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Mens solid leather Brogans shoes all sizes \$1.45 per pr.
 Mens " " soft cf. " " 1.65.
 Mens Dress shoes in all leathers, Gun Metal, Vici Kid, Tan and Patent leather \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50.
 Ladies shoes all solid for every day wear \$1.25 and up.
 A splendid line of childrens shoes to be found here all sizes,
BUY YOUR SHOES FROM ME AND SAVE MONEY.

A. J. CLARY

Opposite Postoffice

Statesboro, Georgia.

MORGAN CALLED BY HARRIMAN

JUST PASSING INTO BEYOND.

It is Believed the Dying Man Asked Morgan to Protect the Harriman Securities—Preparing for the Funeral at Arden.

Arden, N. Y., Sept. 11.—One of the last men to talk with Edward H. Harriman before the death of last Sunday that ended in his death was J. P. Morgan.

The financier came to Arden Thursday of last week, when the encouraging improvement noted in Mr. Harriman's condition was at its height, and in spite of his bodily weakness, the head of the Union Pacific system was as well able to discuss business as at any time in his life. For nearly two hours the two leaders of American finance sat on the porch in the sun. It is believed that at this conference plans were laid to support the financial market in the event of Mr. Harriman's death or in case his health forced him to abandon all business activity.

Mr. Morgan's country estate on the west bank of the Hudson joins that of Mr. Harriman.

When this conference occurred Mr. Harriman knew he was a dying man, although he kept this information from his family and steadily encouraged their belief that he would get well. No one saw more clearly than Mr. Harriman what would probably happen when he died. For the sake of thousands of railroad stockholders, as well as for his own interests, he knew that unless the strongest money power in the country "got under" the market the effect would be disastrous.

This, without doubt, was why he called in Mr. Morgan.

The Harriman funeral continued to be the main topic of conversation in this vicinity today. The little church at Arden, with its seating capacity of only 150, cannot begin to accommodate the crowd that will attend the public funeral services, or even the so-called "private" ceremony at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Messages of condolence continued to arrive at Arden house. The mail of the little postoffice at Arden today swelled a dozen times beyond its usual size.

For the first time since Sunday night Robert S. Lovett did not spend the night at Arden house last night. Dr. Lytle also was away, and the group in the house was made up entirely of the members of the family.

Little due to the cause of Mr. Harriman's death is given by the

death certificate prepared by Dr. Lytle.

This certificate was received today by I. D. Smith, the undertaker, who will file it with the town clerk at High a. d. M. It gives the cause of death as "heart failure, superinduced by internal complications."

Notice.

Wanted schoolchildren to board at my house in good private family. I can accommodate 5 or 6. Close to school, in good locality and healthy place. Board very cheap and table furnished with the best the market affords.

N. N. Nessmith.

Freight Engine Smashes Ice Wagon.

There was a small sized collision on the Central of Georgia tracks near the depot here on yesterday afternoon. While the freight train was making its regular drills preparatory to leaving towards Dover, the wagon of the Green Ice Co. collided with the freight engine at the Hill street crossing. It seems that the switch was full of cars and the driver in attempting to cross did not observe the approach of the engine, the pilot striking the rear end of the wagon, tearing it up pretty badly, bruising the negro driver and injuring Conrad Mitchell, a young white man who had accompanied the wagon which carried a shipment of ice intended to be loaded on the freight train then preparing to leave.

Neither the white boy or the negro are hurt very seriously, but the wagon was pretty badly demolished.

Notice.

On the 24th day of next September at the Autie Franklin place, there will be sold to the highest bidder, 20 head of cattle. Among them are some fine milk cows, Wagons, 1 cart and harness, also a lot of farming implements. Household and kitchen furniture. M. A. Martin.

Change of Schedule.

The Central of Georgia Railroad announces the following change in their schedule, effective on Sunday, September 12.

East Bound Train No. 14 for Dover, leaves Statesboro 8 10 a. m. daily.

East Bound Train No. 90 for Dover, leaves Statesboro 2 30 p. m. except Sunday.

West Bound Train No. 89 for Lawrence and intermediate points, leaves Statesboro 10 a. m. daily except Sunday.

West Bound Train No. 14 for Dublin and intermediate points, leaves Statesboro 4 54 p. m. daily.

CHILDREN'S CASTORIA

Statement of the Condition of The Bank of Statesboro,	
Located at Statesboro, Ga., at the close of business Sept. 1, 1909	
ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Loans and discounts \$ 200,000.00	Capital stock paid in \$ 75,000.00
Overdrafts 427.00	Surplus fund 20,000.00
Real estate 114.34	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes 15,073.98
Banking house 9,300.00	Due to banks and bankers in this state 1,247.72
Other real estate 24,712.84	Individual deposits subject to check 78,150.84
Due from banks and bankers in other states 10,773.71	Time certificates 89,250.00
Currency 2,151.00	Cashier's checks 22.50
Gold 135.00	Time certificates representing borrowed money 10,000.00
Silver, nickels and pennies 320.55	
Checks and cash items 1,220.00	
Total \$264,124.35	Total \$264,124.35

State of Georgia, Bulloch County:
 Before me came J. L. Coleman, president of Bank of Statesboro, who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is a true condition of said bank, as shown by the books of file in said bank.
 J. L. COLEMAN, President.
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of Sept., 1909.
 S. C. Groover, N. P., Bulloch County.

ARE WE DEVELOPING?

Georgia, And Georgia Institutions and Men in the Lead?

Is it not true that our Minerals, Forests, Farm Products, Waterways and Waterpowers are before the eye of the world?
 Is it not so that our greatness is at hand?
 Is it not so that our cotton, peaches, agricultural products, Gold, Metals, Coal, Iron, Marble, Granite, Clays, Lumber, Naval Stores and Natural Resources places us in the lead of all?
 Is it not so that Georgia is a wonder, worth over a billion and a half dollars! (intrinsic value.)
 Is it not so that Georgia has 568 banks with a capital of about \$20,000,000, and deposits \$70,000,000? Nothing in the Union to compare with it.
 And, is it not so that out of 32 Insurance Companies doing business in Georgia during 1908, and writing over \$44,000,000, the Empire Life, our own Georgia Company, wrote \$5,949,135? You can figure what per cent of the whole is represented in this magnificent showing.

