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THE STATESBORO NEWS

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STATESBORO, GEORGIA, TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 1914

VOL. 14 NO. 4

DR. HERMAN LIEBER is Coming Again to Statesboro

DR. HERMAN LIEBER, THE CELEBRATED CHICAGO EYE EXPERT, IS COMING TO THE JAECKEL HOTEL AT STATESBORO.

Monday, March 30th, to Saturday, April 4th, 1914

With a Complete Line of His Famous Perfect Vision Spectacles—The Clearest and Most Perfect Spectacle on Earth.



If your eyesight is failing, do not neglect this great opportunity to have them attended to by this celebrated eye expert. Be sure and consult Dr. Lieber and have him fit you up with a pair of his Perfect Vision Spectacles, and you will be agreeably surprised to discover that you can read the very finest print in your bible with then on, and do the finest kind of embroidery and crocheting with them on, and to it all night long, if you like, without any headaches or eye pains, and with as much ease and comfort as you ever did in your life. Or, if you like to go out hunting occasionally, just shoulder your gun and go into the woods some bright and early morning and you'll be greatly delighted to find that his Perfect Vision Spectacles help you wonderfully in sighting your gun and taking aim at your game. And in the evening when the shadows are gathering in the dusk, you'll easily be able to distinguish your friends and neighbors at the greatest distance—and this, even if your eyes are so weak now that you can't read the largest headlines in this paper.



Testimonials by Our Townspeople

Judge E. D. Holland,

Justice of the Peace of Statesboro, says:

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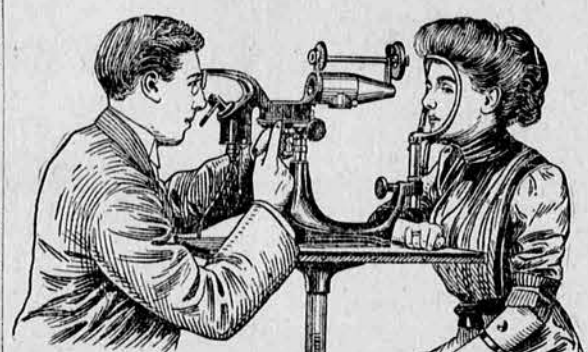
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DR. LIEBER WILL FORFEIT \$1,000.00 IF EITHER
One of the Testimonials are Not Genuine

No Charge for Examinations, Eyes
Treated Free.



Drop in and Have Your
Eyes Examined

It will not cost you a single solitary cent to have your eyes examined by this celebrated Chicago expert and if his glasses will do you no good he will honestly tell you so. Also, bring the children along if they have eye troubles as children's eyesight is very delicate and requires very careful attention, and you may never have another opportunity to consult this celebrated Chicago expert again. Professor Lieber has restored eyesight to thousands of weakened people all over the United States and he positively can do the same for you no matter how badly you may be suffering with your eyes and how long you have worn your eyes may be.

Come As Early In The
Week As Possible

And don't forget to bring your Old Spectacles along (if you have any) for no matter where you bought them or how long you have had them Dr. Lieber will be pleased to take your old glasses off your hands as part pay on a brand new pair of his Perfect Vision Spectacles which will again enable you to read, sew, hunt and look away off in the distance just as well as you ever did in your life.

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Superintendent's Corner.

The Teachers' Institute was well attended on the 14th inst. But very few teachers absent. The teachers of Bulloch county are wide awake and progressive. When called upon they usually respond. They were entertained by the pupils of the Statesboro high school for the first hour of the day. A splendid program was rendered by the pupils, which consisted of music and recitations. Then the institute was called to order and a new chairman elected for the remainder of the term. Prof. T. M. Purcell was elected chairman, and Miss Jessie Mikel, secretary. Prof. James H. St. Clair discussed the subject of "Discipline" in an interesting way. Next Prof. Purcell made a very logical talk on the "Mission of the Teacher." Lastly a paper by Miss Ruth Porter on "How to Teach Reading" was to the point, and shows that Miss Porter knows how it should be done.

The following program was prepared for the next meeting, which will be held on next second Saturday: "How to Raise the Standard of Efficiency among Teachers"—Miss Jessie Mikel. Debate: Resolved, "That Manual Arts and Domestic Sciences Should be Incorporated in the Curriculum of the Schools of Bulloch County"—Affirmative, C. D. Hart and Miss Polly Wood. Negative, A. B. Johnson and Miss Juanita Garner.

