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## GOOD WORDS FOR OUR CITY AND COUNTY

### A Northern Visitor Writes Home Words of Praise.

The following is taken from a letter recently mailed in the Post Office in Statesboro by a young man from the North who is spending the winter in the South. The letter was written to the young man's mother and he kindly let us see what he had written about our city. It runs as follows:

"Today I am spending in the City of Statesboro, the county seat of Bulloch county, about 60 miles west of the city of Savannah. It would do your heart good to see this country down here after the mountains in the North. This country is as level as a billiard table, and is an ideal place for automobiles, which are very plenty here. The recent automobile race from New York to Atlanta, encouraged the people of this State to invest their surplus money in this luxury. Of course many of the people down here already had machines, but a decided impetus was given the auto business by the contest. As a consequence motor cars are to be seen in plenty."

"This is a great cotton market, in fact one of the leading markets in the State. This county is the center of the long or Sea Island cotton district, and as Statesboro is the natural market for the cotton, the streets of this city are crowded daily with teams loaded down with cotton. A visit to the streets here any day would remind one of home when hay is being brought in, the only difference being in the size and nature of the loads. You must not think that because this is the center for the long cotton that short cotton is not produced here. The difference between the two staples I cannot tell except as to the price, short cotton today bringing 15 cents per pound while the long is selling for 28."

"The high prices being paid for cotton in this State this year, has proved of great advantage to the farmers. This county has been unusually fortunate in this crop, and the farmers are correspondingly happy. They all have loads of money, literally to burn, and the merchants are doing a rushing business. Besides that his always was, I am informed, one of the richest counties in the state, nearly every farmer having money on deposit. As you know the deposits in the local banks tell the story of prosperity in a county. If Father was not so well established in business at home, I would almost want to persuade him to locate here. The credit business is almost a thing of the past in this section. You can realize the good effects of the cotton market here when I tell you that it sells for cash, and that one day this week the estimated cash payments for the article was \$100,000. Of course, this was a good day, but the average money paid out daily is about \$15,000."

"There are two papers published in this place: The Bulloch Times, which is published weekly, and the Statesboro News, issued three times a week. I have sent you copies of both of them so you can see for yourself."

"I have met most of the county officers and they seem to be a very nice lot of people. The ordinary, Judge Moore, is the personification of courtesy; the clerk of the court is the right man in the right place, while sheriff, Mr. Kendrick, is as much at home in that office as he was born to it. And his dogs—it would give you pleasure to see them."

"This city has three banks, the First National, the Sea Island and the Bank of Statesboro, all with good capital and on a firm basis. The banking system here is slightly different from that at home, but I notice in the daily papers that a central bank with agencies—some what after our system—is to be established in this State at an early date."

"The stores of this city are well stocked, both as to quality and quantity, and the buyer can get almost anything needed at reasonable prices. The mail order houses stand a poor show in this town. The Statesboro Mercantile Company and the Simmons Company have as large and well selected stocks as can be found in most of the so-called department stores. One shoe store, run by Perry Kennedy, carries continually a \$10,000 stock. This stock is of the finest and especially well selected. You can get an idea from this as to the stocks carried by the different places of business."

"Two railroads run into Statesboro, the Central of Georgia and the Savannah and Statesboro. The latter is as the name indicates a direct line from the metropolis of the South to Savannah. Another line through the S. A. & N., is being built through here. I am so well pleased with my surroundings that I will remain here for a time and may write you more concerning this county in my next letter."

### Mrs. Geo. R. Hagin Dead.

Mrs. Julia Hagin, relict of the late Geo. R. Hagin, died at her home, nine miles east of Statesboro, after an illness of about ten days with pneumonia, on last Saturday morning about 10 o'clock. The remains were interred at New Hope church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Hagin is survived by one son, Mr. Horace Hagin, and five daughters, Mrs. A. T. Thigard and Laurens county, Misses Ada and Georgia Hagin and Mrs. W. M. Simmons. She was a good woman and is mourned for by a host of relatives and friends.

### Notice to the Public.

As we are, on Jan. 1st, going to discontinue our Livery business, we will offer at public sale, for cash, on Friday, Dec. 31st, 1909, at 10 o'clock, in Guyton, Ga., our stock as listed below. You can buy any part or all.