—WRITE OR SEE—

FRED. C. WALLIS,

Rooms 409-11 Nat'l Bank Bldg, Savannah, Ga.
 Phone No. 2272.

APPOINTMENTS TO LEGATURE FARMERS' UNION,

For Rev. S. J. Cowan, in Bulloch County.

Owing to the illness of our lecturer, we were compelled to call off his appointments temporarily, but he is sound and well now and back on the job, prepared to eat 'em alive. Of all these rippers, bear-killers and oratorical prodigies that you ever heard, he is 't. Hear him once and you will follow him from place to place. He will fill the following dates, and other locals or communities wishing to hold rallies should write particulars at once to the county president. We urge the communities to turn out en masse, and prepare public dinners for the rallies.

The dates for the present are as follows:

Saturday, Sept. 18th, County Meeting, at the Courthouse, Statesboro.
 Monday, Sept. 20th, Palaski, at night.
 Tuesday, Sept. 21st, Metter, 10 o'clock a. m.
 Wednesday, Sept. 22, Kingery School House, 10 o'clock a. m.
 Thursday, 23, Portals, 10 a. m.
 Friday, Sept. 24, Pretoria School House, 10 o'clock a. m.
 Saturday, Sept. 25, Brooklyt Academy.

J. R. Kitchings, Committee.
 W. W. Mikell,
 J. W. Hendricks.

Go With A Rush.

The demand for that wonderful stomach, liver and kidney cure, Dr. King's New Life Pills, is astounding. W. H. Ellis Co. say they never saw the like. It's because they never fail to cure sour stomach, constipation, indigestion, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, chills and malaria. Only 25c. W. H. Ellis Co.

THE GARMENT STORE.

WE HAVE CENTERED OUR EFFORTS this season on SPECIAL VALUES AT POPULAR PRICES.

WATCH THIS SPACE

We'll tell you of them from time to time.

VISIT US when in Savannah, we can save you money in new, stylish garments for ladies, misses or children.

SEND US ORDERS

We send you several garments to select from and pay express on return packages.

ENSEL & VINSON COMPANY,
 Savannah, Ga. 115, Bull St.

Frank H Hunter Wm K Pearce Frank C Battey
Hunter, Pearce & Battey.
 Cotton Factors. Naval Stores Factors.

Experienced Handlers of Upland Cotton, Florodora, Allen Silk and Other Extra Staples, Sea Island Cotton and Naval Stores.

Over Thirty Years in Business.

One of the Largest Factorage Concerns in the South. Each commodity handled in a separate department. Strictest attention to each. Nitrate of Soda and other Fertilizers. Upland and Sea Island Bagging, Ties and Twine.

Liberal Advancements Made

on Consignments. Money loaned to cotton and naval stores shippers on approved security.

SHIPMENTS RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED.

126 East Bay St., Savannah, Georgia.

MONEY TO LOAN.

I am negotiating Five Year Loans on Improved Bulloch County Farms at Six and Seven per Cent Interest.

OLD LOANS RENEWED.

Over Fifteen Years Continuous Business. Our Money Never Gives Out. If You Want Money on Your Farm Come to See Me.

R. LEE MOORE, Statesboro, Ga.

THE STATESBORO NEWS.

50 A YEAR.

STATESBORO, GA. THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 16 1909

VOL. 9 NO 16

Bank of Statesboro,
 Statesboro, Ga.
 Capital and Surplus \$100,000

OFFICERS:
 I. L. COLEMAN, Pres. W. C. PARKER, V. Pres.
 C. GROOVER, Cashier.

DIRECTORS:
 J. L. MATHEWS, W. C. PARKER, W. H. ELLIS,
 B. T. OUTLAND, E. L. SMITH, S. C. GROOVER,
 J. L. COLEMAN.

We Want Your Banking Business.

John and Ardin Kea Held on Murder Charge.

Dublin, Ga., Sept. 14.—Late yesterday afternoon the coroner's jury empaneled to make an investigation regarding the assassination of John Minton, a negro boy, about dark Saturday, returned a verdict charging John and Ardin Kea, sons of Chairman W. Kea, of the board of commissioners of roads and revenues of Laurens county, with the murder.

Coroner Shea immediately swore out a warrant against the two men and a short time later John Kea was arrested and placed in jail. The warrant against Ardin Kea has not yet been served, but it is expected that he will come in shortly and surrender himself to the officers.

Ringold Perry, a well-to-do and respectable negro, was with Minton when he was killed. Perry was shot in the thigh. It is believed that the assassin was after Perry and not the boy.

Perry testified before the coroner's jury, but refused to state

whom he suspected. He stated that he was afraid to make his suspicions known.

Track hounds trailed the assassin or some one from the ambulance he had erected near the road and from behind which he shot the two negroes to the home of Ardin Kea. Later another dog trailed the track to Kea's house.

John Kea was seen in the afternoon at the home of his brother. He had a Mauser rifle in his hand. The negroes were shot with a Mauser rifle. Kea's track was measured and was found to be identical with the tracks trailed by the dogs.

The above is the evidence brought out in the investigation and is the basis for the verdict of the coroner's jury.

When the tragedy first became known Coroner Shea was informed that the county would not pay the bill for investigating the murder as there was an eye witness. The citizens of the city, however, insisted that Perry could not be called an eye witness as he did not see the person who fired at

Minton or himself and the law contemplates that to be an eye witness the persons must be able to tell all of the facts connected with the shooting. It was therefore insisted that the coroner hold an inquest, which was done late yesterday afternoon.

The finding of the jury was kept a secret until warrants could be sworn out. John Kea and his relatives, however, expected that he would be charged with murder. As soon as it became known that he was wanted he came to the center of the city from his father's home on Palmer street and surrendered.

It is not known why Ardin Kea is implicated unless it be as an accessory before or after the fact, perhaps both. It is not believed that he will find it hard to clear himself.

