twin sons, Hewlett and George N., Jr. When the automobile stopped, three girls, Lurline Cooper, Fannie Mills and Rubie Thomas, climbed into the car and Mr. Hill started to turn the machine around.

There is a small bridge at this point in the road, known as the Jacksonboro bridge, and in maneuvering the automobile, Mr. Hill backed into the structure, which is said to have been broken. One of the timbers which had been broken penetrated the gasoline reservoir, and the compressed fluid, on being released, exploded. Immediately the entire vehicle, together with its occupants, was a mass of flames.

So sudden was the conflagration, and so completely covered with flames were the occupants of the automobile, that in an instant they were almost beyond human aid. According to the story of one girl, who witnessed the tragedy, the scene was one that beggared description. Practically every member of the picnic party was within a few feet of the automobile when the explosion occurred and all witnessed the terrible spectacle which ensued.

In the language of this witness the air about the car seemed to be filled with a sheet of flame which enveloped the entire car and its screaming occupants. The clothing of the ladies in the car was instantly ablaze, and their cries for help were harrowing. Mr. Hill, who had been thrown from the car by the force of the explosion, rushed through the flames to the aid of his wife and children, and did all in his power to rescue them.

AB BIRD TRIES FLYING WITH—OUT WINGS OR A MACHINE.
Jumped Off Train While Running at a High Rate of Speed.

Thursday night, while returning from Savannah on the S. & S. excursion train, several gentlemen were discussing automobiles and flying machines. The discussion had become rather heated when Mr. Ab Bird, one of our enterprising farmers, decided that all flying machines were humbugs and that a man didn't have to buy a machine to fly with; he could accomplish this feat without the aid of the Wright brothers' aerial devices. He had been imbibing some of Savannah's high life fluids, and in order to show the crowd how light he was he simply sailed off the train while it was running at a speed of about twenty-five miles an hour.

One of the train officials after hearing of the flight through space decided to stop the train and go back down the track to ascertain whether a telescope was needed to look at Bird flying through space, far above the Bulloch county pines, or whether a basket would be best to hold his remains after the fragments were gathered up. To the surprise of all Mr. Bird was met about a half a mile back coming down the track, counting cross-ties at a two-forty gait and none the worse for his flight except being left by the train.

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Atlanta, Ga., July 15.—At the request of S. G. McLeod, who is suffering under the severe mental and physical strain of the past three days, proceedings before the legislative joint committee investigating his case were suspended this morning until Monday at 10 o'clock, to allow Mr. McLeod time to rest and recuperate.

Mr. McLeod said in making his request that, prior to the opening of the investigation, he had received many kind offers of assistance from friends, college classmates and former associates of the legal profession, who said they were earnestly desirous of helping him in his case. Possibly, in selecting their advice and deciding to conduct his case alone, he had counted too far on his physical endurance and had acted unwisely. At any rate, he would appreciate it very highly if the committee would listen to his request and grant him a respite.

Chairman Burwell, speaking for the committee would give time to give Mr. McLeod any time he might need to recover his strength and if he would suggest a date at which he thought he could go on, the committee would adjourn until that time. He knew that the nervous tensions of the week had been a severe strain on Mr. McLeod's health, and the committee would be glad to show any consideration in its power. Mr. McLeod thought he would be able to continue on Monday, and adjournment was taken until that time.

Before adjournment, however, it was decided to finish with Judge Hilyer and Commissioner Warner Hill, several members of the committee desiring to ask them a few more questions. Mr. McLeod said that he had no more questions to ask Judge Hilyer.

Senator Burwell asked whether there was ever any action taken by the commission to prohibit Mr. McLeod from giving out interviews for the papers or writing cards on matters pending. Judge Hilyer replied that there was no specific action in that direction, but two formal rules had been adopted to prevent any member of the commission making public discussions by the board of matters pending. He was not certain, but he believed that the first formal expression of this rule had been after Mr. McLeod had written the Albany letter.

Judge Hilyer said that he desired to correct several statements in the press connecting him with the Hilyer Investment Company. He had no interest in that concern, he said, which was mainly the property of a brother and nephew of his.

Judge Hilyer also desired, he said, to correct the impression that seemed to have been made by his testimony in regard to the Atlanta Northern free ride. He said that the Atlanta Northern Company was an interurban street car line running from Atlanta to Marietta. It had been decided at a meeting of the commission, at which complaints about the road had been heard, to continue their investigation by an inspection tour of the road. The parties to the complaint, the witnesses and Commissioners Hill, Stevens, Callaway and himself had gone. Chairman McLeod did not go. Judge Hilyer said that he supposed when they started that the usual fares would be collected, but nothing was said about it and none was paid.

Senator Calhoun asked whether the railroads were not included. Judge Hilyer replied that the railroads were not included. He said that the anti-pass order, Judge Hilyer said that the railroads were not included.