- 1 Head of good Horses;
- 2 Head of good Horses;
- 3 Single Top Buggies;
- 1 Double Wagon;
- 2 Spring Wagons;
- 1 Cotton Wagon;
- 3 Double Poles;
- 6 Sets Single Harness;
- 3 Sets Double Harness;
- 1 Set Double Wagon Harness;
- 2 Sets Single Wagon Harness;
- 1 Saddle;

Our horses are all in good shape, ranging from 5 to 8 years old, except one, which is between 10 and 12 years old; one mare, 4 years old, other 10 to 12 years old; both good ones for farm or mill purposes. Most of our buggies are good, have been overhauled and are in good running order. Remember, one day—Friday, Dec. 31st, 1909, at 10 o'clock, Guyton, Ga. C. J. & M. B. FETTERLE.

Some bargains in dry goods and shoes at Clary's.

### Notice of Sale.

I will sell my place in Bulloch county, on the 28th day of December, 1909, the following described property:

- 1 Mule, 5 years old;
- 1 Two-Horse Wagon;
- 2 Buggies;
- 1 Not a mule and a horse;
- 1 Disc Harrow;
- 100 Bushels corn;
- 5,000 Pounds Potatoes;
- 100 Head of Hogs;
- 1 Sixty Gallon Boiler;
- 1 Jersey Cow;
- 1,000 Feet Lumber;
- 50 Bushels Potatoes;
- Seed Potatoes;
- 1 One-Horse Wagon;
- 1 Cotton State Cutter;
- 2 Head of Cows;
- 300 Seed Corn;
- Farming Tools of all kinds;
- Household and Kitchen Furniture.

Terms of sale: All sums under \$5, cash; all over \$5, notes to be made payable Jan. 1st, 1910, with approved security. MRS. R. P. MILLER.

### Farm For Sale.

One of the best in Bulloch county, containing 200 acres in tract; all of it, hilly, plump land; three miles from Pulaski; in good community; can give possession at once. For further particulars call on or write E. P. Kennedy, Pulaski, Ga.

### Strayed.

From my place, one sooty sow with list under belly, a hole in one ear from a dog bite; six shams, three black and three sooty, marked split and upper bill in each ear. Any information of them will be gladly received. L. H. Akins, Brooklet, Route 1.

established in this State at an early date.

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## PITIFUL APPEAL FOR PROTECTION

### Residents of Nicaragua Fear For Their Lives—Out- rages on Women.

San Juan del Sur, December 18.—The American vice consul at Managua today received a pitiful appeal for protection signed by many women whose husbands and sons are enduring torture in prison. Revolutionary suspects are being thrown into prison by Zelaya's adherents and tortured, and their wives and daughters subjected to unspeakable outrages.

Those who, encouraged by the presence of American warships at Corinto, voiced their defiance of Zelaya, are terrified, and believe themselves doomed unless the United States marines land and protect them. They appeal to America.

Washington, December 18.—Mexico's policy of peace and her harmonious relations with the United States concerning the Nicaraguan and all other international subjects was the subject today of a statement by Enrique Creel, confidential agent of the Mexican government.

Mr. Creel made the following statement: "Mexico has not made any representations to the state department to uphold the Zelaya administration."

"Not a word has been said to me by the state department concerning the life of General Zelaya or a safe conduct of him out of Nicaragua."

"So far there has been no expression by the state department of differences of opinion from the Mexican views."

"The relations of Mexico and the United States have never been at a higher, more cordial standard, and this issue of Nicaragua is too small an affair to change either the policy or the feelings of the governments and the people of the two great republics."

9,362,222 Bales Ginned

to Dec. 13, Says Report.

Washington, D. C.—The latest cotton crop report of the United States census bureau shows 9,362,222 bales, counting round as half bales, ginned from the growth of 1909 to Dec. 13th, compared with 11,000,565 for 1908; 9,384,070 for 1907, and 11,112,789 for 1906.

The proportion of the last three crops ginned to Dec. 13th, is 90.9 for 1908; 84.1 for 1907, and 85.6 for 1906.

Round bales, included in this year are 338,967, compared with 215,050 for 1908; 167,204 for 1907, 232,096 for 1906.

Sea Island 85,184 for 1909; 80,386 for 1908; 65,268 for 1907, and 49,361 for 1906.

All kind fireworks will be found at Clary's.

Model for ingestion.

Relief for stomach.

Salivation of the heart. Digests what you eat.

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### The Secret of Success.

Success in life means getting ahead of the world. It means making one's self independent and a man with a hundred dollars may be where the millionaire is not. How to succeed—how to get ahead—is the greatest open secret that has ever puzzled human kind. And it is all the greater mystery because there is no secret about it at all. Everything that is needed to be done is to do without and save. Nobody can make money, but there are only a few who can save it. That is why there are so few successful people.