The white citizens of the county were much incensed over the tragedy and at once made up a sum of money to offer as a reward. Minton was an inoffensive boy about nineteen years of age. Perry is one of the best negroes in the county, is reliable, prosperous and has the confidence of the white citizens.

The Farmers' Co-operative Union Warehouse Co., Statesboro, Ga., announce ready for business. 10c per bale for weighing and shipping, and 30c per bale for storing upland and 40c for Sea Island per month. We solicit your patronage.

Kodol For Indigestion.
 Relieves sour stomach, calms the heart. Digests what you eat.

BOWDEN TO BE COMMISSIONER.

Property in Litigation, Valued at \$75,000, Placed in His Hands.

(From the Savannah News.)

Probably one of the most important appointments of its nature made in this section in years will be announced officially Oct. 4, when J. E. T. Bowden, known as the "lot king of Georgia," will be named commissioner for property at Glennville that is valued at \$75,000.

The decision that this be done was reached at a conference of parties interested in litigation that has been pending for several months. The conference was held in Savannah Monday and Tuesday, the settlement being reached shortly after noon. The legal battle was a hard one, and was featured by injunctions that have been of interest throughout this section. The litigation began when a sale in June was stopped by an injunction, causing a setback in the plans of development of certain properties at Glennville.

It was at this sale that a balloon ascension and barbecue were given despite the injunction. The parties interested were: Glennville Bank, the Glennville Investment Company, W. U. Rogers and J. P. Williams Company. The property involved in litigation included 500 lots, 21 houses and a number of brick buildings, all in Glennville. Glennville people in particular will be glad of the satisfactory adjustment of the differences, inasmuch as the improvements for that town can proceed without further delay.

When matters reached such a stage that there was apparently no way to realize on the land and houses involved, the parties interested called a conference in Savannah and after due consideration asked Mr. Bowden if he would accept the appointment as commissioner. He gave his answer Tuesday and will receive his appointment from a Superior court judge on the date named.

A portion of the property involved in the litigation was deeded to the Glennville Investment Company by the Glennville Bank, the deal taking place some time previous to the sale in June. But Mr. Rogers claimed a judgment of \$20,000 against the property and on the showing made by him an injunction stopping the sale was granted by Judge Rawlings. By so doing the other parties became involved.

Pending the appointment Mr. Bowden has started work getting the property in shape so as to pay off the indebtedness. The claims of Mr. Rogers, the Bank of Glennville and others will be paid in full by the commissioner at the earliest time possible.

Bride of Few Weeks Feeds Baby to Hogs.

Bristol, Tenn., Sept. 14.—The sending of Mrs. James Disher, 20 years old and a bride of only a few weeks, to jail at Abingdon, Va., reveals a sensational scandal and case of infanticide.

According to Mrs. Disher's own story told at a preliminary investigation, she threw her infant into a neighbor's hog pen, presumably to be devoured by hogs. She denies having killed the child, but a string along its neck caused the examining physicians to conclude that the child had been strangled before being consigned to the hog pen.

WILL HAVE OFFICES IN SAVANNAH.

Strange & Cobb Reaching Out for Larger Fields and Will Locate in Forest City.

It will be interesting to the many friends of Cols. Strange & Cobb, among the most popular and prominent attorneys in Bulloch county, to know that they are reaching out for a wider practice and will establish offices in Savannah, and have engaged rooms numbers 1 and 2 in the Merchants National Bank building. While they are enjoying as good a practice as any law firm in Statesboro at present, it is safe to say that they will also enjoy a large practice in the Forest City, and the News predicts for them a great success in their larger fields. It is with pleasure, however, that we announce that the Statesboro offices are not to be abandoned. For the present Col. Strange will remain in Statesboro, while Cobb will attend to the Savannah business. Col. Strange going down at intervals.

Colonel Henry B. Strange, the senior member of the firm, has been actively engaged in the practice of his profession in Bulloch and surrounding counties for over twenty years. He has always taken a leading and fearless stand in public affairs of his community, has represented this district in the state senate, and is at present mayor of Statesboro, and again we say that it is with pleasure that we can announce that he and his family will still be citizens of our town.

Colonel Herschel P. Cobb, the junior member, previous to coming to Statesboro some four years ago, was engaged in commercial pursuits in Macon and Athens. He is a graduate of the University of Georgia, and has for a number of years applied himself earnestly to the practice of law. During Mr. Cobb's stay in Statesboro he has made a host of staunch friends, all of whom join the News in wishing him an abundance of success in his new home.

COTTON TO REACH FIFTEEN-CENTS.

Savannah Banker Talks Interestingly of Trp.

Most interesting is the report of general conditions in New York as brought to Savannah by Capt. Henry Blinn, who returned yesterday from a six weeks visit to Saratoga, Red Bank and New York City.

Of Capt. Blinn's impressions, chief in importance here is, perhaps, the attitude of financiers toward the future of the cotton market. Capt. Blinn reports that the consensus of opinion among the handlers of cotton in the East is that the staple will go to 15 cents at least, and possibly higher. He states that the reasons for this conclusion among the men whose business it is to know, is that there is a scarcity of the cotton producing output this year generally, and that there will be an immense demand in consequence.

That this will be welcome news to the farmers of Georgia is certain. According to the reports of the governments experts and from private sources equally if not more reliable, it is known that the cotton crop of Georgia this season will be unusually large and of an exceedingly superior quality. With cotton at 15 cents, this will mean that the cotton growers of this state are upon the threshold of an era of unprecedented prosperity.

The Cotton Market.

The price of short cotton stays above 12 cents and sea island runs from 22 cents up to 32.

Quite a number of teams were seen today in line waiting their turn to deposit their cotton in the new Farmers Union Warehouse.

Now in his new home, and while we regret to part with such a good citizen, it is a pleasure to know that he will visit us frequently. Mr. Cobb will probably leave this morning.



George Washington

Won us 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. McGROAN, Cashier.

[Directors:]
 F. P. ROSENTER, M. G. BRANNEN, W. W. WILLIAMS,
 J. B. RUSHING, F. N. GRIMES, BROOKS SIMMONS,
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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.

The Statesboro News

(INCORPORATED.)

