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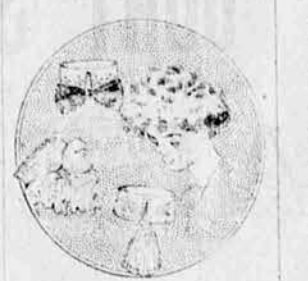
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NEW CAFE

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.

H. WOOD.

P. O. Box 34. One block from C. R. R. Depot.

Savannah, Augusta and Prohibition Again.

(Savannah Forest-Blade)

Last week we touched up the liquor situation in Savannah and Augusta. We propose herewith to tackle it a little bit again this week. In the series of attacks we are making on this flagrant and shameful violation of a state wide statute in these two cities, we don't propose to uncover any great sensation. Everybody knows this thing is going on. The average Emanuel county business man knows just what we are charging is true, the average farmer knows it—in fact everybody, practically, in this section knows that the prohibition law in these two cities is a farce and a failure.

What are we agitating the matter for then? For two or three reasons. One is we are in hopes that the country press of Georgia will join us in denouncing this open violation of a state law. The country papers are a power. If they will get together and hold the people of these cities up to the people of the whole state in their real light it will have a wholesome effect. Then again we thought that probably some of the big guns might get interested along this line and begin to help us preach the doctrine that the people of cities are no better to be made respect the law than the people of the country.

Where is Tom Watson? He says he has been a consistent prohibitionist all his life, he lives close enough to Augusta to know a whole lot. He can make the far fly if he will and maybe he will. Seelye of the Georgian, is a good prohibitionist and his paper goes all over the state. He could agitate some too. The editor of this paper can't do much in mauling sentiment; his sphere of publicity is confined chiefly to Emanuel County. BUT ONE THING IS CERTAIN. IF GON. BROWN WAS OF OUR OPINION, CONDITIONS IN SAVANNAH AND AUGUSTA WOULD CHANGE. IT TOOK EVERY MAN IN GEORGIA TO CHANGE THEM.

We say again that the prohibition law has not materially changed the sale of liquor in these cities. They sell it openly and above board. You can walk into a bar, call for the brand of liquor that you want, pay for it and go on. More than that if you live away from the city you can have it shipped to you. How much better do the liquor sellers want it than this. What semblance of regard for law is there about such business? So far as law and order are concerned, every man in these cities that do such business had just as well be hog thieves. So far as enforcing the law is concerned, the courts of these cities and the city authorities that wink at it and let it go on, had just as well join hands with the murderers and let them go on.

If only the country weeklies that this paper exchanges with will join us, we will kick up a racket about this business that will make it too warm to be comfortable. Will you do it boys.

For Rent or Lease.

Portal, on the S. A. & N. Ry. is one of the coming towns of Bulloch county. A few months ago it was a cotton patch, now a booming town with ten stores and handsome residences, and public enterprises. Do you want to rent or lease a nice brick store at that place? We will fix it for you, or we will do the same at Aaron, another coming town. See Braman & Booth, Savannah, Ga.

Death of a Boy.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Langford will sympathize with them in the loss of their eleven-year-old son on Saturday last. The young lad died of a complication of diseases.

The funeral services and interment ceremonies were conducted at East side cemetery Saturday afternoon.

Committed to Selling Diseased Meat

On yesterday before Judge Holland Willie Webb, of the 48th district, was committed to the city court on a charge of selling diseased pork to one of the meat markets in this city. The evidence ran this way:

Mr. J. B. Burns, of the firm of Burns & Co., testified that on the afternoon of Friday, October 23d, Willie Webb drove up to his store at the back end about sunset and offered for sale a butchered hog being busy at the time a thorough examination was not made, but a price was agreed upon, and the hog weighed and a due bill issued in payment. Mr. Burns stated that the hog was placed in a refrigerator over night, and next morning Mr. A. E. Morris tackled it for a customer. The odor from the hog was so sickening that it was abandoned after a slice was cut into it, revealing black spots, and the blood that had been in it had turned to water. The odor was different from that of any other spoiled meat that Mr. Morris had ever tackled in his long career as a butcher. Webb was sent for and asked to take the hog away. He declined to do this, but asked that it be sold for any price offered for it, and when this was refused stated that the due bill had been traded. Mr. T. J. Morris, a neighbor of Webb, testified that Webb had his hogs in a field near his house; that he drew water from Mr. Morris' well for them; that on this particular Friday morning two of them were found to be very sick, so much so that they could not walk, notwithstanding the fact that they were very fat; that Webb came to the field where they loaded one in a wheelbarrow. It was so sick that it was not necessary to tie it; it lay in the wheelbarrow helpless and almost lifeless; that he carried one home a short distance away and came back with the wheelbarrow after the other one. It was so sick that he knocked it in the head with an axe before leaving it. He stated to Mr. Morris that he intended to make soap grease out of them. Later in the day he came back and asked Mr. Morris if it would be any harm to sell them. Mr. Morris reproved him and told him it would. Mr. Morris testified further that he was in a position to know how many hogs Webb owned, and that the two sick ones were the only ones missing from his bunch on the occasion of the sale here on Friday afternoon before Superior Court. Other witnesses corroborated Mr. Morris.

