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STATSBORO AS A MULE MARKET

MOST COMPLETE, ABSOLUTE FIRE-PROOF FACILITIES IN THE STATE

W. T. Smith Leads all Others in State in Modern Barns.

Statesboro can rightfully boast of the most modern, complete and absolutely fire-proof facilities for handling mules and horses in the State of Georgia, and probably anywhere south of St. Louis.

As a mule and horse market Statesboro is fast becoming known throughout the entire country, but up to a short time ago the facilities for handling, properly, the stock that found its way to our city for the market was very inadequate.

But, as in all other enterprises, Statesboro never has to go beyond her own confines to find a man who is ready to step in and take hold of any situation. In this instance W. T. Smith realized the necessity of a barn sufficient to handle the mules and horses of our market, and as a result Statesboro has a building for this purpose that any city in the land would be proud of.

Mr. Smith's barn is located on Vine street between South Main and Smith streets. It is built of brick and steel throughout.

The building is seventy five feet wide and one hundred and forty one foot long. It fronts on the alley between Vine and East Main, and has three large steel doors at this entrance, with arches above, each arch having steel frames and glass. There are also windows at this end of the building.

At the Vine street entrance there is only one large door with arch overhead with glass, but there are several windows.

On the east side of the building there is an alley, and right in the center of the building, opening on this alley, is another of the large arched doors, while there are windows scattered at intervals along the full length of the building along the east side.

The roof is metal and is supported by enormous steel beams, while in the roof running the full length of the building there is an elevated ventilator and skylight. This ventilator is so constructed that there is a continuous circulation of fresh, pure air, while all foul air is carried off. Scattered along the ventilator are two rows of glass windows—twenty in all—that shed a radiance of light to every corner of the building.

While the News representative was being shown through the barn, Mr. Smith closed all the doors, and while the day was somewhat cloudy, nevertheless it was so light in the building there was not the slightest difficulty in seeing the smallest object or distinguishing any spot or peculiarity in color on any of the live stock—in fact it could not be noticed that the doors were closed so perfect is the construction of the building in regard to light.

All danger of fire is reduced to the least possibility. There is no wood work in the construction, and even the feed, corn, hay, etc., is kept in another building, except just that which is fed to the stock at meal time.

The barn was completed and put into use on December 15th, 1914, at which time there was a large shipment of Tennessee mules placed on sale.

NEGRO ADMITS MURDER OF TWO WHITE MEN NEAR WELAKA, FLA.

Florida Officers Have Gone to Elizabethtown, Tenn., for Clyde Stover, Wanted for the Killing of Gardner Brothers

Elizabethtown, Tenn., Feb. 15.—Clyde Stover, a negro held here as a suspect in connection with the murder, near Welaka, Fla., of Arthur G. Gardner, of Baltimore, has confessed, declares the sheriff. The officer says Stover confessed the killing of Gardner, also the brother, Horace B. Gardner, of Springfield, Mass., who is missing. The alleged confession says the negro, who piloted the Gardner on a campaign expedition, shot them from behind because they made him dance at a gun's point. The negro is awaiting Florida officers, who will take him to Jacksonville.

VETERANS MEET IN OCTOBER

ALBANY WILL HAVE HONOR OF ENTERTAINING THEM THIS FALL

Albany, Ga.—Albany is to have the honor of entertaining the Confederate veterans at their annual encampment in October, 1915.

The matter of entertaining the veterans was brought to the attention of council at its regular meeting on Tuesday night of last week, and after some consideration it seemed advisable to confer with the local camp of veterans before arriving at a definite conclusion, as the local camp would be host to the visiting veterans. Alderman Joseph Ehrlich was asked to ascertain the wishes of the local veterans during the week and report back to council. That he gave the matter prompt attention was attested by a committee of veterans from Camp Slaughter, who were in attendance at the council meeting this week.

Major B. F. Brimberry acted as spokesman. He told the members of council that the veterans of the state of Georgia had been anxious to come to Albany for several years. At each annual encampment they have asked if Albany did not wish to extend an invitation, but as the local camp had received no authority, it has been compelled to let some other community capture the reunion.

So it was decided to extend the invitation.

10,000 COPPER MINERS IN LINE FOR RAISES

Calumet, Mich., Feb. 17.—The Mohawk and Wolverine Mining Company has joined other miners in announcing increases of 5 to 10 per cent in the wages of its men. About 800 are affected. It was predicted a few days ago that if the copper market remains stable all of the 10,000 men in the district will enjoy higher wages.

EXTRA JUDGESHIP BILL PASSED BY SENATE MONDAY

Without a Dissenting Voice the Bill Creating Another Judgeship for the Southern District of Georgia is Enacted Into Law.