Hilyer replied that it was his understanding that they were. The Senator asked to have the minutes of the commission when it was decided to make the Atlanta Northern inspection trip read. This was done, and there was nothing to indicate that the order had been suspended or that the commission had voted itself a free ride.

Commissioner Warner Hill was called and questioned by Mr. Wright as to his knowledge of the Athens bond transaction. Mr. Hill said that he had never had any conversation with Mr. McLeod about the matter, and knew absolutely nothing about it.

An effort will be made to conclude the hearings on Monday. Four witnesses will be examined on that day. They are W. H. Patterson, of the Central Bank and Trust Corporation; former Commissioner Callaway; Judge Hines, who will be recalled for a few questions in regard to bond matter, and Commissioner Murphy Candler.

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CLEVELAND AND STONEWALL EMANUEL WOULD SUFFER MOST.

Stillmore and Soperton are
Working Hard to Get
New County Sites.

Graymont Hustler.
The new county problem is again receiving considerable attention in the lower house of the state legislature. This time efforts are being strenuously made to cut off two strips from Emanuel county to help form the new counties of Cleveland, with Soperton as the county seat, and Stonewall, with Stillmore as the fountain head.

The movement and support of Cleveland's new county is headed by one of Emanuel's representatives, Neal L. Gillis, who will endeavor to have the county created from portions of Laurens, Montgomery, Emanuel and Johnston counties.

The new county would have a population of 17,500, taxable property of \$2,500,000, and an area of 400 square miles. It would take 186 square miles from Emanuel, 10 from Johnston, 160 from Montgomery, and 49 from Laurens. The main reason of the change is the isolation of Soperton. This place is 25 miles from Dublin, 24 miles from Swainsboro, 26 from Wrightsville, 16 from Mt. Vernon and 10 from Adrian.

The effort to secure Stonewall county is led by the Stillmore Leader and a number of Stillmore citizens. This county, if created, would take part of the counties of Tattnall, Bulloch and Emanuel.

Stillmore is not as isolated as Soperton, being only 12 miles from Swainsboro, about 24 from Statesboro, and about the same distance from Reidsville.

Its relative position is not as suitable for a county seat as is Soperton's.

There are still more remote corners of these counties over which officers of the law must preside and act. Stillmore is not in one nook and corner of Emanuel, but is so located that should the county be sliced, would leave Emanuel awkwardly shaped in an ugly oblong.

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Lost Satchel.
Lost between my house and Register a few days ago a small alligator hide satchel, same containing a lot of legal papers. Suitable reward will be given for the return of same!
P. L. Anderson, Jr.,
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EDITORS' HEARTS WON
BY GOVERNOR BROWN
Democratic Simplicity and Cordial Hospitality Marked Informal Reception.

Atlanta, Ga., July 17.—Governor Brown's democratic simplicity and cordial hospitality won the hearts of the weekly editors of Georgia at an informal reception tendered them at the governor's mansion when they passed through here Friday night en route to Tallulah Falls on their annual outing, about eighty of the guides of rural sentiment presented themselves to shake the governor's hand.

Owing to the heat the governor and Mrs. Brown received on the ample porch of the mansion. At either end lemonade, punch, of the harmless kind, was dispensed by the governor's youngest daughter, Miss Cora Brown, assisted by a number of her dainty little school friends. Each editor had pinned to his coat as he approached the punch bowl a carnation and asparagus fern by the hands of Miss Brown.

A feature of the evening was the recitation of Miss Kathleen Holder, the talented young daughter of the speaker of the house. At Governor Brown's special request Miss Holder recited the dialogue with which she won the prize at the contest of high school pupils of the eighth congressional district at Athens. The recitation was exceedingly well done, under trying circumstances, and Miss Holder received many compliments on her composure and clearness of delivery.

The occasion was a most enjoyable one in every particular and the editors, each and all, went away feeling that it was a good thing to meet and know Georgia's democratic and unaffected chief official.

Big Meeting at Snap.
Probably the largest meeting ever held at Snap was the one held there Friday by the Farmers' co-operative demonstrative work. About two hundred attended the meeting. Prof. Campbell, of the department of agriculture at Washington, Prof. J. W. Willis, district agent of work with headquarters in Statesboro, and Prof. E. Gentry, state agent of the same work, all made interesting addresses along the various lines of farming and much information was given the farmers of that section. Benj. S. Money, the local agent, also made a few remarks to the farmers.

The demonstration work has just begun in this county, with Mr. Money at the head, and much good is being accomplished. Some of the best patches ever seen in this county are now being viewed by hundreds of our farmers. The new work is furnishing much information and the suggestions of the experts should have weight with our farmers.

Dwelling Destroyed.
The five-room dwelling of Mr. Lucius Anderson near Enal was destroyed by fire Friday afternoon. Mr. Anderson was away at the time, having gone after a load of lumber, and the fire was discovered by a neighbor. The fire had gained considerable headway before it was discovered and before assistance could be summoned the entire house was enveloped in flames. The house and all its contents were destroyed. There was no insurance on the house or the furniture.