Terry Brennan, 48 years old, living at Flushing, Long Island, gave the New York World the other day the key to the only certain door to wealth and happiness, which means success. Terry has never been able to command a larger salary than \$7.50 per week; nevertheless he owns his house and lot, feeds and clothes two grown daughters and his wife, and but Terry has a bank account. Asked for his recipe for success, Terry gave it readily. It follows:

"Never buy anything you can get along without. There is always enough that you must buy. Don't drink. If you must have a glass buy a can and drink it at home with the woman. Don't smoke. But if you must have a whiff, take it after you've eaten supper, and sit out on the back stoop like an honest man that has earned his hour or two of rest. Don't borrow money. If you must have it earn it. Don't give money away. Don't forget the church. If anyone is hungry buy him a meal or, better still, give it to him at your own board. Pray hard every night for steady work, and then go out and work so hard that your boss will have to keep you. Give him a dollar's worth of work for every 50 cents he pays you."

Living up to that code of ethics, it rather hard to see how Terry managed to keep out of a job that was worth more than \$7.50 a week. But that is a consideration aside. The main point is to stress the fact that the tendency with most people is to run to unnecessary expenses. They do not buy to meet their needs but to meet their desires. The cost of living is high because the people demand the best of everything and want to pay the highest possible prices for what they get. Chuck steak is just as nourishing as tenderloin, but people won't have chuck, and kick when tenderloin costs two bits a pound.—Savannah News.

### CORN WHISKY.

We want 500 bushels of corn, and will exchange buggies, wagons, harness, or anything in our line for same, paying highest market price for the corn.

Statesboro Buggy & Wagon Co.

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## BAUGHN, ASPINWALL & ENSEL, Leaders in Fashionable Attire.

We are showing the most distinctive Styles in Ladies' and Men's Ready to Wear apparel. STYLE, FIT AND QUALITY. Show themselves in every line of our Clothes. TO OUR LADIES' DEPARTMENT. on the 3rd floor, you are cordially invited. Trust you will make it your headquarters when in Savannah. Everything in stock for the well dressed woman.

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## ELECTED MEMBER ROYAL SOCIETY.

R. J. H. DE LOACH HONORED. Former Bulloch County Citizen, Now a Professor in State University at Athens, Ga.

Athens, Ga., Dec. 20.—The old saying that "The prophet is not without honor save in his own country," is peculiarly appropriate in the following instance, for the fact that England should be the first to recognize the magnificent work being done by a southern educator, working in the Empire state of the South, is an apt illustration of how the greater majority of the people have to be shown by the others.

Professor Munsterberg, of Harvard, has been complaining recently of the lack of respect in America for the attainments of scholars. He made some invidious comparisons in this regard between our country, on the one hand, and Germany and England, on the other.

This is not, happily, a truth of universal application. Sometimes a man's work, though eminently scientific and abstruse, is so closely connected with the well-being of the people that they find him out sooner or later. Such a case is that of R. J. H. DeLoach, now professor of the cotton industry in the State College of Agriculture.

Mr. DeLoach has just received formal notification of his selection to membership in the Royal Society, an English organization for the encouragement of arts, manufactures and commerce.

Membership in the Royal Society is an honor coveted by scientific men the world over. No greater distinction could be conferred on a scientific investigator. The Royal Society was founded in 1660 and incorporated in 1662. Its birth and growth have, therefore, coincided with the beginning and advancement of modern science, and the organization has embraced in its membership the eminent scientists of the world for two hundred and fifty years. Standing always for what is true and best in the intellectual life of England and the world, the prestige of the Society is exceedingly great.

This signal honor has come to Mr. DeLoach in recognition of his work in the investigation of various questions bearing on the cotton industry. After special preparation at Cornell and work in the laboratories of the bureau of plant industries at Washington, Mr. DeLoach spent three years at the Georgia experiment station, whence he came to Athens. Several of his publications have commanded attention wherever cotton is grown.

Mr. DeLoach is trying to prevent loss in the manufacture of cotton by breeding a superior fibre. He is practically the only man in America who is working at this problem. The British government is engaged in similar work, and Mr. DeLoach is in constant correspondence with Englishmen in Cambridge, Egypt and South Africa on the general subject of the cotton industry. The nature of his work will be made clearer by an instance. Mr. DeLoach has visited sixteen typical cotton counties in Georgia, and has counted the seed in no less than 10,000 bolls of cotton in each county, for the purpose of finding the average of undeveloped seed in specially selected and in unselected cottons. The average he found to run from one in the best cottons to four in the poorest, making 100,000 "motes" in a good bale and 400,000 in poorly selected cotton. The proportion of motes is vitally related to the grading of cotton by buyers and manufacturers. If he could produce a special cotton free from motes, and get people to plant it,



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(INCORPORATED.)