When the state had completed its case the attorneys for Webb stated that they recognized the fact that sufficient evidence had been produced to bind the defendant, and asked that the bond be made as light as possible, then Judge Holland committed the defendant to the City Court in a bond of two hundred dollars. Another case of the same nature developed here on Saturday morning. A young man by the name of Peacock from the upper section of the county, drove in here with four butchered hogs in a wagon. The meat seemed to look very much like that brought in by Webb. Mr. Burns refused to buy it, and called the sanitary inspector; he in turn called Dr. Mooney. The meat showed plainly that it was diseased, and the young man was warned not to offer it for sale in town any more. He lost no time in getting out of town with his death producing, diseased stuff, and what he did with it we are not able to say. It may be that he unloaded it on some one in the country on his way home. The people are somewhat aroused over these attempts to sell poisonous meats in our market, and there will be no pains spared to prosecute to the full extent any who will attempt it. Webb will probably be given a hearing in the City Court this week.

Satisfied Beneficiaries of this Gen'l Agency "In Empire Life Contracts."

Fred C. Wallis, Gen'l Agent, Savannah, Ga.
Dear Sir: The promptness with which you paid the death claim of my nephew, L. E. Patton, \$2,500, is appreciated.
E. H. PATTON,
Glenwood, Ga., June 15, 1909.

Fred C. Wallis, Gen'l Agent, Savannah, Ga.
Dear Sir: My brother, A. A. Aaron, had a double indemnity policy for \$1,000. He was killed by accident; you promptly paid \$2,000, which is most commendable.
S. L. AARON, Administrator.
Stillmore, Ga., Oct. 6, 1909.

Fred C. Wallis, Gen'l Agent, Savannah, Ga.
Dear Sir: My husband, E. H. Miller, lapsed his policy and had just renewed when he died suddenly. You promptly paid the death claim, \$1,000, showing the honesty of the company.
LENA V. MILLER, Administratrix.
Stillmore, Ga., Oct. 6, 1909.

Fred C. Wallis, Gen'l Agent, Savannah, Ga.
Dear Sir: My husband, Jesse Lee, held policy for \$1,000 in your company. Not long since he died, and your promptness in paying claim is appreciated.
ETHEL B. LEE, Administratrix,
Sylvania, Ga., Oct. 7, 1909.

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Blue, Black and Fancy Suits
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Discounts of From 25 to 50
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Lot 1	Lot 2	Lot 3	Lot 4
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Appointments of

Eld. B. H. Peirson.

Elder B. H. Peirson, of Macon, will, D. V., fill the following appointments:
Statesboro, Tuesday night, Nov. 30th.
Savannah, Wednesday night, Dec. 1st.
Fellowship, Thursday, 2d;
Upper Black Creek, Friday, 3d;
Middleground Saturday and first Sunday, 4th and 5th;
Upper Lotts Creek, Monday, 6th;
Oak Grove, Wednesday, 8th;
Nunez, Wednesday night, 8th;
Mount Olive, Thursday and at

night, 9th.

Loves Chapel, Saturday and second Sunday, 11th and 12th.

Rome, Monday and Tuesday, 13th and 14th;

Sunlight, Wednesday, Dec. 15th;
Cedar Creek, Thursday, 16th;
Beards Creek, Friday, Saturday and third Sunday, 18th, 18th and 19th.

You will please circulate these appointments. E. W. Powell.

Notice.

There will be no state examination of teachers in December. All teachers desiring a special examination will please file application by January 1st, 1910.
J. E. Brannen, C. S. S.

\$1.00 A YEAR.

STATESBORO, GA. THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1909

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Bank of Statesboro, Statesboro, Ga.

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LIFE SENTENCE IS GIVEN PERDUE

FOURTH TRIAL IN CASE.

Pike Court Late at Night
Receives Jury's Verdict.

Barnesville, Ga., Nov. 28.—The jury in the case of Ben F. Perdue at Zebulon returned a verdict of guilty with recommendation at a very late hour last night, and Judge Reagan immediately sentenced the defendant to a life term in the penitentiary.

The trial began in a special term Tuesday morning and went to the jury Saturday afternoon. The result is no surprise to the people of the county.

Deputy Marshal Porch of Barnesville was shot and killed by Perdue late one Saturday night in September, 1908.

Perdue was tried at adjourned term shortly thereafter and was given a sentence of fifteen years, which was set aside by the Court of Appeals. He was tried again at the October term, the jury making a mistrial.

Judge Reagan called an adjourned session for last Monday for the third trial, when the defendant's attorneys raised a point as to its legality. Judge Reagan did not agree with the attorneys, but to save the people of the county trouble and expense on a possible reversal, sustained the point and called the special term beginning Tuesday.

The circumstances of the killing, the prominence of the men and their families and the array of lawyers on each side, made it a notable case.

AGNES SCOTT NOW HAS

\$1,000,000 ENDOWMENT.

Last Dollar is Subscribed at
Atlanta Mass Meeting.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 30.—At a mass meeting tonight at the Atlanta auditorium the last dollar needed to secure the \$1,000,000 endowment fund for Agnes Scott was subscribed.

Some time ago the general educational board gave \$100,000 on condition that Atlanta would give \$250,000. As the endowment fund was already \$650,000 the additional sum would make a total of one million.

Over \$100,000 has been subscribed in the last ten days. The finishing amount was given at 11 o'clock tonight, when the Georgia Railway and Electric Company announced a gift of \$5,000.

For Sale.

One iron safe, good as new, at one half the original cost; 2 skirt racks, 1 five-foot floor show case at a bargain. Call at the store.
A. J. Clary.

IS THERE NOT A BETTER WAY?