Reading—Miss Lula Warnock. "Should the Law of Education Promulgate a Set of Rules for the Government of Schools of this County?"—Mr. Willie Wilkinson.

Committee for Arranging Program—Miss Lorena Mann, Prof. T. M. Purcell and Prof. James H. St. Clair.

New Pensioners Will Wait.

The check to cover the pensions for Confederate veterans and widows arrived one day during the past week. But the nine new names placed on the list this year by Commissioner Lindsay will have to wait until the legislature meets in July, for the reason the state has no funds to pay them with.

After a conference with the governor, it was decided to meet the payroll of the old members and allow the new ones to wait until the legislature can make an appropriation for them.

Commissioner Lindsay writes Judge Tate to ask the ones left off the payroll to hear with him patiently. He assures them that they will get their money—that the state of Georgia cannot afford to lay down on these people.

It is a matter of deep regret that these people will have to wait. They are, in most cases, people who need their pensions. They did as valiant service for the confederacy as the ones who have been receiving their pay all the years, and it is a matter of extreme regret that any one of them will have to wait.

and do things harmful to the school who never visit the school to see for themselves the real conditions that exist. Mr. Patton, before you find too much fault, go to your school and give the teacher and pupils encouragement. Do not try to prevent success. If your teacher is making a mistake he or she will certainly appreciate a kindly suggestion as to how to best avoid trouble.

Teachers, remember that the first of April ends the time for enrolling the boys and girls in clubs of this county. Those of you have not secured the names of the boys and girls, do so and let me have their names and addresses at once.

For Sale or Rent.

On five room dwelling, comparatively new, located in North Main street, or extension of North Main street. For particulars apply either to the undersigned or to Mr. Watson at Preetorius Banking Co., G. W. Kiehl, Grimsdale, Ga.

Obituary

Mrs. Nellie Robinson, wife of Mr. John T. Robinson and daughter of Mr. J. M. Jenkins, was born Dec. 21, 1879, and died Dec. 23, 1913. She was a kind and affectionate lady, and was the mother of all with whom she mingled. Though the sun of her life has set, still the beautiful twilight lingers in its golden reflection, leaving an inheritance of memories to those who knew and loved her.

She was a member of the Methodist church at Eureka, Bulloch county, for a number of years, and one of its most devoted members. Her funeral was preached by her pastor, Rev. G. R. Stevens, and her body laid to rest in Eureka cemetery to await the resurrection of the just. The survivors are her husband, Mr. J. T. Robinson, her two sons, Mr. W. B. D. Robinson and Mr. J. M. Robinson, and her two daughters, Mrs. W. B. D. Robinson and Mrs. J. M. Robinson.

Strayed.

From my place, one dark red sow, unmarked, medium size; will give liberal reward for information as to her whereabouts.

J. D. WATERS,

Grimsdale, Ga.

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Box Supper at Snapp's.

There will be a box supper at Snapp's school house on Friday night, March 27th, the proceeds to be used in erecting the school room. The public is earnestly requested to lend their assistance by their patronage.

FLORAL AUTO PARADE TO MAKE OLD SAVANNAH GLAY

Hundreds of Beautifully Decorated Machines Enter

A floral auto parade, the first ever held in South Georgia, and in all likelihood the best ever held in Georgia, will be one of the features of the festivities accompanying the meeting of the National Drainage Congress at Savannah, April 22-26.

Literary prizes will be offered for the most attractively decorated automobile or float. Many entries have already been made from Savannah automobilists and from the inquiries received it is apparent that many other Georgia towns will have representatives competing for the honors of the occasion. Paper flowers, as well as the natural ones, will be lavishly used for decorations. Out of town motorists can make up their designs at home, bring the decorations with them on the trip to Savannah, and adjust them on the morning of the parade. The judges will probably be the Governors of Georgia and adjacent states. Many of the chief executives of southern states are expected to attend the congress, and from among them the judges will be chosen.

The latter part of April is the ideal time of the year in Georgia's seaport. The weather then rivals the best that Italy or California offer at any season of the year. The scheduled to Tybee Island, Georgia's noted seaside resort, is favorable for those who wish to enjoy a few hours in the bracing atmosphere of the ocean and visit Fort Screven, one of Uncle Sam's most powerful defenses against invasion. Fishing in the waters will be at its prime, boating invites those who love the sport, and two hundred miles of the south's finest shaded highways entice the autoist and motorcyclist. Men of prominence in public life and business affairs will gather for the congress. From Europe will come several engineers of note, among them Sir William Willcocks, whose work in the construction of the great Assuan Dam across the Nile in Egypt, the world's most colossal work of that nature, has won him international fame. The importance of drainage is becoming more apparent from day to day, especially in Georgia, Florida and the Carolinas, with their great low, unclaimed areas, susceptible of vast agricultural possibilities. The congress will be productive of a wondrous stimulus in that direction.