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COTTON'S BREAK BREAKS RECORD BOLL WEEVIL LESS ACTIVE.

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New York, July 16.—One of the most remarkable breaks in the history of the New York cotton market occurred today as a result of a special report on the boll weevil situation by the government entomologist, Dr. Hunter. At the end of the decline cotton for the new crop delivery was selling at \$2.25 a bale less than the closing price of Thursday.

The break was marked by a panic liquidation, and excitement seldom equaled except in times of complete demoralization. Within half an hour prices declined fully 35 points; and while the market recovered a few points of the loss the close was barely steady, the general nervousness of the trading suggesting a thoroughly unsettled state of sentiment.

The decline today was the culmination of a gradual increasing lack of confidence in the stability of prices which nearly reached the 13 cent level earlier in the week, when the low July condition report was received, showing a continuation of hot dry weather in Texas where the crop was supposed to be rapidly deteriorating. Bullish interests were disappointed that crop disaster predictions did not create enormous demand for contracts to insure future supplies, the selling movement which started around 12.87 for December early in the week continued in increasing volume until at the opening this morning December contracts were selling at 12.15c.

Upon the publication of the boll weevil statement, indicating that the pest was less threatening this year than last, liquidation reached record-breaking proportions and the decline was not checked until December contracts had sold at 11.92c—47 points below the closing figures of the previous night, and 95 points, \$4.75 per bale, below the high record of last Tuesday.

There was a slight recovery later with December closing at 12.05c bid, a net loss of 34 points for the day.
Rumors of rains in Texas were denied to-night and bulls pointed out that the conditions which have restricted the ravages of the boll weevil have also been very unfavorable to the plant in the south-west. But it is believed that a stronger bear clique has been formed under the leadership of Theo. H. Price and that this clique exerted a strong influence on the day's market and will probably remain a factor in the immediate situation.

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While the reports of the physicians indicate that the toll of death has been taken, some of the surviving victims are still in a critical condition. George N. Hill, who was so badly burned in attempting to rescue the occupants of the burning automobile and whose wife and child have already died, is still in a serious condition. Last night his condition was regarded as far from favorable, but it is thought he will recover. Lurline Cooper while still suffering from her burns and the terrible shock, is on the high road to recovery, as is G. N. Hill, Jr., twin brother to the little boy who died. George Hilton, whose injuries were slight, has almost recovered.

Misses Ora and Maebird Anderson of Savannah, are visiting Miss Penie Anderson.
Miss Agnes Rogers of Daisy, is a class in music of about 15 pupils, who are making excellent progress.
Miss Dora Rushing is visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Rushing, in Liberty county.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Rushing visited their parents at Claxton Saturday and Sunday.
On last Thursday morning Misses Hester and Zada Rushing had a narrow escape from burning. They were using a gasoline iron, and the iron becoming too hot they shut off the gas. They put a match to it again, when a flame about three feet high shot up. They were upstairs, and their father, being downstairs, did not hear their first call for help, and by the time he got upstairs the flame had reached nearly to the ceiling. He grabbed the iron and the board and hurled them to the ground. The ruin of the iron was the only damage done.

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SHAH OF PERSIA LOSES THRONE 12-Year-Old Son Proclaimed Shah Under a Regent.

TEHRAN IS QUIET AGAIN.
Nationalists' Victory is Easily Won in Streets of the City.

Tehran, July 16.—Mohammed Ali, Shah of Persia, was dethroned today and the crown prince, Sultan Alim Mirza was proclaimed shah by the national assembly, composed of the chief mujtahids and the leaders of the nationalist forces, in the presence of an immense crowd in Parliament square.

Mohammed Ali has taken refuge in the Russian summer legation at Zerkende, where he is under protection of detachments of Cossacks and Sepoys attached to the Zerkende by the Russian and British diplomatic representatives.
The new shah is yet in his minority, and Azad Ul Mulk, head of the Kajar family has been appointed regent.
With the exception of desultory firing by a handful of loyal Bakhtiari in a lane near the British legation, Tehran is quiet tonight. The townspeople are taking quite calmly the sudden change in rulers, while the nationalists are resting, after four days incessant fighting in the streets of a strange town.

The Shah's decision to place himself under Russian protection was by no means a sudden one. He secured Russia's consent to receive him the day the nationalists entered Tehran, but made no move until the troops guarding his place at Baghshah, near Tehran, were forced to retreat to Sulatanabad.

The committee of the Farmers' Union warehouse held a meeting in Statesboro yesterday morning for the purpose of transacting business. The warehouse is now nearing completion and by the time cotton begins to come the new enterprise will be in a position to handle the crop of all its members. Much business was brought up before the committee meeting and the foundations are being laid for a successful season.

The committee is composed of D. E. Bird, W. M. Tankersley, S. L. Nevils and Joshua Smith.

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