Shall We Continue to Put
Criminals to Death.

(Savannah Press)

Editor of the Press: Sir—Will you permit a few lines of protest over the unseemly controversy between a learned Judge and the Governor of our state?

A man has been hanged in return for a crime committed by him. He was tried, found guilty, sentenced and hanged. So far, all is lawful, if not expedient and as we read the weary pro and con, we realize that our present law is on trial. Thousands are of the opinion that the State cannot forego, and cease to permit the putting to death by due process of law the man who has killed his fellow.

They argue that only by this ancient practice can life be made safe and murder prevented. We who hold to the opposite view after careful observation and study affirm that the State has never succeeded in impressing individuals with a belief that human life is sacred and must not be safeguarded by taking the life of murderers. The contention is old, and we who desire reform must wait, realizing that much of advice in our direction has been made and that much more is certain to result. Being conservative we are willing to wait, yet desire full and free discussion.

In a western state after sentence of execution upon a murderer is pronounced it is also required that the Governor shall approve before the man can legally put to death. In this way the law remains in force, but the practice has nearly or quite ceased, and the criminal remains in custody subject to prison discipline and under moral and religious influence so that if there be any germ of good in him it may be developed, and he renders service to the State by his labor.

Which of these methods indicates the better civilization? Georgia is in many respects moving in the direction of better results and I am glad to note as I do by reading the somewhat spicy correspondence that neither Governor or Judge is fully prepared to endorse hanging as a reforming or an improving process for the individual. As to the community we look in vain for any good result, so it becomes a question. What shall we do to compass better conditions?

I am Sir,

WILLIAM RILEY BOYD,
Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 29, 1909.

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J. W. Deal.

AMENDMENT IS VOTED DOWN

Amid Fist Fights, Clamor
and Excitement

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 30.—State Chairman Lee Long claims the state against the amendment by 20,000 majority.

A street procession was held here, headed by a huge coffin labeled "Amendment."

Rival leaders in Monday's amendment election were at headquarters in this city early in the evening to receive the returns. F. M. Jackson, state manager for the amendment, was surrounded by a large group in the Chamber of Commerce building, and several rooms were full of ladies who held prayer meetings.

J. Lee Long, state chairman of the anti-amendment forces, began to receive reports from his county managers shortly after 5 o'clock, and from the beginning they were most encouraging. He stated that there was a landslide against the amendment.

A fact of special interest in Monday's election is that this is the first time in the history of the state that an expression of the whole electorate has been secured on a prohibition question. The state wide prohibition bill was passed by a legislature which had been elected on a local option platform, and while several counties had declared for prohibition under the local option act, among them being Jefferson, the voters of the entire state have never before been called upon to pass on the question.

The polling places in the county precincts closed at 5 o'clock, and in the cities at 6 o'clock, and the count was very rapid, because there was but one proposition submitted. The prohibition constitutional amendment election was the most exciting ever witnessed in Birmingham. Hundreds of people were crowded around each polling place, women and children were singing and brass bands stationed by the anti-amendment forces were playing patriotic airs. Each polling place witnessed its quota of fist fights, there being so many that it was impossible to keep track of them all. Biting was so high that a few words were sufficient to bring on a blow. Practically every other voter was challenged and required to make affidavit he was a qualified elector. This delayed the casting of ballots considerably, but in spite of these handicaps the vote was very heavy at each box.

Giving some idea what the "Dry Amendment," if passed, would have meant to the people of Alabama the Birmingham Age-Herald, just before the election in their Monday edition, said in an editorial:

Vote early. The peculiar tactics of Leader Brooks Lawrence should not even prove an annoyance. Accept them as a source of amusement and move straight on to the ballot box in which your convictions are to find expression in the emphatic word "No." Say No to the attempt for political purposes to load up the constitution with superfluous police regulations. Say No to the attempt to authorize any coming legislature to make the keeping of a flask of liquor in your home for home a crime. It is not a crime, and you know it. Vote No on this dangerous proposition.

The "little word 'No'" is all the word you need add to your ballot, and you do not need the aid of Brooks Lawrence in writing it. Ignore the tactics of the Union, for they do not suit Alabama's latitude or traditions. Stand firm and vote in Alabama as an Alabamian should. Put your convictions in the ballot box, and then get ready to watch the bulletin boards for a confirmation of your judgment on the issue of the campaign.

We are headquarters for Country Produce. Ship us and you will get best results. The Cassels Co., Savannah, Ga.

ITS MAYOR BLITCH

Mr. J. G. Blitch Nominated
by Acclamation Along
With Old Council

At a meeting of the citizens of Statesboro, held in the court house last night, Mr. J. G. Blitch was selected to serve the city as mayor for the next twelve months.

The selection was by a rising vote and the large audience arose as one man. Following closely upon this action was a resolution endorsing the present board of councilmen, composed of Messrs. J. A. McDougald, J. B. Burns, J. J. Zetterower, Drs. C. H. Parrish and A. J. Mooney, to serve for another term. This was put to a rising vote and the entire audience voted favorably on this motion.

The meeting was a very harmonious one. Many public questions were discussed, and a resolution increasing the duties of the recorder was voted down, as was a resolution to divide the city into wards. A resolution creating a park and tree commission met a more favorable reception, and was adopted after the feature of setting rose bushes on the public square was eliminated.

The regular election will be held on Saturday, when the nominees of last night's mass meeting will receive a unanimous vote.

DR. W. J. FLANDERS FOR PRISON COMMISSIONER.