All the railroads have recognized the greatness of the congress by granting a three cent rate for the round trip from all points south of the Ohio and east of the Mississippi, or the entire southeast section of the country, tickets going on sale April 20 for three days, and good to return until April 30, permitting visitors to spend a week or more in Savannah. The multiplicity of delegates in various ways, and the city will wear a gala air.

GEIGER HOTEL

Homer F. Geiger

Steam Heat Running Water Elevator Service Located in Center of Business District

First-Class Restaurant—Reasonable Rates

No. 111 EAST Broughton Street, SAVANNAH, GEORGIA.

"WHAT ABOUT YOURS?"

It's a mighty good time to have your EASTER CLEANING done. We are better prepared than ever to give you perfect satisfaction. Get with the majority; let us do your work. It means something to have experts do your work. If you don't think so, ask those who have tried us. They are not hard to find—they are all around you.

STATSBORO DRY CLEANING CO.

South Main and Vine Streets, Opposite Postoffice, Telephone No. 18.

Bank of Statesboro

At Close of Business Feb. 25th, 1914.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$218,733.61
Overdrafts	8.69
U. S. Bonds	1,000.00
Bank Building	30,000.00
Other Real Estate	10,125.21
Furniture and Fixtures	3,277.01
Cash on Hand and with Other Banks	142,508.44
	\$405,634.36
LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock	\$75,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	6,502.64
Deposits	274,131.72
	\$405,634.36

W. S. PRETORIUS & COMPANY

BANKERS J. A. BRANNEN

Capital and Deposits \$42,426.33
Cash on hand and in Banks \$7,775.23
Individual Liability \$100,000.00
Borrowed Money NONE

I, J. G. Watson, Cashier of the above bank, do hereby certify that the above is a true statement of the condition of this bank.

I, T. J. Denmark, hereby certify that I have made a careful examination of the bank of W. S. Pretorius & Company, and find the above statement to be true and correct.

Deposits received, and accommodations extended to our customers. We sell New York exchange and do a general banking business. We will allow 6 per cent interest on a limited amount of time deposits made with us for one year, and deposited during January, February and March.

Mr. J. O. Ingals Dead

Our readers will remember an article announcing the extreme illness of Mr. J. O. Ingals with Bright's disease. He was so desperately ill that death came to his relief Wednesday night. Mr. Ingals came to Statesboro several years ago from Pennsylvania and began soliciting insurance, in which business he continued until his sickness prevented further work. He was a quiet, gentlemanly fellow, unassuming in his manners, and with an eye to business. He was related to his family connections, and no one here knows whether he had any relatives or not.

Mr. Ingals had been boarding with Mr. L. M. Mikel, on Grady

street, for quite awhile, and it was at Mr. Mikel's home that he passed away.

The funeral services were held at the home and were conducted by Rev. L. A. McLaughlin, pastor of the Presbyterian church. The remains were interred in East Side cemetery last Friday.

Public Announcement.

I take this method of saying that I have made up my mind to enter the race for representative in the lower house of the General Assembly of Georgia in the August primary. As soon as the county primary is over, I will put out my formal announcement, stating my position on public questions now before the people.

Respectfully, J. H. MILLER.

Comparative Statement of the Condition of

First National Bank,

STATSBORO, GA.,

March 4th, 1914.

Condensed From Report to Comptroller of the Currency

RESOURCES	MARCH 4, 1913	MARCH 4, 1914
Loans & Discounts	\$166,933.44	\$202,612.24
Overdrafts	92.52	930.86
Real Estate	13,000.00	13,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures	2,517.50	2,517.50
U. S. Bonds	12,500.00	50,000.00
Cash on hand, in other Banks & with U. S. Treas.	21,269.18	77,950.76
Total	\$215,412.64	\$347,011.36
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	19,668.97	25,082.23
Nat'l Bank Notes Outstanding	12,500.00	50,000.00
Deposits	118,243.67	221,929.13
Bills Payable	15,000.00	NONE
Total	\$215,412.64	\$347,011.36

JUDGE SPEER NOT BE EXONERATED

Report is That the Committee Will Probably Censure Him.