J. R. MILLER, Editor

Entered at the post office at Statesboro as 2nd class mail matter.

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An Era of Extravagance.

From Leslie's Weekly.

If the people of this country realized the enormous increase in public expenditures in late years there would be such an outcry against this extravagance that it would shake political centers. The Wall Street Journal recently showed that the municipal debt in the twelve largest cities in the United States had increased from \$144,967,167 in 1890 to \$1,000,173,019 in 1909. The largest increases were in Boston and New York. The debt of the latter in the past decade has grown three times faster, proportionately, than that of any other city. We have recently referred to the fact that before the Spanish-American war in 1898-97 the expenses of the United States government amounted to only \$365,000,000, while during the past year they were nearly double that figure.

What justification is there for this enormous increase in public expenditures? Are we so prosperous that we do not regard this increasing burden of taxation? It would seem so, for in many of our cities the experiment of conducting public utilities at great expense is still being considered. States are expending money in every direction, and the federal government is putting its army and navy almost on a war footing and formulating prodigious plans for public improvements, some of them of doubtful utility. The next great political issue is bound to be based on a demand for retrenchment and economy in public expenditures.

Discoveries by Doubles.

If it be true—when the evidence is sifted—that both Cook and Peary have found the north pole, the fact that they have independently reached the same goal of endeavor at almost the same period of time constitutes within itself no strange or startling exception. The like has often been observed in the world of phenomena. From separate and distinct approaches Alfred Russell Wallace and Charles Darwin reached the same conclusions and announced the same theories in support of the doctrine of organic evolution. The planet Neptune, in the far off heavens, was proclaimed by two discoverers, Adams, an Englishman, and Leverrier, a Frenchman. Both pointed the telescope at same moment of time to the same part of the firmament, and this tiny spark of fire was found burning among the stars.

Leibnitz and Newton independently developed at the same time the profound principles of calculus to emphasize the doctrine of the universal mind, long since founded by Hegel, and the achievement which has recently been announced in the discovery of the north pole by two American explorers is in keeping with the mysterious present which nature seems to have inaugurated.

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Seth, Concerning Advertising

A subscriber of the Statesboro News is anxious to know why the subscribers to a paper should be made to pay for the space occupied by advertising. That he is candid in his objection, I believe that he does not understand the matter—I know.

The readers of our papers do not pay for space and much that is occupied by reading matter. A noted New York paper a few years ago published the fact that every dollar received on subscription went into the make-up of the paper, and the only living for the editors was in the advertising. Suppose that was cut off, and such a great paper as the one referred to would be an impossibility.

The Senior Editor of the Standard, Chicago, told me once that without their advertising they could not bring out their great paper a week. They would be forced to reduce in every direction. The Standard, the editor said, had fourteen thousand subscribers.

The readers of these papers were greatly benefited by the advertising.

But there is another side to the question, advertising has its value to the public. The fellow who does not read the advertisements stands at a disadvantage with the one in which we live. The advertising columns of our newspapers are a fair record of this century civilization. Every new invention to multiply human labor, increase comfort, ornament, every new remedy for the cure of the ailments of the people; every improvement in stock, to say nothing of general advertising, all are heralded in the advertising columns of our papers. To stop all advertising would stagnate our age; nay more, the great wheels of progress would turn backward, knowledge would be obscured and this generation would sit in the twilight of the present civilization.

For my part I have the very best of reasons for blessing advertisers long before I became a man. When a boy living back in the country, with poor schools and scarcely any books, I saw in a paper an advertisement of the Jame Evans gift book establishment in New York. It was proposed to send for one dollar any one of the large list of books, and with each book a piece of jewelry, and to the one sending a club of ten an extra book and prize. The result was dozens of books were gotten and read, which open to the pent up mind of a boy the wide world with its rich stores of thought. At that point a life was turned, and I am so glad.

If I have served our generation to any good effect much of it must be attributed to the intellectual awakening caused by reading that advertisement.

A young lady told me of the recovery of her sister by the use of a remedy advertised in our paper. She had suffered from it for years.

The best furnished houses, the best improved stock, the finest orchards, belong to people who keep an eye on advertisements and cautiously avail themselves of all the improvements of the times. "But there are so many frauds advertised."

Just so, but we must exercise judgment. There are frauds in everything. Because there are frauds must we dispense with the genuine of life.

This is written for whom it may concern.

SETH.

Land For Sale.

I will offer for sale on the First Tuesday in October, 1909, before the Court House door in Statesboro, Ga., 100 acres of land in Bulloch County near Portals, Ga., and bounded by lands of D. C. Finch, S. F. Saunders, Will Clark and others, and will out this land in size tracts to suit purchaser. Terms cash, or one-half cash with notes payable in twelve months with 8 per cent interest.

MISS JESSIE F. LANTIER, Milen, Ga.

Register Dots.

Mrs. Henry Riggs who has been at Jay Bird springs for several days returned Saturday much improved by her trip.

An entertainment was given last Tuesday evening by Miss Minnie Lou Foss, quite a number of young folks were present and report a very pleasant evening.

Mr. J. B. Woodcock left Tuesday morning for Athens, where he goes to enter the University for his second term.

Mr. C. C. Daughtry returned Sunday evening from Jay Bird Springs, and reports quite a pleasant trip.

Mr. W. W. Williams returned Saturday evening from a several days squirrel hunt near Halcou-dale, and bagged some ninety pounds squirrel.

Mrs. W. M. Rogers who has been visiting her son, Mr. D. M. Rogers for several days returned to her home at Fargo Tuesday morning.

Miss Allie Dean made a flying trip to Hagan Sunday.

Mrs. P. A. Trapnell of Metter visited her daughter, Mrs. D. M. Rogers last Saturday.

Messrs B. R. Olliff and H. C. McCrackin left Wednesday morning for a squirrel hunt at Halcou-dale, will be gone several days.

E. Wood Watson, little son of Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Watson happened to a very painful accident last Sunday morning by falling out of the window and breaking his collar bone. Drs. McCrackin and Mooney attended him.

A HURRY UP CALL.