T. R. MILLER, Editor

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

Tues. y, Thursday and Saturday.

Published by

THE STATESBORO NEWS PUBLISHING COMPANY.

Only one issue of this paper this week.

The schools have all closed and the little fellows are happy.

It is announced that Patten has gone back into the cotton market. If he has, then look for prices to jump sky high.

The Christmas jugs is in evidence all over the land. The way the birth of the Saviour of the world will be celebrated is a shame on the face of modern civilization.

There will be several hundreds of dollars wasted on fireworks in Statesboro during the present week. This is money that is worse than wasted—it is simply burned up.

The Atlanta Georgian has stirred up a tempest in the Atlanta stockade management. The resignation of the director of public works is called for in no uncertain language.

The merchants are all busy selling Christmas goods. Never before in the history of the county was there more goods of all kinds sold than are being sold in Statesboro at this time.

A dispatch bearing an Atlanta date line states that there will be a local option candidate for governor in the field before the next election. Who will it be? Little Joe, Hoke, or some one else.

From the way the roads are lined with \$275-mules it looks as if the soil of Bulloch will be made to literally groan with the burden of another big cotton crop. Boys, beware! Times may not always be as they are now.

With our banks declaring big dividends and the farmers loaded down with cash and the merchant so busy that he hasn't time to write an advertisement, it seems to us that everybody else is swimming in clover but the poor newspaper man.

One half of a prediction of ours has been proven true. At the beginning of the north pole controversy we expressed the opinion that both of the explorers were humbugs of the first water, and now that the claims of Cook have been proven false, we await the announcement that Peary is also a faker. But didn't they reap lots of fun out of it while it did last?

Bank of Metter Declares Big Dividend.

What is perhaps the largest dividend ever declared at one time by any Bulloch county firm or institution was made public by the Bank of Metter yesterday, when a dividend of sixty six and two thirds per cent on its capital stock was declared, ten thousand dollars in dividends being given on a capital stock of fifteen thousand dollars. The stockholders have elected to issue stock for this amount and thus increase the capital stock to twenty five thousand dollars.

This is a magnificent showing, and one that is highly creditable to the management. The Bank of Metter is one of the solid institutions of this section of the State, and all our people will heartily join in congratulating the stockholders who have been given such a magnificent Christmas present.

We have shoes and mean to sell them. Marked down to factory prices. If price can move them, they will certainly go. Come and see for yourself. Perry Kennedy.

## At Home for Christmas.

Quite a number of our young people who have been off at school have returned home for the Christmas holidays, among the number being Messrs. Milton Parrish and C. T. Swinson from Athens; Paul Simmons from Stone Mountain; M. O. Lively, Tom Outland and Sidney Smith from Barnesville; Geo. Williams and Grover Brannen from Gainesville.

## Institute Closed.

The Statesboro Institute closed for the Christmas holidays last Tuesday morning and the faculty have scattered to spend their vacation. They are spending Christmas as follows: Miss Ruth Whately at Newnan, Ga.; Miss Nona Alexander at Athens, Ga.; Miss Lasser at Forsyth; Miss Lois Jackson at Woodville; Misses Lolla and Olive Smith at Ludowici; Miss Belle Jones at Plains; Miss Ruth Kennedy at Savannah.

## Tax Collectors Closed.

Tax Collector S. C. Allen closed the tax books last Monday evening and reports that the collections are better this fall than ever before—that there are fewer defaulters on the list than ever before.

Mr. Allen informs us that on last Saturday the taxpayers turned in \$11,000 and on Monday, the last day, \$15,000 of tax money was paid over to the collector.

The receipt of the tax collector, up to the time of closing the books, is an index to the financial condition of the people as a whole, and the people of Bulloch, with a fair crop that is bringing good prices, have come up to their duty and the sheriff will not have to harass so many delinquents this winter.

## Masons Hold Annual Election

The regular annual election of Ogeechee Lodge, No. 213, F. & A. M., was held Tuesday night at the lodge rooms on South Main street.