Augusta, Ga., March 28—A Washington special to the Augusta Chronicle says: Judge Emory Speer's statement that he would "not be unwilling" to accept retirement if the house judiciary committee withdrew the charges against him is disregarded by the Webb committee, it was said Thursday.

The impression is gaining ground in Washington in official circles that the subcommittee may not recommend impeachment proceedings, but may, instead, present a report to the full committee, severely criticizing Judge Speer for his conduct on the bench.

It is said that Mr. Volstead, the republican member of the committee, will certainly not assign a report recommending impeachment; that Chairman Webb is strongly in favor of a report censuring Judge Speer for certain of his acts. In the event that impeachment is decided upon, Mr. Webb will be designated by the house to conduct the prosecution before the bar of the senate.

This much is assured, however, the subcommittee will not exonerate Judge Speer in full. Some of the charges against him may be reported upon as having been unjustified; others may be reported upon as entirely warranted, though not sufficient to justify an impeachment process. It is believed that the charge of arbitrary and oppressive conduct will be reported upon as having been substantially proven.

The plan of retirement, it is stated, has never met with favor from the committee, and will not be given any consideration at all. The committee will probably render its report within the next seven or eight days.

DRAMATIC CLUB WILL PRESENT NEW PLAY

"Her Gloves," a Farce Comedy, Will Be Given in April.

The dramatic club will present to the people of Statesboro a new play about the middle of April. The exact date has not been set. This announcement is to put you on notice that you have something good to look forward to.

This is the second play the club will give, and they are doing all in their power to make it a better one than "To, Mac, Brown." All who saw the first play were pleased with the local talent, and will be glad to know that another will be given.

"Her Gloves" is a farce comedy in three acts, and one stage setting, full of fun and possessed with a novel plot. Be sure to see it. The cast is as follows: Misses Lucy Birch, Wilfred Parker, Ruth Lester, Annie Oliff and Mary Beth Smith. Messrs. Walter Johnson, Edwin Groover, Hubert Jones, R. H. Kingery and Harold Meyer.

In the next issue a short sketch will be given and the cast each character's portraits. The club is a branch of the civic league, a part of the proceeds to go to school athletics. So the people of Statesboro should certainly back the club in all their efforts to make this production a greater success than the first.

Big Revival at the Baptist Church.

What is without question, the most successful revival meeting ever had in Statesboro, and in Bulloch county for that matter, is now in progress at the Baptist church in this city.

The pastor is being assisted by Dr. J. H. Dew, of Kansas City, Mo. Mr. Dew is accompanied by Mrs. Dew who has charge of the music in the meeting.

The large church auditorium as well as the Sunday School room are filled to their capacity at each evening service. The interest in the meeting has been steadily increasing and scores of people are being added to the church. Dr. Dew was pastor of the Baptist church here twenty-four years ago, when he came here with his bride and took up the ministry in Bulloch county. He was then living in South Carolina, but since leaving here took up the evangelistic work and has been traveling all over the country. He is a strong and forceful preacher, with fine delivery and a sweeping knowledge of the scriptures attracts the wonder and admiration of his hearers. There is nothing sensational about his preaching—just a plain, earnest presentation of truth as he finds it in God's book, relying upon that, as used of God, in the salvation of souls.

As the meeting progresses the interest seems to increase. One of the most powerful and touching sermons ever heard in Statesboro was the one delivered this morning, when the subject was, "Our Wives and Mothers." Hardly an eye was dry in the great congregation that filled the church to its full capacity. At the conclusion of the service, Mrs. Dew sang the song entitled, "My Mother's Beautiful Hands." It was a touching finale to the scene which had preceded it.

Dr. and Mrs. Dew have many strong friends here who knew them twenty years ago, and they have added many more by their visit in our midst. All about seventy-five additional have been made to the church, and many more are expected.

OUR OCCUPATION IS SELLING PURE DRUGS
4,450,346 AGRICULTURAL LABORERS
3,793,555 MALES
5,657,791 FEMALES
FOLLOWING THE FLOW

Follow Our Weekly Ads AND LEARN WHERE THE WOMEN DO THE WORK ALSO Follow Our Suggestions To Come Here for Everything Needed in the Drug Line

LIVELY'S DRUG STORE

Eggs For Sale. Young Man Given 6 Months.