Quick! Mr. Druggist—Buck!—A box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve—Here's a quarter—For the love of Moses, hurry! Baby's burned himself terribly—Johnnie cut his foot with the axe—Mama's scalded—Pa can't walk from the piles—Belle has boils—and my corns ache. She got it and soon cured all the family. It's the greatest healer on earth. Sole by W. H. Ellis Co.

FARM FOR RENT.

A 50-acre, or two horse, farm for rent for 1910. Five-room dwelling, good barn; one and a half miles from Aaron station on S. A. & N. railroad; about 40 acres free from stumps; good stiff land; produced \$1600 in 1908; good roads; schools and churches convenient; daily mail. Will be rented to highest responsible bidder. Possession given Jan. 1, 1910. Apply to J. J. Parrish or L. A. Scarborough, both near Aaron station. Offer closes Oct. 1. Act if you want it.

B. R. OLLIFF

LIFE AND FIRE INSURANCE

Register, Ga.

The Farmers' Co-operative Union Warehouse Co.,

Statesboro, Ga., announce

ready for business. 10c

per bale for weighing and

shipping, and 30c per bale

for storing upland and 40c

for Sea Island per month

We solicit your patronage.

J. R. RICHARDSON,

DENTIST

Office Over Drug Store.

BROOKLET, GA.

NOTICE ON BALD MOUNTAIN.

On a lonely night Alex. Benton, of Fort Edward, N. Y., climbed Bald Mountain to the home of a neighbor tortured by asthma, bent on curing him with Dr. King's New Discovery, that had cured himself of asthma. This wonderful medicine soon relieved and quickly cured his neighbor. Later he cured his son's wife of a severe lung trouble. Millions believe it's the greatest throat and lung cure on earth. Coughs, colds, croup, hemorrhages and sore lungs are easily cured by it. Best for hay fever, grip and whooping cough. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by W. H. Ellis Co.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of

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Perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP.

At 6 months old 35 DROPS—35 CENTS

Guaranteed under the Food and Drug Act.

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Notice.

The ticket Agency at Tybee Island, Ga., will be closed after Tuesday, September 7, 1909.

After that date all returned portions of excursion tickets requiring validation will be validated by the ticket agent of the Central of Georgia Railway at Tybee Depot, Randolph Street, foot of President, 37 Bull Street, and Central Passenger Station, West Broad Street, Savannah, Ga.

Please be governed accordingly.

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Notice of Dissolution.

Drs. Sample & Floyd having, by mutual consent, dissolved, all parties indebted to the above will please make immediate settlement of same with their collector between Sept. 1st and Oct. 1st, by cash or 30 day note, as settlement between above parties cannot be adjusted equally until all accounts are paid.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR REMOVAL OF DISABILITIES.

Margie G. Collins, vs. Sam Collins.

Verdict for total divorce Oct. term 1907. Oct. 28th.

Notice is hereby given that on 24th day of Aug. 1909, the undersigned filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Bulloch County an application for removal of the any and all disabilities of the said Sam Collins, arising out of the above stated divorce, and that said application will be heard at the term of said court which commences on the fourth Monday in October, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

This August 26th, 1909.

Sam Collins.

Local and Personal

Dr. J. T. Rogers, of Savannah, spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. H. Robertson, of Brooklet, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. J. R. Adams, of Lucetta, spent yesterday in the city.

Miss Ouida Brannen is attending Shorter College at Rome, Ga.

A car load of White Swan Line just received by Jones & Kennedy.

Miss Pearl Holland, left this week for Macon, to enter Wesleyan college.

Mr. W. B. Bland, of route No. 4, was a pleasant caller at the News office yesterday.

The Farmers' Co-operative Union Warehouse Co., Statesboro, Ga., announce ready for business. 10c per bale for weighing and shipping, and 30c per bale for storing upland and 40c for Sea Island per month. We solicit your patronage.

After a pleasant visit to Miss Annie Donaldson, Miss Mary Donaldson will return to her home in Blackshear at Saturday.

Misses E. Ann Brannen and her guest, Miss Caddie Lee, of Savannah, a so spending some time with relatives near Brooklet.

Our Shoe Department is complete, give us a look before buying.

The Racket Store.

Mrs. Hinton Booth and little daughter, Alma, have returned from a visit of several weeks in Atlanta and Athens.

M. T. C. B. Aaron, of Aaron, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Mr. S. T. Chance, formerly of Statesboro, but now of Gainesville, is shaking hands with his many friends in the city.

A car load of White Swan Line just received by Jones & Kennedy.

Miss Mammie Bland, is spending a few days in the city prior to leaving for Waycross, where she accepted a position as music teacher in the High school.

The many friends of Miss Sybilla Sample, sister of Dr. Sample, will regret to learn of her serious illness in New York City. This information was received in the city yesterday, and her host of friends feel deeply interested in her condition, which is said to be of a serious nature.

Bring us your Eggs, will pay 25 cents per dozen.

The Racket Store.

Miss Carrie Dawson, of Dublin, who has been spending some time in Montana, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. H. Lichtenstein, at the Brooks House.

Miss Della Wilson left Tuesday for Macon where she will attend Wesleyan Female College.

The finishing touches are being put on the building to be occupied by the Averett Automobile Company, and the business is being moved from the old stand into its new home. The garage will be under the management of Mr. D. Percy Averett and its success is assured. The new building is a great addition to the locality east of the courthouse square.

Just received big lot 31 inch Yellow Homespun. Special at 5 cents a yard.

The Racket Store.

Miss Janie Edwards has returned to her home at Blitchin after a pleasant visit to Miss Nita Brannen.

Conrad Mitchell, who was hurt when the Central of Georgia engine struck the ice wagon several days ago, is improving, to the delight of his friends.

Bring us your Eggs, will pay 25 cents a dozen.

The Racket Store.

Miss Ouida Williams will leave in a few days for Columbia, S. C., where she will attend school.

Miss Annie Mae Olliff left Tuesday for Cox College at College Park.

Just received a nice line of sample Hats to go at half price.

The Racket Store.