Washington.—The senate Monday afternoon passed the Webb bill creating an additional federal judgeship in the Southern district of Georgia. The bill was considered by unanimous consent at the request of Senator Hoke Smith. No opposition to its provision developed and in the twinkling of an eye it was read the third time and passed.

A NEWER AND FINER BELGIUM

PLANS ARE DISCUSSED TO REBUILD TOWNS AND CITIES

London.—Plans for rebuilding the towns and cities of Belgium were discussed by the international conference of Garden cities.

"From the ashes there shall arise a newer and finer Belgium," said Herbert Samuel, president of the local government board. "Among the 200,000 refugees who were welcomed to England there are about 200 architects. Our idea is to bring them together and place at their disposal our experience for development of Belgian towns along modern lines. Delegates at the conference include representatives of the United States, France, Holland and Spain.

LOUISIANA BEGINS TO DRAIN UNCLAIMED LAND

New Orleans.—The Hero Pumping Station, a state project designed to drain thirty thousand acres of low lands on the right bank of the Mississippi river near New Orleans, was opened when President Wilson pressed a button at the White House to set the machinery in motion.

The plant is one of several plants the state has for draining prescribed districts in the state. By a state law residents of the lowlands of Louisiana can organize drainage of districts after which the project is taken in charge by state officials, and bond issue to make possible the drainage work are authorized by the state. Much of the land the Hero plant is expected to make cultivable heretofore has been practically worthless.

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OUR OCCUPATION IS SELLING PURE DRUGS THERE ARE IN THESE UNITED STATES WHAT'S YOURS?

587,062 CARPENTERS JOINERS 525 FEMALES

586,557 MALES

HITTING THE NAIL

Pilot Your Way To Our Drug Store

For a Safe Purchase of Anything You May Need in the Drug Line

Quality, Accuracy, Prompt Service our Watchword

Lively's Drug Store

BRITISH PRESS ADMITS FRENCH ARE PUZZLED

London.—For the first time since the outbreak of the war the British press is admitting that the French people are a little puzzled about the slowness of Great Britain about throwing men into the fighting line. A vigorous campaign of education to promote mutual understanding is what is needed, according to the Paris correspondent of the Times; and he hints that the recent visit to England of M. Millerand, the French minister of war, "will be an encouragement in this direction."

"It is hard," says the writer, "to explain to the Frenchman in the street the many difficulties England has had to contend with in the formation of her new armies. A great many Frenchmen are under the impression that in England we have obligatory service. A still greater number believe, in the absence of news to the contrary, that we have but the original one hundred thousand men in France. They are all ignorant and informed—frank and generous in their admiration of our troops, but they cannot prevent a certain wistful envy from arising now and then, when they read of our normal lives at home."

"Much useful work is now being done by several of the large newspapers which have for some days past been explaining the extent of the effort we are making. More work of the same nature can be done both in England and France, and M. Millerand's visit will be an encouragement to all efforts in this direction."

RATES REDUCED ON SHIPMENTS OF SUGAR

Washington.—Authority was given to the Alabama Great Southern and other railroads by the interstate commerce commission, to charge rates on sugar in carloads from New Orleans and other points taking the same rates to Ohio river crossings, lower than those maintained on like traffic to intermediate points. Rates to the intermediate points, however, must not exceed 21 1/2 cents per hundred pounds carload, from points not exceeding 360 miles from New Orleans; 25 cents to intermediate points on direct lines to the Ohio river, south of the south boundary of Tennessee, more than 360 miles from New Orleans; and 28 cents to intermediate points north of the south boundary of Tennessee.

ADVERTISER IS ENJOINED FROM CARRYING LIQUOR ADS

Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 13.—Chancellor W. E. Chapman today granted the state of Alabama a temporary injunction restraining the Montgomery Advertiser from carrying liquor advertisements. This follows action taken yesterday by Attorney General W. L. Maslin to test the constitutionality of the newly passed Denison law which prohibits the carrying of liquor advertisements in papers circulating in the state.

All Reworked Butter Must Be Labeled.

Atlanta, Feb. 13.—The state department of agriculture has just issued a ruling that all reworked butter must be plainly labeled "Reworked Butter." It has been found that in many instances this worked over butter has been sold as creamy butter, which is higher in price as well as its grade. "Reworked butter" is a healthy product and is all right, but the department will require, under the new law, that it be labeled what it is.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Statesboro City Officials

Mayor—S. J. Crouch
City Council—W. T. Smith, R. F. Donaldson, S. C. Groover, Glenn Bland, Dr. L. W. Williams

Water and Lights—S. C. Groover, Chairman
Streets—Glenn Bland, Chairman
Health Officer—Dr. L. W. Williams
City Clerk—W. B. Johnson