From Cook & Kellerstrass strain, America's largest breeders of white Orpingtons, first prize winners, at \$2.00 and \$3.00 per fifteen. Eggs from Fishel strain; white Plymouth Rocks at \$2.00 for fifteen; eggs from my first prize-winning White Leghorns at \$1.50 per fifteen. S. C. Bonatons, 1111 and Zetterower Ave., Statesboro, Ga.

Gordon Alderman, a young white boy, piled guilty to a charge of assault and battery in the city court this Wednesday morning, and was given a sentence of six months on the state farm. Judge Strange, however, gave his consent to suspend the sentence in the case if his uncle would take him out on his farm and look after him. The boy promised to do better if allowed this privilege.

Spring: Coat: Suits and Easter Dresses



We have just received some late shipments of SPRING SUITS, on which we will make special prices, as they are a little late.

These suits are made by New York's latest styles, and you should see them before buying

IN ONE-PIECE DRESSES

We are showing a wide selection, including early shipments in white and the new wash fabrics.

Our stock of DRESS GOODS, with LACES AND TRIMMINGS TO MATCH, is very complete, and you will find the very newest things at our counters.

When you are selecting your EASTER HAT don't forget our MILLINERY DEPARTMENT. This department is full of NEW SPRING and EASTER OFFERINGS, and our prices will be t

Thompson's Glove-Fitting Corset, The Red Cross Shoe, and McCall's Patterns.

Sole Agents for

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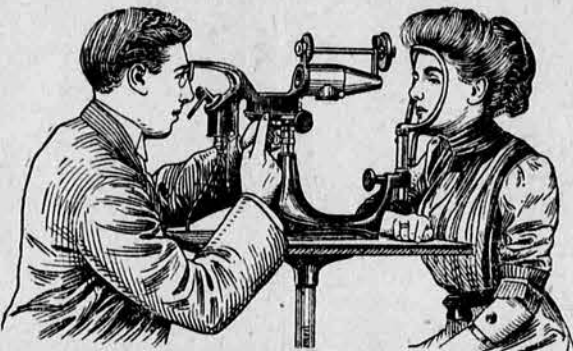
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Don't Miss This Opportunity
Of having Prof. Lieber test your eyes with the wonderful Eye Testing Machine shown in the picture at the left, through which he looks at your eyes and correctly discovers the exact focus power of spectacles you need without asking you a single question.

Mr. J. H. Scarborough,
(Former Citizen of Bulloch County, now City Clerk of Moultrie), says:
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HOST OF PUBLIC MEN WILL BE AT DRAINAGE CONGRESS

Southern Coast States Will Have Their Governors on Hand Then.

Savannah, Ga., March 30.—Governors gathered, united senators not a few, congressmen from several states, railroad men of prominence, high department officials from Washington, engineers of international fame, state commissioners of agriculture from probably all the southern states, together with hundreds of business men of large affairs, will gather at Savannah April 22-25, in one of the most important conventions of the year, that of the National Drainage Congress, whose sole purpose is the stimulation of public interest in the drainage of the great swampy areas and lowlands of the country.

Naturally this congress is of supreme importance to the south, and more especially to the coast of states extending from the Potomac to the Rio Grande, each of which has within its borders many hundreds of thousands of acres of rich lands which, if reclaimed, will yield the largest crops known in the world's history.

NEGROES SENTENCED TO HANG GET RESPITE

By an appeal to the state supreme court the execution of Robert Paschal, William and George Hart, three Jefferson county negroes, under sentence to be hanged in the Fulton county jail on Friday for the murder of Mrs. Setts Liberty, of Louisville, has been automatically stayed.

These negroes were tried in the Fulton superior court because of the feeling against them in Jefferson county. They were convicted of first degree murder, and Judge B. H. Hill sentenced them to be hanged. The appeal to the supreme court was filed by Attorney Hugh Howell.—Atlanta Journal.

The seven hundred or more delegates and guests of the congress will be cordially entertained by the municipality of Savannah and its business men. A sea trip on an ocean steamer, an inspection of the strong coast fortifications at Fort Screven, on Tybee Island, with a dress parade of the garrison and military concert and a fish dinner will be among the features arranged for them. For the general public a magnificent floral parade, the first ever held in Georgia, and other popular amusements are being arranged. In appreciation of the importance of the congress and its work to the south, all railroads have granted the cheapest rates possible for the occasion, giving the delegates and visitors from a week to ten days' stay in Savannah.