Mr. Freeman Hardisty left yesterday morning to resume his studies at the State University at Athens. He will be followed in a few days by the other Bulloch county boys who are completing their education.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Parrish, of Savannah, spent Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McKell, in Statesboro.

Mr. B. D. Hodges, of Euclid, was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

Mr. J. L. Hutchinson, of Arcola, was in town yesterday.

First District Agricultural School Appeals to Friends.

Believing that there are many friends of the Agricultural school throughout the district who would be glad to promote the success of the school, we ask all who will do so to give us one or more hens for our poultry department, barred Plymouth Rocks and white Leghorns preferred. Our new poultry runs are now about ready, and we wish to do all in our power to teach at the school those neglected industrial arts that make for the happiness and prosperity of our people.

With many thanks in advance for any assistance we may receive,

Yours very truly,

Mrs. J. Walter Hendricks, In Charge Poultry Dept.

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Eggs 25c per dozen.

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For Sale

A tract of land containing 100 acres, with 35 acres under high state of cultivation, balance well timbered. This is a part of the Nichols farm, near Portals, Ga. I will sell for \$25. per acre, half cash. For further information apply to

Miss Bessie Nichols, Summit, Ga.

We have a few international Steel Hay Presses which we can sell cheap rather than carry over.

McCoy & Pretorius.

The Farmers' Union Warehouse is open for business, and the patronage of the general public is solicited. Union and non-union farmers are urged to weigh and store their cotton in our warehouse. Prices right and correct weights guaranteed.

Farmers Union Notice.

The next meeting of Bulloch county Union No. 103 is hereby called to meet in the Courthouse at Statesboro on Sept. 18th, the regular meeting day. Rev. S. J. Cowan of Emanuel county will be present, and a large attendance is desired. Meet us for business.

J. Walter Hendricks, President.

For Sale.

I have a fine farm of 209 acres with good buildings and 35 acres in a high state of cultivation that I would like to sell or rent on share crop plan, to parties having stock of their own preferable.

Mrs. Q. A. Findley, Palaski, Ga.

NEW CAFE

My friends in Bulloch and adjoining counties are cordially invited to call on me when they visit the city. I have opened a nice place at No. 416 Liberty West, near the Central Depot where I am prepared to serve my friends with the best to be had under the Savannah Prohibition laws. When in town come to see me.

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P. O. Box 84. One block from C. R. R. Depot.

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The Undersigned has now in stock the swell-est line of Furniture ever carried in Statesboro. Including Room Suits, Side Boards, Beds, Chairs Sofas, Baby arriages, Stoves, Ranges etc. When in town call and inspect our line.

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to a mistake made in our first advertisement due to mistaken phone message. We will put at this time on sale Twenty Lots at discount of

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At News Office.

P. S. We site to you to an investment made six years ago within one block of these Lots cost \$300, now worth \$1,800.

HOW IS THIS? THINK.

Notice.

For the convenience of the farmers who bought Blackshear fertilizer from me they will find their notes in the Bank of Statesboro.

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"In the Stud."

Millen, Ga.

"The French Coach Stallion Drenx," fee \$15.00. Foal guaranteed. This horse is registered and a magnificent animal for general purposes, weight 1,210 lbs., six years of age, dark brown color with excellent qualities.

"Hamiltonian Trotting Stallion Joe," fee \$15.00. Foal guaranteed. This horse is a perfect beauty, is registered with a mark of 217 1-2, seven years old, weight 1,100, almost black in color, kind gentle and with good qualities.

Either horse will be campaigned.

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Every Pair
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Mens solid leather Brogans shoes all sizes \$1.45 per pr.

Mens " " soft cf. " " 1.65 "

Mens Dress shoes in all leathers, Gun Metal, Vici Kid,

Tan and Patent leather \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50.

Ladies shoes all solid for every day wear \$1.25 and up.

A splendid line of childrens shoes to be found here all sizes,

BUY YOUR SHOES FROM ME AND SAVE MONEY.

A. J. CLARY

Opposite Postoffice

Statesboro, Georgia.

19-Year-Old Girl Wears Skirts for First Time.

Council Bluffs, Iowa.—Miss Frederick Adams, a pretty nineteen-year-old girl, is today wearing skirts for the first time. She has heretofore worn boy's costume and has been known as a boy. The girl, whose home is near Sioux City, walked into police headquarters here and said she was a girl. The police sergeant behind the desk rubbed his eyes, took a steady look, signalled to two patrolmen and said: "Handle him gently; it's either sunstroke or plain lunacy."

Miss Adams became indignant and repeated that she was a girl. It took short investigation to establish the fact that the caller's real name is Miss Frederick Adams. The young woman was christened Frederick in Plainfield, N. J., at the direction of her father, who died shortly before her birth. The man wished for a son, for the reason that a boy meant the winning of a large fortune which would go to him when he reached his majority; but that if a girl were born the estate would be distributed among other relatives. The child was a girl and with the object of gaining the inheritance deception was practiced. The baby girl was named Frederick and was raised as a boy.

After father died, mother took her to the farm near Council Bluffs, said the girl. "We live there yet, and I ran away. I have never been permitted to be a girl. When I was a child I wanted dolls, but my mother made me play with tops and tin soldiers. I was turned out with boys and forced to take part in their rough games. I had to fight with my fists and play football and baseball, and when I couldn't help crying the boys called me 'sissey' and told me to go home to my mother's apron strings."

The police were puzzled, but finally decided to take her before a magistrate. In court Miss Adams repeated her story and the magistrate remanded her in care of the matron until her mother arrives from Council Bluffs. The matron found the girl in feminine attire and in her first attempt to walk she tripped in the skirt and went down on the floor.

Change of Schedule.

The Central of Georgia Railroad announces the following change in its schedule, effective on Sunday, September 13.

East Bound Train No. 14 for Statesboro leaves Statesboro 8:10 a. m. daily.

West Bound Train No. 90 for Statesboro leaves Statesboro 2:30 p. m. except Sunday.

East Bound Train No. 89 for Statesboro leaves Statesboro 10 a. m. daily except Sunday.

West Bound Train No. 14 for Statesboro leaves Statesboro 4:54 p. m. daily.