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Chief—J. H. Everett
Assistant—J. M. Mitchell, A. T. Rahn

Bulloch County Officials

Ordinary—W. H. Coxe
Clerk Superior Court—T. J. Denmark
Sheriff—R. T. Mallard
Judge City Court—Hon. Proctor

County School Superintendent—R. R. Olliff

Tax Receiver—J. D. McElreath
Tax Collector—M. R. Atkins
Treasurer—J. C. Jones

Solicitor City Court—Hon. C. Parker
County Surveyor—J. E. Rushing
County Commissioners—J. V. Bruns, J. M. Hendrix, W. J. Denmark, W. H. Sharpe

Board of Education—J. G. Nevel, F. M. Hendrix, S. D. Alderman
Recorder—G. M. Long

Miss Lena Belle Smith is visiting friends in Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Johnston have moved to South Main street.

FOR SALE—Seed Cane, the best grade of green Sugar Cane. J. G. Jones, Statesboro, Ga.

Mr. Allen Hagin, of the southern part of the county, was a caller at the News office last Saturday.

Give us a trial on your Groceries; we can please. The Bland Grocery Co.

Miss Inez Peak, of Cedartown, is visiting Mrs. J. H. Brett, on South Main street.

Garden Seeds, Garden Seeds, Garden Seeds. See us; we sell the best on the market. The Bland Grocery Co.

Mrs. H. Alderman and Mrs. W. H. Kennedy spent Wednesday in Savannah.

Mrs. Tensdale, of Savannah, is teaching a class in vocal music in Statesboro.

Mrs. C. S. Martin and daughter, Miss Eva, left Monday for a visit to relatives in New Orleans, La.

When you need male millinery, such as Collars, Pads, etc., call on us; we can please you, both in price and quality. The Bland Grocery Co.

W. C. Oglesby will, after this week, occupy the two-story dwelling house on the corner of West Main and Walnut streets.

Looks better since the four sides of the court house clock are lighted at night. Thanks to the county officials.

The friends of Miss Janie DeLoach will be pleased to learn that she is recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. Mark Lively, recently of Chattanooga, Tenn., is home again and can be found from now on at the drug store of his brother, Mr. G. P. Lively.

I am now prepared to do all kinds of repair work on all makes of sewing machines. I guarantee to give satisfaction on all work. If I don't give perfect satisfaction your money will be refunded. You can find me at G. A. Boyd's store, or phone me at 104. J. E. Boyd, P. O. box 238.

R. B. Chefer, of Route 1, came in recently and paid for his subscription for 1915. The News is always glad to see its friends and patrons, and it extends a cordial invitation at all times.

Wanted—From one to six brood sows—graded Berkshires preferred, heavy with pigs now.

Thos. L. Hill, Millen, Ga.

While Metter is blowing her horns, pounding her drums and all her citizens enjoying the music, Statesboro hears only an occasional note from her "quill band."

What's the matter with us anyway; can't we help the boys get up that band they are trying to organize?

Reedy Branch school house is being treated to a brand new suit for the spring. Mr. W. H. Canoles was in the News office one day this week and said he would begin painting the Reedy Branch school building in a few days. That list is pretty good. It is a pleasure to know that our rural schools are receiving so much attention.

George Lively, the all night drug man, who has always been a staunch friend of the News, has in his employ two of the cleverest and most competent boys in this city, viz: Carl Holland and Herman Suddath, and the latter, as some folks do not know, is some day going to reflect on Statesboro as Georgia's champion athlete. He has the build—and Tanny's mind is willing, too. These are the requites, my boy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Langford and their daughter, Miss Maggie, left Wednesday for Oysterfield, where they will make their future home. The Langfords have many friends in Statesboro who regret the loss of this family, but who join the News in wishing them good fortune and happiness in their new home.

The writer spent the afternoon of yesterday (Sunday) with Mr. and Mrs. Gaines A. Boyd. Miss Peal Olliff (all we used to know her) has one of the best and prettiest babies in Statesboro—little Olliff—and the way that Mr. and Mrs. Boyd idolize little Olliff furnishes food for thought, and brings back recollections of bygone days when we were kids and fondled with by kind and loving parents, but alas! the dear ones now are in that great beyond, from whence no traveler ever returns, and since then we have met with many rebuffs from this unsympathetic world, and really one becomes hardened and sinful after contamination, and we often think of what we might have been. How true is that old quotation:

"Of all sad words of tongue or pen The saddest is what might have been."

That little Olliff's life may be equally comforting to himself and his loving parents is the wish of the News.

IN HONOR OF HER BIRTHDAY

On Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock Miss Ethel McDaniel delightfully entertained her friends with a birthday party. Progressive Books and other games were played. The invited guests were: Grace Parker, Pennie Allen, Tilla Lanier, Meta Kennedy, Mary Willson, Marion Foy, Belle Outland, Lucile Parrish, Annie Mae Alderman, Henrietta Parrish, Camilla Aiken, Marie Bowen and Ida Mae Drannen.