Telephone Notice
Subscribers who have not already been supplied with directories will please call at our office and get one. The latest was March 15th.

DORSEY IS WORKING HARD ON FRANK CASE

Solicitor Will Vigorously Resist Attorney's Motion for New Trial.

Solicitor General Hugh M. Dorsey, despite his refusal to discuss recent developments in the Leo M. Frank case, is known to be preparing evidence with which to fight the extraordinary motion for a new trial which attorneys for the defense will file in the criminal division of the superior court. Although actively engaged in the prosecution of routine criminal cases each morning, he is devoting his afternoons to work on the Frank case.

City Detectives Starnes and Campbell, who have been working practically under his direction since long before the trial, consult with him each day. Two of the big points of the defense in its coming motion will be the attack on the solicitor's theory that the fair found on the lake in the metal room was that of the slain girl, Mary Phagan, and the contention that the murder notes could not have been written in Frank's private office, as Jim Conley claims.

The solicitor is carefully preparing to fight these two points, and many witnesses are said to have been interviewed by the two detectives. When it became known that the state's expert, Dr. H. F. Harris, had made a microscopic examination of the hair and decided it was not Mary Phagan's, the solicitor stated that in this matter he did not consider the opinion of the physician of value, and asserted he still believed the hair to be Mary Phagan's.

To combat the contention of the defense, he will have the testimony of several experts. It is said, who will swear that a microscopic examination of hair is not of greater value than a visual examination.

HEAVIEST REGISTRATION IN HISTORY OF COUNTY

What is the heaviest registration of Bulloch county white voters in the history of the registration law is recorded by a glance at the books in the office of the ordinary, in the courthouse. The books show up to today a total of 15,751 names. The registration is as follows:

44th	296
45th	298
46th	131
47th	249
48th	211
49th	969
50th	207
51st	257
52nd	244
53rd	297
54th	197
55th	174
56th	283
Total	3,871

Know Paint

There's a paint education in this advertisement. Buy by the job, not gallon. Buy by the paint pot; that's the job. The price of painting is so much a gallon; that can't be helped, but amounts to nothing. The price of painting is so much a gallon; that can't be helped, but amounts to nothing. Buy by the job, not gallon. Buy by the paint pot; that's the job. Buy by the job, not gallon. Buy by the paint pot; that's the job.

Senator West Will Run If People Wish Him to

A statement that he would run for the unexpired term of the late Senator Bacon if the people of South Georgia wanted him to, was made in Atlanta on Friday by Senator William S. West, on his way from Washington, to his home in Valdosta, Ga.

Senator West is understood to be making his brief visit home for the purpose of sounding the sentiment of the people of the state in regard to the senatorial race.

While here it is believed that he will confer with Governor Slaton, and that they will decide which of them will announce for the unexpired term.

Senator West is said to have made the statement that he would not oppose Governor Slaton should the latter announce. It is generally believed that Governor Slaton will make the race.—Atlanta Journal.

Attempted Suicide at Metter

On Sunday afternoon, at their home near Metter, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Lanier made an unsuccessful attempt at suicide. The young lady is said to have expressed a desire to attend a singing school somewhere in the neighborhood. When permission was refused by the parents, the girl went to her room and swallowed the contents of a small vial of carbolic acid. Fortunately, the family learned of the deed at once, and a physician was secured in a few minutes. Treatment was given her at once, and at last accounts it was hoped the victim would recover.

In this issue appears the announcement of Mr. G. A. Lewis, who enters the race for county commissioner in the May primary. Mr. Lewis is one of the solid farmers of the Bay District, and will make a good race. If elected he will make a splendid commissioner.

Tax Receiver's Appointments

THIRD AND LAST ROUND.
I will be at the places named on the dates and hours specified, for the purpose of receiving tax returns, as follows:

In Statesboro during week of city court.
Monday, April 6, J. N. Futch's mill 8 a. m.; Z. T. Bennett's 9 a. m.; P. A. Hagin's 10 a. m.; B. D. Hodges at noon; W. B. DeLoach's 3 p. m.; H. B. Wilkinson's 4 p. m.

Tuesday, April 7, Court ground 8 a. m.; G. W. Bowen's store 9 a. m.; Adelle's 11:30 a. m.; Joshua Everett's store 2 p. m.; Register 4:30 p. m.