His Recent Visit to Swainsboro Starts Political Talk.

Swainsboro, Ga.—The recent visit here of Prison Inspector W. J. Flanders, of Johnson county, has started a little ripple of political chat, although the purpose of his visit here was to look after the convict camps, which he found in good shape and doing good work in the construction of sand clay roads, of which this county now boasts about thirty miles.

It is reported here that Dr. Flanders will be a candidate for senatorial honors next year, as Johnson county, by the rotary system, is entitled to the next senator from this district. It is more generally believed, however, that Dr. Flanders will be a candidate for prison commissioner, as there occurs a vacancy on the prison board next year.

Dr. Flanders is connected with many prominent families of this county and has many friends.

D. J. Banks Dead.

Mr. D. J. Banks, who has had charge of the cotton warehouse for the Farmers Cooperative and Industrial Union at Statesboro since its completion, after an illness of ten days with typhoid fever, died at the home of his father, Mr. S. C. Banks, near Register, Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Mr. Banks was a young man who was well liked here.

word you need add to your ballot, and you do not need the aid of Brooks Lawrence in writing it. Ignore the tactics of the Union, for they do not suit Alabama's latitude or traditions. Stand firm and vote in Alabama as an Alabamian should. Put your convictions in the ballot box, and then get ready to watch the bulletin boards for a confirmation of your judgment on the issue of the campaign.

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THE FIRST PRINCIPLE OF THE SALARIED MAN SHOULD BE..... TO SAVE

It is possible that luck may play an important part in the quick making of fortunes, but it has nothing to do with fortunes accumulated from the savings of labor.

A bank account, however, will be of assistance and the young man or woman who will take this method of saving from his or her salary will eventually reach the desired goal.

This bank welcomes the accounts of those people who are working on salary and have a desire to save a part of it.

SEA ISLAND BANK

Statesboro, Ga.

Fatal Knife Duel Between Two Girls in Arkansas.

Bradford, Ark., Nov. 28.—In a street duel at Allica, near here today, Miss Nora Owens was fatally injured by Miss Stella Belk and died within a few minutes. Both were prominent at Allica.

The duel was the result of a misunderstanding that has existed between the two young women for some time. Miss Owens was cut in four different places, the fatal cut being in the left breast, where an artery leading the heart was severed.

Miss Belk was arrested.

SEED OATS.

We have about 200 bushels of extra Rust Proof seed oats, home raised—that we will sell for 65c per bushel. Call on or address,
W. W. Olliff & Co.,
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We have genuine Texas Seed Oats with affidavit from shipper. Buy the best. The Cassels Co., Savannah, Ga.

To Establish Model Farm.

Mr. J. W. Willis, went down to Savannah Tuesday morning in response to a request from the chamber of commerce to assist in planning for a model farm to show what Chatham county lands will produce.

Mr. Willis went out and looked over the proposition and gave them some advice on how to start out.

School Notice.

The school at Atkins Academy will open Monday, December 6. Patrons are expected to meet at the school house that morning. Prof. Hudson Lanier, now in college, will conduct the school.

T. H. Hollingsworth.

Warning.

I hereby warn anybody from hiring, harboring or making any trade with Frank Akerman, as he left home without any cause.

W. J. AKERMAN.



George Washington

Won us our freedom
George Washington could not tell a lie.
Are you free? Are you living an honest life?
If you send 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

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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.

"A Great State" Says the Portland "Oregonian."

Portland, Ore., Nov. 30.—"Georgia is a great state" is the conclusion of an editorial in the "Oregonian," of Portland, Oregon, on a recent date. The "Oregonian" says:

"Though there is a shortage of cotton in the crop of this year in several states, the crop of Georgia is very full; and, with the enhanced prices, it will bring into the state, they say, something like \$175,000,000. It is a tremendous sum of money and a mighty industry, but Georgia is a great state." It seems that the South and the Pacific Northwest are the centers of greatest prosperity and most intense activity, and to them is assigned the duty of finding homes for the great masses who want to be relieved of the crowded conditions in the older states.

Georgia has a surplus of cotton, while out in the Northwest a surplus of wheat has made Portland the second largest wheat exporting port in the United States, led only by New York.

Out here in the northwest there is a great sentiment in favor of the South. You will find, for instance, in Portland, a Dixie society—a well organized United Daughters of the Confederacy; in fact, one of the United States Senators from Oregon is a native of Mississippi. When the "Oregonian" says something like editorially about Georgia it is received with almost as much interest as though the complimentary words related to Oregon.

Newman Will Get Rev. Bigham Again.

Atlanta, Nov. 30.—Atlanta will retain Dr. Joel T. Bigham as president of the Georgia Methodist conference, and the Methodists of this section will be abundantly satisfied.

Newman will have as pastor for the next season Dr. R. J. Bigham, who has served that church for years, and who has done satisfactory work there.

Rev. Ford McRae, who at the Atlanta conference was appointed to the Newman charge, will go to the St. John's Church in Augusta. It is stated that Augusta will give a cordial welcome to their new pastor.

These appointments were announced by Bishop Hendrix tonight in a telegram sent by him from Seaford, Ark.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CUMMINS & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known Dr. J. C. Cheney for the past 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

Walding, Kinnaman & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's family pills for constipation.

Old Hoss Sale.

I will sell at my shop on the 1st day of December, 1909, all unclaimed buggies, wagons, etc., to the highest bidder for cash. This notice includes all property ready to deliver Nov. 1st.