Sea Island Cotton

The genuine article, direct from Adisto Island, S. C., can be bought in any quantities from 2 bushels up. J. WALTER MILLER, Statesboro, Ga.

Notice to Tax Defaulters

To the Tax Defaulters of the 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, and 22nd G. M. Districts:

For the advantage of those who have failed to pay their taxes, I will be at Statesboro until March 10th. This is a matter that should be looked after once and there will probably be a levy made before that time. I will also be at Port of Friday, Feb. 16th. Please attend to this matter at once and avoid further cost. L. A. Akins.

Back in Harness

My friends are hereby notified that I am again in harness—ready to make and repair harness and shoe workmanlike manner. I have with me again Mr. Blaud, who was with me before retirement from business last, and who is an expert workman.

I solicit your patronage, and guarantee all work with us any way; can't we help the boys get up that band they are trying to organize?

T. A. Wilson, In new brick store next to R. Simmons' Warehouse, W. Main St.

Trustee's Sale

By virtue of an order granted by A. H. Macdonell, referee in bankruptcy for the Eastern division of the Southern district of Georgia, I will sell at Aaron station, Bulloch county, Ga., within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, on Wednesday, the 17th day of February, next, the following personal property of G. B. Aaron, bankrupt, viz:

One stock of general merchandise and fixtures, inventoried at \$42.00. Also, four head of mules, two head of horses, two buggies, two 2 horse wagons, one 1 horse wagon, one narrow gauge engine and boiler, two guns, etc. Sold subject to confirmation by the court.

Parties interested may see inventory of stock of stock of merchandise at the office of the referee in bankruptcy, in Savannah, Ga., or at my office in Statesboro, Georgia, This January 23rd, 1915 S. L. MOORE, Trustee.

LATEST PRESS NEWS

Atlanta, Feb. 10.—"Co-operation begins at home." By far the most effective way of pushing the great "Made in the United States" movement for Georgia people, is to consistently and insistently and persistently buy Georgia products first, last and all the time, said C. J. Haden, President of the Georgia Chamber of Commerce, recently discussing the state wide work of the organization.

"In the last analysis," continued Mr. Haden, the main work of the Georgia Chamber of Commerce lies in exploiting the resources and advantages of the State of Georgia. We are teaching our people to realize that Georgia grows and manufactures everything necessary for the comfort and well being of her 2,800,000 inhabitants. We are also assisting the producer in Georgia to find a ready market for his products. This two fold educational campaign had its inception in Georgia Products Day."

"It is pointed out that this construction work on the part of the Georgia Chamber of Commerce is bearing fruit in various ways. Recently there was announced the organization of the Georgia Products Company, by Ralph O. Cochran, in Atlanta. This, and similar concerns, do a wholesale business, undertaking to handle nothing but perishable goods raised on Georgia farms. They will not handle cotton. The whole idea is to originate distinctively Georgia enterprises to help the Georgia producer and middleman find a ready market for his farm yield. The Georgia Products Company, and sister concerns, will also enter the retail business in a limited way, handling pickles, candy, bread and other goods made in the Empire State of the South."

"In case these co-operating commission companies fail to find a cash market for peas, corn, hay, hams, etc., in Georgia cities and towns, they will ship the products to other states, and in this manner afford the producer every opportunity to realize a profit on his goods.

In order to facilitate business they will handle products in car load lots, or in similar shipments; this applying to both merchants and farmer patrons.

"We thoroughly appreciate the fact that if anyone in Atlanta or elsewhere in Georgia should wish to buy a Georgia raised ham or water ground corn meal, or most any other product, he would find difficulty in locating them for the simple reason that he would not know where to look for them. We expect to put forth our best efforts to relieve the situation," said the promoter of one of these companies recently.

Just received a lot of fine Tennessee and Kentucky mules.

Parties needing a good farm mule would do well to see us before purchasing. We can save you money.

Auction sale of cheap horses and mules every Tuesday.

Consult us about your live stock needs.

Younglove & Sipple,

Broughton and W. Broad Sts.

Livery, Feed AND SALE STABLE

A large stock of horses and mules from Tennessee and Kentucky always on hand, prices on which will be made satisfactory. When you are in the city and need a good horse or a mule, call and look over our stock before you make a purchase.

J. A. CLEARY & COMPANY,

West Broad St., Head Oglethorpe Ave., West Savannah, Georgia.

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Be on time and come prepared
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car stated to a News representative that the blaze started all of a sudden and he could not account for it unless it was caused by a short electrical circuit.