Wednesday, April 8, Palaski's 8 a. m.; Parish 10 a. m.; Metter 12 m.; court ground 12:30 district 5 p. m.; Berrian Cobb's at night.

Thursday, April 9, DeLoach's mill 8 a. m.; Aaron Stanton 10 a. m.; Port 2 p. m.; court ground 4th district 4:30 p. m.

Friday, April 10, D. C. Finch's store 8 a. m.; Mallard's mill 10 a. m.; Lane's store 12 m.; court ground 1:45th district 3 p. m.; Colfax 5 p. m.

Saturday, April 11, Jims 8 a. m.; Kennedy's store 10 a. m.; Kral (old stand) 12 m.; J. C. Denmark's 2 p. m.; at home at night.

Monday, April 13, J. S. Glisson's 8 a. m.; Olney 10 a. m.; Ivanhoe 12 m.; Hubert 2 p. m.; Solon 5 p. m.

Tuesday, April 14, Aroha 8 a. m.; Brooklet 10 a. m.; Knight's store 2 p. m.; Tom Lee's 4 p. m.

Wednesday, April 15, Thompson's store 8 a. m.; Morris' store 9:30 a. m.; W. H. Sharp's 11 a. m.; Miller's store 12 m.; court ground 4th district (old stand) 3 p. m.; Clito 5 p. m.; Eureka at night.

Thursday, April 16, Grimshaw 9 a. m.; Preoria 11 a. m.; court ground 12:30th district 1 p. m.; Berrian Davis' 2 p. m.; M. J. McEwen (old stand) 5 p. m.

Friday, April 17, M. J. McEwen's store 8 a. m.; John Atkins' 11 a. m.; C. P. Bird's 2 p. m.; at home at night.

Saturday, April 18, Court ground 12:30th district.

In Statesboro superior court week. I will be glad to meet the people by special appointments at any place along my route. Yours respectfully, J. D. McEwen, T. R. B. Co., Ga.

Can Get Good Experts in Bulloch

We notice through the columns of the daily papers that Congressman Chas. G. Edwards has applied to the National Department of Agriculture asking that an expert on watermelon growing be sent to instruct the planters of Bulloch county how to grow watermelons. Now if the department takes a notion to look upon this request favorably we would suggest that they look into the material Bulloch county has to offer them in the way of experts. We have a number along the

Savannah & Statesboro Railway who can teach these government experts and give them caris and spades both, as the old saying goes. If the government wants to employ an expert on melon growing we refer them to such men as J. E. Brannen, J. L. Hutchinson, R. H. Goe, H. M. Robertson, and hundreds of others along the line of the Savannah & Statesboro Railway. These people don't only know how to grow lots of melons to the acre, but they know how to grow great big sweet flavored melons. When it comes to melon raising Bulloch county yields to no county in the world.

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CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION

Bank of Statesboro

Statesboro, Ga.
At Close of Business Feb. 25th, 1914.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$218,735.61
Overdrafts	8.09
U. S. Bonds	1,000.00
Bank Building	30,000.00
Other Real Estate	10,115.21
Furniture and Fixtures	3,277.01
Cash on Hand and with Other Banks	142,598.44
	\$405,634.36
LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock	\$75,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	6,502.04
Deposits	274,131.72
	\$405,634.36

W. S. PRETORIUS & COMPANY

W. S. PRETORIUS, J. A. BRANNEN, J. J. DEAN, J. G. WATSON, Cashier.
Capital and Deposits \$12,129.93
Cash on hand and in Banks \$7,775.33
Individual Liability \$100,000.00
Borrowed Money NONE
STATESBORO, GA., Jan. 2, 1914.
I, J. G. Watson, Cashier of the above bank, do hereby certify that the above is a true statement of the condition of this bank.
J. G. WATSON, Cashier.
I, T. J. Denmark, hereby certify that I have made a careful examination of the bank of W. S. Pretorius & Company, and find the above statement to be true and correct.
Former Bank Examiner.

Deposits received, and accommodations extended to our customers. We sell New York exchange and do a general banking business. We will allow 6 per cent interest on a limited amount of time deposits made with us for one year, and deposited during January, February and March.