After which the members repaired to the dining hall of the Jackson Hotel, where a banquet spread was made. About seventy-five covers were laid, and the occasion was one that was enjoyed by all present. The following is the list of officers elected, which in the main are new men:

A. E. Morris, W. M.  
S. A. Prosser, S. W.  
D. F. McCoy, Secretary.  
W. T. Hughes, Treasurer.  
A. J. Mooney, S. S.  
Geo. DeBrosse, J. S.  
W. T. Dorniny, S. D.  
R. Barnes, J. D.  
T. A. Waters, Tyler.

## Appointments.

Elder W. W. Howell of Danville, Ga., will (D. V.) preach as follows:

Lower Lot's Creek, Thursday, December 30;  
Ephesus, Friday, December 31;  
DeLoach's, Saturday and 1st Sunday, January 1 and 2;  
Ash Branch, Monday, January 3;  
Lower Mill Creek, Tuesday, January 4;  
Rest, Wednesday, January 5;  
Bethlehem, Thursday, January 6;  
Upper Mill Creek, Friday, January 7;  
Rosemary, Saturday and second Sunday, January 8 and 9;  
Hebron, Monday, January 10;  
Canoochee, Tuesday, January 11.  
Brother Howell is an able minister. Hear him.

## House and Lot for Sale.

The lot known as the Ott Akus lot on West Main street, more recently owned by the M. B. Marsh estate; house contains six rooms; good barn and stables; one and one-half acres; price \$1,050.00 payable one fourth cash, balance in one, two and three years. For further particulars call on Brannen & Booth, Statesboro, Ga.

## Store to Close.

Our store will be closed after Monday, the 27th, for three days, taking stock and arranging for the new year's business. We trust our customers will anticipate their wants and let us supply them on Monday.

With due appreciation of past favors, we are, sincerely yours,  
Parker & Hughes.

## Agricultural School Closed.

Last Tuesday evening the fall session of the Agricultural School closed at Friendship church on Christmas morning.

Opening song, "Welcome, Prince of Peace."  
Prayer by Superintendent.  
Recitation, Welcome Address, by Master Levy Woodcock.  
Merry Christmas by 14 children, Peggy, Polly, Joe and Jim, by 14 children.  
Song, Christmas Children We.  
Recitation, Josie Skinner.  
"Divide," by six children.  
Song, Shining Star.  
Recitation, Susie Skinner.  
The Quest, by six girls.  
Recitation, Mary Jernigan.  
Song, Take Him for thy King.  
The Powers, by three boys and six girls.  
Recitation, Bertie Mae Hodges.  
The King Cometh, by eighteen children.  
Song, The Holly Berry Band.  
Recitation, Rayford Hodges.  
Stocking Drill.  
Distribution of presents.

## COWS FOR SALE.

I have for sale one or two good milk cows. Fresh in milk. See me for terms and price.  
W. D. Deal,  
Statesboro, Route No. 1.

## Christmas Program.

The following program will be rendered at Friendship church on Christmas morning:

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# THE STATESBORO NEWS.

\$1.00 A YEAR.

STATESBORO, GA. TUESDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1909

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**Bank of Statesboro, Ga.**  
Capital and Surplus .. \$100,000  
OFFICERS:  
J. L. COLEMAN, Pres. W. C. PARKER, V. Pres  
S. 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.

## JOHNSON BOYS ASSAULT D'LOACH

Unprovoked Assault on Conductor  
Who Attempted to Preserve Order  
on S. and S. Railroad Train.

A bloody battle between Mr. W. H. DeLoach, conductor on the passenger train of the Savannah and Statesboro Railway, and Sam and Lester Johnson on Thursday night at a point near Blithen, in Bryan county, came near resulting in the assassination of Mr. DeLoach.

### Wrong to Citizens.

The town authorities are doing the citizens of the town an injustice in allowing the streets to be filled with fakirs and fruit sellers. The merchants doing business here have to pay rent and taxes all the year around. They have to contribute during the hard summer months when they hardly make rent, and they are then entitled to the trade of the winter time when they could make some money. But the street fakirs and vendors take out a cheap license and sell the goods, make the money and then spend it in New York.

The streets belong to the public and the adjacent property owners, and the town is doing the property owners and the merchants an injustice in allowing such things.

These street hawkers are like a nuisance to people doing business close by them.

We trust the town authorities will stop such things and let people who build up the town and spend their money here the year around do the business.

### Dividend Notice.

Sea Island Bank, Statesboro, Ga., Dec. 15, 1909.  
The Board of Directors of this bank have declared a dividend of 5 per cent on the capital stock of the bank payable on January 5th, to stockholders of record as of January 1st.