T. L. Moore.

Riverside and Pee Dee Plaid special at 60c yd.

The Racket Store.

Best Nutmeg 12 for 5 cents. The Racket Store.

HARMON WILL LEAD DEMOCRATS SAYS GLENN

But South Should Furnish Candidate for Vice-President.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 28.—Former Gov. R. B. Glenn of North Carolina made two addresses here today in behalf of the home mission work of the Southern Presbyterian church and of the Laymen's Missionary Movement. In an interview he said, with regard to the political situation:

"Judson Harmon, governor of Ohio, will be the next presidential nominee of the Democratic party, in my judgment. Everywhere I have been, in my tour of the country, I have found Harmon as the leading candidate in public and private opinion. 'I am of the opinion that the South should demand that the next vice presidential candidate of the Democratic party be a Southern man. We do the voting and we ought to be represented on the ticket.'"

"The war is over and the people of the North, I believe, will support a Southern man as readily as any other."

ESTRADA READY TO PRESS FIGHT; HAS PLenty ARMS.

Revolutionists Well Supplied From United States.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 28.—The Mexican revolutionists are now engaged in what is expected to be the final grapple with the Zelaya forces, according to unofficial advice tonight reaching Salvador Castillo, the representative here of the Mexican revolutionists. The advice indicates that fighting is in progress both at Panama and Greytown and that a general assault on Managua, the capital, will follow.

The arms and ammunition landed early this week from the Norwegian steamer Ustien are believed now to be in the hands of the revolutionists, and prompt use of them by Estrada's forces is expected.

The Ustien carried to the revolutionists from New Orleans a large supply of arms and ammunition several days ago.

Farm For Sale.

Good farm for sale, only two miles from the court house. 117 acres, in a high state of cultivation good new modern dwelling, well finished and painted. For further particulars apply to.

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Notice.

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Farmers' Union.

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Local and Personal

W. M. Oliver, of Valdosta, is visiting his brother, E. C. Oliver, for a few days.

A. J. Bird, of Metter, was a visitor to Statesboro yesterday in attendance upon city court now in session.

M. J. Rushing of Clayton, was among the visitors to town yesterday.

Dr. H. C. McCrackin, of Register, spent the day in Statesboro yesterday.

Mr. Clark Hamilton, who has been in the turpentine business for several years at White Oak, Fla., has sold out his business at that place and is visiting his brother, Mr. C. H. Hamilton for some days.

Mr. E. F. Tatum, who has been engaged in the naval stores business at Canoe, 5 miles above Metter, has sold his business and is preparing to move to the latter place—having bought a lot and is engaged in building a home there. We are glad to welcome Mr. Tatum as a citizen of Bulloch.

Mr. Aaron Sells Out.

Mr. C. B. Aaron has sold his mercantile business at Aaron to Mr. E. F. Patterson, who is one of the farmers living near that place. Mr. Patterson also bought a residence from Mr. Aaron—one located in the new town of Aaron. Mr. Patterson traded a farm for the business, and will make Aaron his home hereafter.

Groover Bound Over.

Last Tuesday Fayette Groover, the young man who has been in jail charged by the coroner's jury with the murder of Sol Morrow a few weeks ago, was given a commitment trial before Judge E. D. Holland.

The statement by the defendant was in effect that early that morning the negro had taken hold of his mother and threatened her with violence. That he was not at the house at the time but was busy at the syrup boiler. That when informed by his mother he secured his double-barrel gun and went in search of Morrow. That when he came upon the negro and mentioned his errand Morrow made a threatening demonstration and he shot him.

The finding of a single-barrel shot gun near the body of the dead negro has never been explained. The evidence against Groover was sufficient for Judge Holland to bind him over and his bond was fixed at \$500, which he arranged, awaiting the action of the grand jury at the April term of superior court.

The Cotton Market.

The cotton market yesterday experienced a slight rise having reached 25 to 26 cents for sea islands and 14 to 14 1/4 for uplands. Quite a number of bales were brought in.

Road Notice.

Georgia, Bulloch County. Charlie Barrow, E. H. DeLoach, W. S. Hikes and others having applied for the establishment of a new public road of the first class, to begin at the Hendrix bridge across Canoochee river in the 44th District of M. of county and run through lands of Andrew Wilkinson A. L. Lewis Dan Sikes, W. S. Hikes, Kalmad Barrow, C. M. Husbings & Co, E. J. Mitchell M. J. Rushing D. O. DeLoach, E. M. DeLoach and Charlie Barrow intersecting the Statesboro road near Charlie Barrow, a distance of almost 4 miles. This is to notify all persons that on and after the 21st day of December 1909 said new road will be finally granted, if no good cause is shown to the contrary. This Nov 19th.

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Special Notice to the Ladies.

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ROUNTREE HOUSE CATCHES ON FIRE.

A Large Conflagration Prevented by Good Work.

Tuesday afternoon between 3 and 4 o'clock the fire bell rang out, and in a few minutes the fire ladders were down at the Rountree House putting in some good work to extinguish what promised to be a hard fire.

It seems that near the house out in the back yard a pot of soap was in process of manufacture near the wood pile, and by some means, owing to the dry weather, the house caught fire and the flames got some hold between the weather boarding and ceiling, and the smoke was issuing in clouds from the end of the building and through the roof.