Thomas County Negros Receive Warning.

Thomasville, Ga. Sept. 14.—Two more Thomasville negroes have received warnings lately that their presence was not desired here and they could either leave or receive twenty-five lashes. These warnings had a skull and cross bones sketched in one corner, with a picture of a darkey being whipped in the other.

It is said that both negroes preferred to skidoo instead of taking the whipping. This method is being employed to rid the town of some undesirable characters and seems to be proving effective.

Notice.

Wanted school children to board at my house in good private family. I can accommodate 5 or 6. Close to school, in good locality and healthy place. Board very cheap and table furnished with the best the market affords.

N. N. Nessmith.

Complaining of

Too Much Rain.

Mr. J. R. Adams, a prosperous farmer living at Lucetta, was in the city yesterday, and while here stated to a reporter that the farmers in his section are complaining of having too much rain. Mr. Adams said that in some fields the cotton was standing in water, and it is his opinion that the cotton will not only be affected, but picking will be greatly delayed. Considerable of the cotton is said to be laying on the ground in water.

Go With A Rush.

The demand for that wonderful stomach, liver and kidney cure, Dr. King's New Life Pills, is astounding. W. H. Ellis Co. say they never fail to cure your stomach, constipation, indigestion, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, chills and malaria. Only 25c. W. H. Ellis Co.

Notice.

For the convenience of the farmers who bought Mutual Fertilizer Guano from us, they will find their notes in the First National Bank, placed there for convenience.

K. W. Waters.

J. B. Rushing.

Notice.

On the 24th day of next September at the Audie Franklin place, there will be sold to the highest bidder, 20 head of cattle. Among them are some fine milk cows. Wagons, 1 cart and harness, also a lot of farming implements. Household and kitchen furniture. M. A. Martin.

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Highest market price paid for Cotton Seed. Perfect weight; fair and courteous dealing in every respect. Give us a call.

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Is it not true that our Minerals, Forests, Farm Products, Waterways and Waterpowers are before the eye of the world? Is it not so that our greatness is at hand? Is it not so that our cotton, peaches, agricultural products, Gold, Metals, Coal, Iron, Marble, Granite, Clays, Lumber, Naval Stores and Natural Resources places us in the lead of all? Is it not so that Georgia has 568 banks with a capital of about \$20,000,000, and deposits \$70,000,000? Nothing in the Union to compare with it. And is it not so that out of 32 Insurance Companies doing business in Georgia during 1908, and writing over \$44,000,000, the Empire Life, our own Georgia Company, wrote \$5,949,135? You can figure what per cent of the whole is represented in this magnificent showing.

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	1 Gallon	4 Full Qu.
Our Choice	\$2.10	\$2.35
Nelson County Rye	2.50	2.50
XXXX Baker Rye	3.20	3.40
CREAMDALE RYE (Special)		3.00
Rose Gin	2.10	2.35
Holland Gin	2.50	2.75
Genava Gin (Extra Fine)	3.00	3.25
XX Corn (White or Yellow)	2.10	2.35
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LAUREL VALLEY CORN (Fine)	3.00	3.25
Apple or Peach Brandy	2.50	2.75
Rum	2.50	2.75
Wines (all kinds)	2.00	2.00
LEWIS "66" (In Glass Bottles)	4.00	5.00
HARPER	4.00	5.00
TREMONT RYE	4.00	5.00
SUNNY BROOK	4.00	5.00
ECHO SPRINGS	4.00	5.00

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100 A YEAR.

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NEGRO ATTEMPTS TO ASSAULT YOUNG LADY.

FATHER MAKES SON CONFESS HIS DEED.

Black Brute Enters Room of Miss Corabel Waters and is Frightened Away by Young Lady's Screams.

Morgan Lane, a negro brute 19 years old, is in the Bulloch county jail, charged with an attempted assault on Miss Corabel Waters, step-daughter of Judge Joe Richardson, near Brooklet, at 1 o'clock Thursday morning.

That the negro was not lynched is probably due to the fact that his old father has been in the employ of Judge Richardson for over twelve years, and after citizens had caught the son the old man appeared and made the boy confess his rash act.

It was about 1 o'clock Thursday night when the negro entered Miss Waters' room, going in through a window in her bed room. The young lady was in a sleepy stupor when she discovered that the negro was in her room. His hand was then on her arm, and as she turned and twisted he put his other hand on her foot. She was fully awake by this time and finding the black brute standing over her at her bedside she was almost thrown into hysterics. She began to scream and her step-father, Judge Joe Richardson, who was in a room across the hall ran to her rescue. Her screams were so loud that neighbors were also attracted and within a short time a large crowd had gathered around the little county home and excitement prevailed.

When Miss Waters began to scream the negro made a dash through the window he had entered and disappeared in the darkness. The young lady, it seems, however, recognized Lane when he was standing over the bed and told Judge Richardson that it was Lane who had entered the room. A search for the negro was at once begun, and at the same time parties came to Statesboro to notify the Sheriff. Deputy Sheriff Albert Kendrick was found at the jail and he went to Brooklet early Thursday morning, going through the country. When he arrived at the scene citizens had caught the negro and he was turned over to the deputy sheriff, who brought him to Statesboro where he is now safe in jail.

There were some, it is said, who were in favor of taking the law into their own hands and lynching the negro, but cooler heads were opposed to such a course. The old father of the young buck, who has been with Mr. Richardson for over twelve years, pleaded with the crowd not to lynch his son. The negro denied his guilt until his father came up and made him confess it.

Miss Waters is said to be on the verge of nervous prostration and is suffering a great deal from her fearful fright.

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL MAKING GREAT PROGRESS.

Has Now an Attendance of Over Six Hundred.

The State Normal School opened August 31st, 1909, with 480 pupils in attendance. The Muscogee Elementary School opened the same day with 149. The total attendance at the State Normal is, therefore, 629.

More than one-half of the students are the children of farmers. One hundred and forty-seven have had experience in teaching. One hundred and thirty-five are self-supporting. One hundred and twenty-eight are graduates of other colleges and high schools.