Checks for this dividend will be mailed.  
R. F. Donaldson,  
Cashier.

### United States' Greatest Ship Launched Wednesday.

Uncle Sam's greatest battleship, the Utah, was launched Wednesday at Camden, N. J. The fighting leviathan slid down the ways as Mary Alice Spry, youngest daughter of Governor Spry of Utah, cracked a bottle of champagne on the armor plate and christened her. The big hull dipped into the water and glided from the ways as nicely as if a superhuman hand had picked her up and dropped her into the water. A half dozen lines in waiting darted out and made lines to the ship and towed her back to the moorings.

A multitude that crowded to every vantage point saw the launching. The workmen were nearly an hour knocking away the blocking that was between the new fighting ship and the sea. Members of the Mormon church sat upon a platform built for them near the prow of the ship.

When the launching was all over Senator Reed Smoot, turned to the Mormon elders and said:

"It may be a coincidence, but it is a happy one that the launching of this ship should take place on the anniversary of the birth of Joseph Smith."

## 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 fortune 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.

### President's Possom on Deck

Youngsters as a rule are firm believers in Santa Claus, and at least one member of our growth-of-fraternity is a staunch upholder of good Saint Nicholas.

Joseph P. Olliff, our popular restaurant keeper, discovered, on opening his place of business on Friday morning, a good big, fat possum in the kitchen. How it came there is a mystery to Mr. Olliff, but he thinks that Santa Claus, for the purpose of electing Directors for said bank for the coming year, and for the despatch of such other business as may properly come before said meeting and it earnestly desired that all stockholders be present.

### Notice.

To the Stockholders of The First National Bank, Statesboro, Ga.

Your attention is hereby called to the fact that there will be a meeting of the Stockholders of The First National Bank, Statesboro, Ga., at the banking house of said bank, on the second Tuesday, January, 1910, (the 11th) between the hours of ten and twelve o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing Directors for said bank for the coming year, and for the despatch of such other business as may properly come before said meeting and it earnestly desired that all stockholders be present.

J. E. McCroan,  
Cashier.

Statesboro, Ga., Dec. 10, 1909.

Remember that I have full line of Paint materials at lowest prices.  
A. J. Franklin.

For Brick, Lime and Cement see A. J. Franklin.



George Washington

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

## The First National Bank

Of Statesboro, Ga.

BROOKS SIMMONS President. J. E. McCroan Cashier.  
[Directors:]  
F. P. REGISTER, M. G. BRANNEN, W. W. WILLIAMS,  
JAS. E. RUSHING, F. N. GRIMES, BROOKS SIMMONS,  
E. E. FIELD.

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

## 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.

(Signed) CHARLES A. DAVIS.

For Certain Results Write or See  
FRED C. WALLIS, General Agent,  
409-11 National Bank Building, SAVANNAH, GA.  
or HOMER C. PARKER, Special Agent,  
STATESBORO, GA.

## CARSON COMPANY TAKES PLACE OF WILLIAMS CO.

The Stockholders Voted  
Unanimously for the  
Change Tuesday.

Savannah Press.  
The most important action taken by any one connected with the naval stores interests in Savannah in several years was taken Tuesday when the stockholders of the J. P. Williams Company, one of the largest naval stores concerns in the world, voted to change the name of the corporation to the Carson Naval Stores Company. This action has been expected for several days by those who keep in close touch with naval stores affairs.

It eliminates for the time being at least from all active connection with the naval stores business Mr. J. P. Williams, who was formerly at the head of the J. P. Williams Company. Mr. Williams' health is far from good, and it has been expected for several years that he would sever his connection with active trading. The change of the name of the company removes him entirely from any connection with the affairs of what was the J. P. Williams Company except as a stockholder.

The J. P. Williams Company has a capital stock of \$650,000 and a surplus of \$500,000. It has been a factor in the naval stores world and the business affairs of Savannah for several years, succeeding to the business of J. P. Williams & Co. The officers elected at the meeting Tuesday follow:

President, J. A. G. Carson; first vice president, H. L. Kayton; second vice president, J. A. G. Carson, jr.; secretary, H. F. E. Schuster; treasurer, R. T. Waller, jr.; directors, J. A. G. Carson, H. L. Kayton, T. A. Jennings, J. A. G. Carson, jr., J. R. Sharp, Bainbridge, R. M. Morrison, Moultrie; J. E. Dusenbury, Pensacola. All the officers are from Savannah except Mr. Jennings, who lives in Pensacola.