In a very short time a line of house had been run out of the Jockel Hotel next door, and two streams were tried on from a fire plug on the corner, when the flames were quickly extinguished. Besides scorching the rear end of the house pretty badly, the furniture in that part considerably damaged by the water.

A gentleman from North Georgia, who witnessed the work of our boys, complimented them highly upon the systematic and business-like manner in which they went to work, and their expedition in overcoming what in this dry time was likely to become a serious fire.

Allen-Parker.

On Sunday, Nov. 28th, at the home of the bride's parents, near Louisville, Ga., Mr. Frank C. Parker and Miss Lizzie Allen were united in marriage. Mr. Parker returned with his bride Tuesday afternoon, and is receiving the congratulations of his friends.

Will Drain Low Lands.

Mr. D. N. Bacot, representing a company owning the Shearwood property near Arcola, is making active preparations to construct a canal more than two miles in length, emptying the water out of several thousand acres of low lands owned by his company into Iric branch, a canal eight feet deep, eight feet wide at the top and six feet wide at the bottom will be built. Mr. Bacot has purchased a dry land ditcher at an expense of \$2,500, and expects to organize a ditching company and make contracts to dry other low lands in that section of the county. The efforts of Mr. Bacot along this line will be watched with a keen interest by our people.

For Rent or Lease.

Portal, on the S. A. & N. Ry. is one of the coming towns of Bulloch county. A few months ago it was a cotton patch, now a booming town with ten stores and handsome residences, and public enterprises. Do you want to rent or lease a nice brick store at that place? We will fix it for you, for we will do the same at Aaron, another coming town. See Brannen & Booth.

Statesboro, Ga.

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METHODISTS READY FOR CONFERENCE.

Bishop Wilson Arrives to Pre-side Over Sessions.

Waynesboro, Ga., Nov. 30.—All is ready for the opening session of the South Georgia Conference of the Methodist Church, South, here to-morrow. Many of the ministers and delegates of the laity came in during the day were met by members of the large reception committee and escorted to the homes where they will be entertained during their stay.

Preliminary meetings of committees were held today, but the real work of the conference will begin with the first session to-morrow.

Bishop A. W. Wilson, of Baltimore, who will provide, reached here during the afternoon, and was greeted by many of the ministers and local members of the church.

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LITTLE MUST DIE FOR MURDER OF SIX

Most Atrocious Crime in Virginia's History.

Grundy, Va., November 27.—Howard Little was today found guilty of the murder of George Meadows, his wife and three children and "Aunt Betty" Justice, 70 years old, near Hurley, several weeks ago, by a jury in Judge Burns court. He was immediately sentenced to die in the electric chair at Richmond, Va., January 7th.

The killing of the six people was the most atrocious crime in Virginia history. The man, to get money to leave his wife and elope with a married woman, entered the Meadows home at night. He killed Meadows by striking him on the head with his Winchester while the man was sleeping. He then killed the defenceless woman and her three children. "Aunt Betty" Justice was shot through the head. The sextupole murderer then set the house on fire and cremated the bodies.

Feeling ran high among the Virginians, who immediately started a search for the guilty man. Little was arrested and placed in the jail at Lebanon. The news spread like wildfire and a mob was organized. The man was moved, under a guard of twelve armed officers, to the Grundy jail before the mob appeared. One of the most damaging pieces of evidence against Little was a bloody penny he had given to a newsboy the day following the crime. His wife and daughter have both deserted him. He threatened to kill his wife if she told he was not at home on the night of the murder.

During the trial Little made no defense, letting the case go to the jury without a fight. He was taken to Richmond.

Death of Mrs. W. A. Jones.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones will regret to learn of the death of the latter at their home near Metter on Tuesday of this week. Mrs. Jones lived here for some time and her many friends will learn of her death with deep regret.

Medical Society

Elects Officers

The annual election of officers of The Bulloch County Medical Society was held in the Odd Fellows Hall on yesterday morning. Dr. B. F. McCrackin, of Register was elected President, Dr. M. M. Holland, of Statesboro, Vice President, Dr. F. F. Floyd, of Statesboro, Secretary and Dr. J. M. McElven, of Brooklet, Treasurer.

In the afternoon the doors were opened to the public and several matters were discussed by the different Physicians. Among the subjects discussed was Tuberculosis and Typhoid fever, and their treatment. Dr. A. J. Mooney read an interesting paper on the subject of prevention of disease.

Arrangements were put on foot to entertain the next meeting of The First Congressional District Medical Society, which will meet here again in January. A fine program is being arranged, and the meeting is looked forward to with a great deal of interest.

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NO SPOTS ON THIS "SUN."

The Show That Will Exhibit Here on Dec. 4th.

The coming of the Sun Brothers' Greater Progressive Shows is arousing much curiosity among local amusement goers. The town and surrounding county has been handsomely billed with some of the finest looking special lithographic paper seen here in a long time, announcing the coming of the Sun Show, and the claim is made for it that it is newer, better and more up to date than heretofore.

This big carnival of amusements will exhibit at Statesboro on Saturday, Dec. 4. Long before the average person has breakfasted, the army of show employees will be busily engaged in transferring the huge paraphernalia from the special train, which will be sidetracked in the railroad yards.

Some idea of the Sun Brothers' Shows can be gathered from the following facts: A complete train of double length cars, each 60 or 70 feet long, is required to transport this tented establishment from town to town; the tents cover an area of five acres; the main pavilion, or "Big Top," as it is called in show parlance, seats several thousand people; there are 200 fine bred draught and acting horses; 25 diminutive Shetland and Icelandic ponies and several educated came mules in the equine department; a creditable display of cages and dens of rare wild animals, birds and reptiles are contained in the zoologic collection; there are 50 or more male and female performers of national reputation and about 100 canvassmen, hostlers and other working men.