First National Bank,

STATESBORO, GA.,
March 4th, 1914.
Condensed From Report to Comptroller of the Currency

RESOURCES	MARCH 4, 1913	MARCH 4, 1914
Loans and Discounts	\$166,933.44	\$202,612.24
Overdrafts	92.52	990.86
Real Estate	13,090.00	13,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,517.50	2,517.50
U. S. Bonds	12,500.00	50,000.00
Cash on hand, in other Banks & with U. S. Treas.	21,209.18	77,950.76
Total	\$215,412.64	\$347,011.36
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	19,668.97	25,682.23
Nat'l Bank Notes Outstanding	12,500.00	50,000.00
Deposits	118,243.67	221,929.13
Bills Payable	15,000.00	NONE
Total	\$215,412.64	\$347,011.36

GOV. SLATON TO RUN FOR SENATE

For Unexpired Term of Late Senator Bacon

Atlanta, April 4.—Gov. John M. Slaton tonight announced that he would make the race for the United States Senate to fill the place made vacant by the death of Augustus Bacon, after learning that Senator West, who fills the place by appointment, had issued a statement to the effect that he would not be a candidate. His decision was announced after holding an informal conference with a number of friends for some time at his executive office in the capitol.

Entering the reception room, where the reporters were assembled awaiting his statement, he said: "Well, you can state for me that I have decided to make the race for the unexpired term of the late Senator A. O. Bacon."

Only a few minutes before this announcement Senator W. S. West, on the eve of his departure to Washington to resume his duties there, had met the newspaper men and told them he would not be a candidate.

The withdrawal of Senator West and the announcement of the Governor did not come in the nature of a surprise. Friday Governor Slaton stated that his decision depended upon Senator West, and that if the senator ran he would not be in the race, and that he would give the South Georgian his support.

Senator West decided today, however, that he could not get the united support of the southern part of the state and under the circumstances he could not expect to run without quitting his duties at the capitol and devoting his entire attention to his race here. Senator West has always been noted for sticking to his post, and he felt that the situation at Washington was such that he could not spare enough time for his campaign in Georgia. In his statement tonight he said that he did not make the race mainly because he lacked the support of South Georgia.

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Registration Closed—The Heaviest in History.

The books of the county registrar were closed for the October election today at noon. It is estimated that nearly four thousand names will appear on the list, being by far the heaviest registration ever known in Bulloch county.

Tax Collector Atkins, who is registrar by virtue of his office, is sure that there are still about five hundred white voters in Bulloch not registered. He believes that over three thousand votes will be polled in the approaching primary.

The Statesboro district has between one thousand and eleven hundred names on the list, the city of Statesboro alone having near six hundred white voters registered. The record of the Statesboro militia district shows more white voters than any one of twenty-five counties in Georgia, and the city itself has more registered white voters than the county of Bryan, more than twice as much as the county of McIntosh, and more than a score of other counties in Georgia.

The Statesboro district will poll in the neighborhood of one-third of the votes in the elections this year. This shows the town and county are both building up very rapidly.

Ship your Chickens and Eggs to the undersigned; we will pay the highest market prices for them. Enterprise Grocery Co., Price and Henry streets, Savannah, Ga.

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57,346 DEALERS IN DRUGS/MEDICINES

56,168 MALES 1,178 FEMALES

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Fortunate Indeed
would be the lady who found employment in a Drug Store carrying as large and as well selected a stock of
Fine Toilet Articles and Perfumeries
As May Be Found Here
What An Opportunity
For Gratifying Natural Inclinations!

LIVELY'S DRUG STORE

Shriners' to Meet in Atlanta with Baby Elephant.
Atlanta, Ga., April 4.—The baby camel, recently born at the Atlanta zoo, and christened by Potentate Forrest Adair of Yaarab Temple, will be one of the local mascots of the Shrine, for the big national convention which is coming in May.
The camel is healthy and happy, and is one of the few babies of its race ever born in captivity in this section of the country. Indications now are that the total number of visiting Shriners will far exceed the 30,000 originally estimated.

Spring: Coat: Suits

and Easter Dresses

We have just received some late shipments of **SPRING SUITS**, on which we will make special prices, as they are a little late.
These suits are made by New York's latest styles, and you should see them before buying

IN ONE-PIECE DRESSES

We are showing a wide selection, including early shipments in white and the new wash fabrics.

Our stock of DRESS GOODS, WITH LACES AND TRIMMINGS TO MATCH, is very complete, and you will find the very newest things at our counters.

When you are selecting your **EASTER HAT** don't forget our **MILLINERY DEPARTMENT**. This department is full of **NEW-SPRING** and **EASTER OFFERINGS**, and our prices are right.

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