Mr. Williams has been for several years chairman of the executive committee of the Williams Company. No executive committee was elected today.

Every share of the stock in the Williams Company was at the meeting today and the vote to change the name of the corporation was unanimous.

The advertisement calling for the change in the name will appear in the Savannah Press tomorrow afternoon and after it has appeared once each week for four weeks there will be another meeting and the change will be formally made.

Mr. J. A. G. Carson, whose name the new company is to bear after thirty days, is one of the best known citizens of Savannah. He is president of the Savannah Board of Trade and has large banking and other interests in this city. For more than a quarter of a century he has been identified with the Williams properties in various capacities and for the past three or four years has been president of the Williams Company. Few men know the naval stores business better than Mr. Carson and the company with the new name will be managed in the future almost entirely by the same men who have made such a success of the Williams Company.

Miss George Blitch has returned home from school at Spartanburg, S. C., to spend the holidays.

There will be a Christmas tree at Register Saturday night, December 25th. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. E. M. Anderson has taken his son, Mr. H. DeLoach Anderson in the business with him and the firm will be known as E. M. Anderson & Son.

Mrs. A. E. Wilson is visiting her sister, Mrs. N. N. Jones, in Savannah.

Mr. P. B. Hampton, of Macon, to attend for the Hepthab orphanage, spent several days in Statesboro this week.

Prof. R. J. H. DeLoach and family, of Athens, are spending the holidays with relatives in Statesboro and at other points in the county.

We are offering our standard brands of shoes—Banister and Walk Over for Men, Queen Quality for Ladies and "Black Cat" for Children at cost. Now is your chance to be shod cheap.

Perry Kennedy.

CORN WANTED.  
We want 500 bushels of corn, and will exchange buggies, wagons, harness, or anything in our line for same, paying highest market price for the corn.

Statesboro Huggy & Wagon Co.

## MOORE FREED AT MOTHER'S REQUEST

Savannah Car Conductor  
Gets His Liberty as a  
Holiday Present.

Atlanta, Dec. 20.—Gov. Brown granted a number of commutations, pardons and paroles today as the result of recommendations made by the Prison Commission, among them being the case of E. A. Moore of Savannah, who was sent to the penitentiary for life in 1905 for murder.

Moore was a street car conductor in Savannah, and as the result of a difficulty with a passenger drew his pistol and fired. The bullet went wild and struck and killed a woman across the street. An investigation of the case by the Prison Commission led to the conclusion that Moore, at most, should have been convicted only on involuntary manslaughter in the commission of an unlawful act, the extreme penalty for which is three years.

Moore's mother is now living in Texas and recently came to Atlanta to urge the pardon of her son, which the Governor granted.

Jennings Naval Stores Co.  
Succeeds the Williams Co.

Savannah, Ga.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the Williams Naval Stores Company held in Savannah Tuesday morning the name of the corporation was changed to the Jennings Naval Stores Company. As this is a Florida corporation the method of changing the name was much simpler than if it had been organized under the laws of Georgia. The change is at once effective as all that is required is to file the resolution providing for the change with the secretary of the state of Florida.

The company has a capital stock of \$450,000 and a surplus of \$100,000. It has been a success since its organization.

Free Until January 1st.

One enlargement given free with each dozen photographs made at Rustin's studio. Frames, framed pictures, etc., during the holidays. Call and see the bargains, and purchase a Christmas gift for your friends.

RUSTIN'S STUDIO,  
Cone Building, North Main St.  
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Buy your groceries of Clary and save money.

Miss George Blitch has returned home from school at Spartanburg, S. C., to spend the holidays.

There will be a Christmas tree at Register Saturday night, December 25th. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. E. M. Anderson has taken his son, Mr. H. DeLoach Anderson in the business with him and the firm will be known as E. M. Anderson & Son.

Mrs. A. E. Wilson is visiting her sister, Mrs. N. N. Jones, in Savannah.

Mr. P. B. Hampton, of Macon, to attend for the Hepthab orphanage, spent several days in Statesboro this week.

Prof. R. J. H. DeLoach and family, of Athens, are spending the holidays with relatives in Statesboro and at other points in the county.

We are offering our standard brands of shoes—Banister and Walk Over for Men, Queen Quality for Ladies and "Black Cat" for Children at cost. Now is your chance to be shod cheap.

Perry Kennedy.

CORN WANTED.  
We want 500 bushels of corn, and will exchange buggies, wagons, harness, or anything in our line for same, paying highest market price for the corn.