The first event of show day will be the magnificent free open air exhibitions on the show grounds at 12:30 o'clock. These free outside spectacles are said to be gorgeous and meritorious without precedent, and all free to the public. The initial performance will be given at 2 p. m., and the night show at 8 o'clock. We have often times heard the remark, "When you see one tented show, you have seen them all." While in the majority of instances this is true, the phrase cannot apply to the Sun Brothers Greater Shows, for their programme this season, is composed of entirely new, all star, unique, novel and exclusive features, many of which have never been seen in this section of the country. As a matter of fact, "there is such a melange of mastodon marvels," to quote the General Agent, Mr. Peter Sun, "that all spectators sit in rapt amazement throughout the entire programme."

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12-2-46

Mr. Angus Brunson, if in Bulloch county, will confer a favor on me if he will come to see me or write me at Statesboro, Ga., Route 7, Box 69. Mrs. M. K. Lane.

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ATLANTA COMPANY FIRST TO PAY POLICY.

Empire Life sends check for \$5,000 to Mrs. Harvey Anderson for the death of husband who was killed on Peachtree Street.

The first Life Insurance Company to make a payment on account of the death of Harvey L. Anderson, the wellknown Atlantan, who was killed in an automobile accident Saturday, Nov. 6, is the Empire Life Insurance Company. This company sent a check from its Home Office, Atlanta, in full payment of Mr. Anderson's \$5,000 policy to Mrs. Laurie Davis Anderson, the widow, on Saturday, Nov. 13, exactly one week after the accident in which Mr. Anderson was killed.

This prompt payment of a death claim by a Southern Company, is in keeping with the plan upon which the Empire has operated since the day of its organization. In the appreciation of the Empire Life's prompt settlement of this claim, Mr. Charles A. Davis, the father of Mrs. Harvey L. Anderson, has sent the following letter under date of Nov. 13th to the Company.

"In behalf of my daughter, Mrs. Laurie Davis Anderson, I beg to thank you for your check of \$5,000, in full payment of policy held by Mr. Harvey L. Anderson, deceased, and to commend you for your courtesies and promptness in the settlement of this claim. Inasmuch as your Company is a Home Company, with assets invested in Atlanta and Georgia, it benefits all of us while living and, you certainly have the advantage when it comes to paying claims. This claim having been paid in a few minutes after the death proofs were presented to you.

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Love's Chapel, Saturday and second Sunday, 11th and 12th. Rome, Monday and Tuesday, 13th and 14th; Sunlight, Wednesday, Dec. 15th; Cedar Creek, Thursday, 16th; Beards Creek, Friday, Saturday and third Sunday, 18th, 19th and 20th.

You will please circulate these appointments. E. W. Powell.

Notice. There will be no state examination of teachers in December. All teachers desiring a special examination will please file application by January 1st, 1910.

J. E. Branch, C. F. S.]

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YEAR IN FEDERAL PRISON IS SENTENCE GIVEN DAVE FINCH.

Also to Pay Fine of \$1,000—Plea of Not Guilty Withdrawn; Plea of Guilty Entered.

CHAINED TO STAKE NEGRO DIES IN FIRE.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 2.—D. C. Finch, who was some time ago arraigned in the United States court, plead not guilty and afterward withdrew his plea and entered one of guilty, was sentenced by Judge Emory Speer this morning to a term of one year and one day in the penitentiary in Atlanta and to pay a fine of \$1,000.

In passing the sentence upon Finch the court reminded him that he was a man of considerable influence, had a strong family connection, held the same way at his home as the head of a clan of Highlanders enjoyed. The court spoke of Finch having been tried, convicted and having served a sentence for an equivalent offense before the state courts. The sentence at that time was a fine of \$1,000, a period in jail and the defendant was afterward pardoned.

The manner in which the violation of the law was effected was a most unworthy one, said Judge Speer, and not that of a good citizen. The responsibility had been shifted upon the shoulders of an old negro. The handling of the liquor had been represented as a business in a measles medicine and in other misleading ways, and indicated a character other than the real substance of the commodity. The court said it understood that Finch was worth one hundred thousand dollars. If he were poor it would mean that the sentence would be light.

"I will not inflict an extreme sentence, but a severe one," said Judge Speer, "which will act as a deterrent to those who would violate the law."

The court said he would not discuss the prohibition law, but he would refer to the devastating, unenvying effects of fiery stimulants upon the African people.

The whole idea of the wave of prohibition in our section of the country was to prevent the same effect which the United States government strives to effect when it prohibits the giving of liquors to the Indians.

The words of the court made a profound impression upon those who heard them.

Finch will immediately begin the serving of his sentence.

Finch is from Statesboro and is a man of considerable influence in Bulloch county. He is in jail here now, having been taken in custody after his sentence. He has been out on bond.

Ladies' Coat Suits.

We have just received a shipment of blues, blacks, greens and reds. \$16.50 values. for \$12.50 \$22.50 values. for \$16.25 Other Suits. \$20.00 to \$35.00 E. C. Oliver.

In this issue will be found the announcement of Mr. John Anderson, who offers his name to the voters of the county for the office of receiver of tax returns. Mr. Anderson is a good man and made a strong race for this office four years ago. He will receive a strong support from his many friends.