Ninety-eight counties are represented. Bulloch is the banner county, having 16 students in college. Newton and Walton have 13 each, Muscogee, Gwinnett and Elbert have 11 each; Grady, Green, Oconee and Wilkes, have 10 each. Every place in every dormitory is filled, and students are now overflowing into the immediate homes.

On November 1, there will be 29 vacancies in the dormitories, and by January 1, 1910 there will be 105. Students who first apply for these places will be registered for them.

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NEGROES ARE ALARMED, BUT WITHOUT OCCASION.

Only Insurance Regarding Recently Enacted Law.

The negroes of Georgia are much stirred up over the law passed by the general assembly at its recent session, and approved by Governor Brown, which prohibits any fraternal, social, benevolent or similar organization from using the name, emblems or insignia of another similar organization already in existence.

As a result of ignorance as to the real meaning and intent of this law, it is said in many sections of the state negro societies are afraid to meet in their lodge rooms, and will not wear badges of any kind for fear of arrest and prosecution.

The truth of the matter is the law in no sense interferes with any negro or other society, except that they shall not use the name and emblems belonging to another society previously organized.

The negro societies may select any name or emblems they wish, just so long as they are not the names or nearly like the names of other societies, and the law will protect them in the use of such names and emblems just as it protects those now organized.

The truth is only two or three orders are in any way affected, namely: the negro Knights of Pythias, negro Elks and negro Odd Fellows. These orders will have to change their names because they are clearly infringements of the names of white orders of the same name, previously organized.

There is no interference whatever with the meetings of the negro societies, which may meet when and where they please.—Macon News.

Negro Brutally Beats

Woman so he Can Rob

Mount Holly, N. J. Sept. 17.—Attacked in the yard at her farm near Marlton and beaten into insensibility carried to the house, gagged, bound hand and foot and then placed between two beds on the second floor, where she would be helpless until found. Mrs. William H. Mortland, 39 years old, was thus brutally treated yesterday as a part of a plan of Samuel Layfield, colored, an employee of the farm, to rob the house during the absence of the woman's husband on a trip to Moorestown, near here.

The negro found a gold watch and chain and \$50 in money, and with these he left in the direction of Moorestown. On the road he met Mortland returning home and asked him to take him to the house he told him that a man had called at the house to buy a team of mules that the farmer had to sell, but had tired of waiting and had gone to Moorestown to meet Mortland. The farmer turned about and took Layfield into Moorestown with him so the prospective purchaser would not be missed. The two waited for nearly two hours without success and then Mortland decided to return home. The negro boarding a westbound trolley car. During all this time Mrs. Mortland lay helpless between the two beds and almost unable to breathe. She suffered from nervous shock.

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TWO LIVES SAVED BY OPERATOR

BULLOCK MAN TRIES TO KILL HIMSELF AND A CHILD

Freeman, Alleged Former Lunatic, Seated Himself on Atlantic Coast Line Track and Held Nephew, While Train Approached—Operator Strong Hero of Occasion.

Two lives were saved this morning at the Savannah junction of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company when Operator S. T. Strong of the Coast Line, stationed at the junction, flagged a train which would probably have run over Marshall G. Freeman, aged 50 years, an alleged lunatic, and his little nephew, Raiford Simmons, 6 years of age, whom the uncle is said to have held on the track that they both might die.

Mr. Strong succeeded in getting the pair off the track and he and Section Foreman H. A. Gordon, and the latter's gang of several negroes watched them until the arrival of Chief Special Agent G. S. Godbold of the Coast Line and Deputy Sheriff L. K. Meldrim, who arrested the man and took the boy in charge. Mr. Godbold went before Ordinary McAlpin and swore out a writ of lunacy and Freeman was taken to the Chatham county jail. His little nephew was also taken along and is being detained.

Shortly before Mr. Strong was due to go off duty at 7 o'clock at the junction he saw the figures of the man and the boy on the track about 200 yards from the telegraph station. The former was holding the latter on the track. A train was due to pass. The operator threw the red board and rushed out and succeeded in clearing the track. Then he sent a message to Dispatcher E. P. McLean and the latter phoned Mr. Godbold, who went to the scene with Mr. Meldrim after having telephoned Mr. Gordon to hold the pair.

In the meantime Mr. Gordon feared to advance on the crazed man, who repeatedly said "we are both going to my dead mother," lest he might get away. He got one of his section hands to steal the boy and take him by a roundabout route through the woods, a mile and a half distant.

Freeman kept moving down the track, and the foreman and hands followed. At the four mile post Freeman stopped and backed up against the post, and at this juncture Special Agent Godbold and Deputy Meldrim came up. Freeman took to his heels but was caught a short distance away by Mr. Gordon and Mr. Meldrim. The prisoner resisted but he was weak for want of food and was easily taken. He could give no explanation of who he was or where he lived, or how he happened to be out in the woods and the fields with his little nephew. The boy gave the names of both, saying that his uncle lived at one time with his wife, about five miles from Statesboro. He said his uncle was in the state asylum about six months ago. His own father, he said, was named Sam Collins, his mother Mrs. Annie Collins,

and his home about a mile and a half from Parish station, near Doves, on the Coast Line. The pair had stopped several days near Thunderbolt, said the boy. The boy apparently is a step-son of Collins, whose name he gave as his brother.

Marshall Freeman had on no shoes, and clothes consisting only of an old pair of pants and an old shirt. The boy wore a hat, shirt and pants but was also barefooted and had been badly bitten by mosquitoes. It is believed that the death of Freeman's mother has caused him to want to die and join her and to take the boy also.

Last evening about seven o'clock Jailer Arnold Seylen received a phone message at the county jail from Marshall Hughes at Thunderbolt, stating that a man had become violent and broken up things in a house near the old bicycle track near Thunderbolt. The marshal thought the man out of his jurisdiction and so didn't arrest him. The authorities interested in the case now think this man was Freeman, who is said to have a brother near Thunderbolt, whom he has been visiting.

Freeman was locked up in a cell at the county jail and his nephew is being cared for in the top story of the structure. The latter was ravenously hungry this morning when the jail officials took him breakfast, for he hadn't tasted food since dinner yesterday.