Statesboro Huggy & Wagon Co.

## LEAVE TO SELL LAND.

Georgia, Bulloch County.  
Notice is hereby given that M. J. McElvett, Jr., guardian of the property of said minor, has in proper form applied to the undersigned for leave to sell land belonging to said minor and said application will be heard before the Court of Ordinary on the first Monday in January, next. This December 28th, 1909.

S. L. Moore, Ordinary.

LEAVE TO SELL LAND.  
Georgia, Bulloch County.  
Notice is hereby given that A. W. Deal, administrator of the estate of John Deal, deceased, has in proper form applied to the undersigned for leave to sell land belonging to said deceased and said application will be heard before the Court of Ordinary on the first Monday in January, next. This December 28th, 1909.

S. L. Moore, Ordinary.

FOR 12 MONTHS' SUPPORT.  
Mrs. Margaret Hudson, widow of J. H. Hudson, deceased, made application for 12 months' support of herself and four minor children out of the estate of J. H. Hudson and the undersigned is hereby required to pay to her, if any due, the amount of said support, on the first Monday in January, 1910, why said application should not be granted. This 28th day of December, 1909.

S. L. Moore, Ordinary.

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S. L. Moore, Ordinary.

LEAVE TO SELL LAND.  
Georgia, Bulloch County.  
Notice is hereby given that C. C. Mosley, administrator of the estate of E. C. Mosley, has applied to the undersigned for leave to sell land belonging to said deceased and said application will be heard before the Court of Ordinary on the first Monday in January, next. This December 28th, 1909.

S. L. Moore, Ordinary.

CITATION.  
To All Whom It May Concern:  
S. C. Banks having applied for guardianship of the person and property of Lela M. Banks, minor child of J. L. Banks, late of said county, deceased, notice is given that said application will be heard at my office at 10 o'clock a. m., on the first Monday in January, next. This December 28th, 1909.

S. L. Moore, Ordinary.

DISCHARGE FROM GUARDIANSHIP.  
Georgia, Bulloch County.  
J. R. Everett, guardian of Mrs. Leona Everett, has applied to me for a discharge from his guardianship of Mrs. Leona Everett. This is the first time that any person has applied to me for a discharge from his guardianship of a minor child of a deceased person.

S. L. Moore, Ordinary.

CITATION.  
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S. C. Banks having applied for guardianship of the person and property of Lela M. Banks, minor child of J. L. Banks, late of said county, deceased, notice is given that said application will be heard at my office at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 30th day of January, 1910. This 28th day of December, 1909.

S. L. Moore, Ordinary.

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S. L. Moore, Ordinary.

SALE OF LAND.  
Georgia, Bulloch County.  
By virtue of a deed dated the 26th day of February, 1907, signed by J. R. Hall, Raphael Hall and James Hall, recorded in the Clerk's office of the Superior Court of said county, in book 25, folio 182, and by virtue of the power of sale given me by said deed, I will sell, on Tuesday in January, 1910, the following described property, to-wit: One parcel of land situated, lying and being in the 1320 District, R. M. Bulloch county, Georgia, containing fifty acres of land, more or less, known as part of the Deal land, and bounded north by lands of R. H. Hall, Jr., Bryan Hall, James R. Hall, east by lands of R. H. Hall, west by lands of R. H. Hall, south by lands of George Donaldson. Said lands sold for the purpose of paying off three notes of even date with said deed, and for which said deed was made to secure, for the sum of three hundred dollars each, besides interest, attorney fees and cost.

This 28th day of December, 1909.

W. S. FINCH.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE.  
Agreeably to an order of the Court of Ordinary of Bulloch county will be sold at auction, at the Court House door of said county, on the first Tuesday in January next, within the legal hours of sale, the following property, to-wit: Three hundred acres of land, more or less, situated in 1240th G. M. District of said state and county, bounded as follows: On the north by Lewis Bird estate and J. N. Futch, east by J. N. Futch, south by John McElvett, and west by Bulloch Bay. Sold as the property of the estate of Moore J. McElvett, deceased.

Terms of sale, cash.  
This 28th day of December, 1909.

JOHN McELVETT,  
Executor Moore J. McElvett.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION  
Rates Via the Central  
Georgia Railway.

Low rate Excursion Tickets on sale December 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 31, 1909, and January 1, 1910. Return limit January 6, 1910.

For rates and information relative to train service, sleeping and parlor car service, etc., apply to nearest ticket agent.

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