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LOST—A gold brooch between Mr. Morgan Moore's residence and Methodist church. Finder will please return to Mrs. J. E. Parker.

NICARAGUAN ENVOY GIVEN PASSPORTS.

Slain Americans to be Avenged on Zelaya Personally.

UNITED STATES ON WAR'S VERGE

Secretary Knox Voices President's Views in Scathing Denunciation of Zelaya—A Decisive Action.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 1.—Secretary of State Knox late today returned the passports of Felipe Rodriguez, charge d'affaires of the Nicaraguan legation, with a letter scathingly denouncing the Zelaya administration of the government of Nicaragua. The letter is definitely declared to represent the views of President Taft, and is about as plain spoken as anything emanating from the state department in years.

The extraordinary feature of the letter is that it seems to evidence an intention on the part of the United States to hold President Zelaya personally responsible for the alleged torture and execution of the two Americans, Cannon and Groce, and exhibits the unequivocal chief executive of another presidency as a common malefactor.

Zelaya is branded a violator of solemn international conventions, a disturber of the national and international peace, a tyrant whose administration has been a blot upon the name of good government.

Secretary Knox virtually announces the recommendation of the Nicaraguan revolutionists, declares it to be the conviction of the United States that the revolution represents the sentiments of a majority of the N. C. a man people, that there is evidently no responsible government with which the United States can deal.

He therefore announces that all parties will be held accountable for their actions as affecting the interests of Americans and the people of Central America.

He further informs Senator Rodriguez that while he has lost his diplomatic quality, he may still serve as an "unofficial" channel of communication with the faction which he is regarded as representing.

This brings the crisis as near to the status of war as it could be brought by executive action without a dynastic declaration by both houses of congress, which will convene next Monday.

Mr. Knox's letter, in all but so many words, makes it plain that the action represents the wish and attitude of all the Central American states with the single exception of Honduras, which is regarded here as entirely dominated by Zelaya. Mexico has all along shown its sympathy with the United States in this matter.

Just what status the consular representatives of the United States in Nicaragua now enjoy is not definitely explained tonight. It is expected, however, that Vice-Consul Caldera, who has been occupying the legation in Managua, together with the other consuls in that country, will be given their passports tomorrow. This is the usual method of procedure in case of such action between governments.

IRA PERKINS KILLS NEGRO

Prominent Young Bulloch County Farmer

SHOOTS JOHN COLEMAN, JR.

Killing Was Culmination of Row Over Division of Crops—Negro Was a Tenant.

Ira Perkins, one of the substantial young farmers of Bulloch county, living in the neighborhood of Macedonia church, came to town Thursday morning and notified the sheriff that he had had a shooting scrape with John Coleman, Jr., a colored man, who had been a tenant on his farm. The negro, he said, had threatened to shoot him, but that he got the drop on Coleman and shot first.

The negro fell and Mr. Perkins, without waiting to see the result of his pistol shot, came directly to town and gave himself up.

Sheriff Kendrick questioned him very closely about the matter and came to the conclusion that Perkins was excited and that there was some very grave doubt as to whether the shot took effect or not. He, therefore, allowed Mr. Perkins his freedom to walk about as he chose, and not hearing anything further from the trouble, Perkins was permitted to return home.

Yesterday morning, however, news reached the city that the negro was dead and a warrant was, consequently, sworn out for Mr. Perkins and Sheriff Kendrick went out and placed him under arrest.

The circumstances leading up to the shooting, as related here, were, in effect, about as follows:

The negro and his family were tenants on the farm of Mr. Perkins, but they were an impudent and shiftless set and, taking advantage of the kindly nature and disposition of Mr. Perkins, had gotten deeply in debt to him. So badly were they in debt that the little crop that they had made was not sufficient to pay out, and they were preparing to move away to another farm and leave Mr. Perkins in the lurch, the time having arrived for harvesting the corn crop, and Mr. Perkins told the negro that he must not carry the corn off the place until he had settled his indebtedness. This command he ignored and had hauled away a load when Perkins intercepted him. A few words followed and the negro attempted to draw a pistol, but Mr. Perkins was a little too quick for him and, drawing his pistol, he fired. He then came to town and reported the matter to the authorities.

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riguez was much excited in manner, but his discussion of the situation was brief.

"We are stricken to the heart; we are paralyzed," was his expression.

There was, however, little evidence at the Nicaraguan legation of so profound a feeling. On the contrary it was the scene of much gaiety.

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Brooklet Elect Officers.

On Wednesday the regular annual election for mayor and a board of five councilmen was held in Brooklet. The result of the ballot was as follows: For Mayor, Dr. John L. Lane. For Councilmen: Messrs. J. A. Warnock, P. C. Waters, A. J. Lee, J. N. Shearouse and J. W. Robertson. The election passed off quietly, there being no avowed candidates for either of the places, and no issues upon which the people were divided.

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PATTERSON SENTENCED

To Hang for M'Ree Murder.

Americus, Ga., December 2.—The trial of Henry Patterson for the murder of Captain W. F. McRee, on the Bagley plantation, near Americus in July, concluded this morning with a verdict of guilty.

Patterson will be hanged for the atrocious crime. An attempt was made to inject a plea of unwritten law in the trial, but the jury didn't believe the statement of the witnesses, two of whom were immediately jailed upon the charges of perjury and subornation of witnesses.

Patterson will probably be hanged in January.

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