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"Butinsky" Deal Attends Edwards' Rally

Editor of the Enterprise:
In order that the public may fully understand about the "but in" of the Overstreet speaker here last Saturday, we ask that you kindly publish the following letter:

On last Saturday, July 25th, Congressman Edwards by invitation of his friends addressed the citizens of this and adjoining counties in behalf of his candidacy. This was an Edwards rally. His friends having arranged to give a barbecue and to have a band to entertain the crowd. After the day had been selected, and Mr. Edwards had arranged to be here on the 25th, it was found that the Southern Realty & Auction Company had selected the same date to give a land sale. Arrangements were at once made by Mr. Edwards' friends with the land people so that there would be no conflict.

About 10:30 a. m. one of the land company's officers announced publicly that the land company had withdrawn the greater part of their property from sale, but that beginning at 2 o'clock p. m. they would offer at auction the Hotel property. He intimated Congressman Edwards and his friends for their courteous treatment, after it was found that the date conflicted, and announced that Congressman Edwards would begin speaking in the school auditorium promptly at 11 o'clock, and that dinner would be served as soon as the speaking was over.

About 2 o'clock p. m. the land company's band went across town and played a few pieces so as to get the crowd together. While the crowd was assembling and before the band could start for the hotel property, Mr. Albert Deal jumped upon a dry goods box and began speaking in the interest of Mr. J. W. Overstreet. He was applauded in a nice, quiet manner and told that he had taken advantage of the land company who had furnished the band to draw the crowd. Instead of apologizing for "butting in" he turned to the crowd and said "must I speak now or let them have the sale?" After a good deal of wrangling he graciously allowed the land company 30 minutes in which to complete their sale.

Now, Mr. Edwards and his friends, after they found that their date would conflict with that of the land sale, arranged with the land company for a division of time, and Mr. Edwards sacrificed time in order that the speaking and dinner could be gotten through with as early as possible, so as to give the land people ample time to sell their property.

We understand that Mr. Overstreet spoke at Collins, Ga., on the 25th. It seems to us that the fair thing to have done, if Mr. Overstreet or his friends desired to have a speaker present, was to have put Mr. Edwards on notice and ask for a division of time. Mr. Overstreet has been campaigning for months and has visited Pembroke and vicinity several times. Mr. Edwards for lack of time has only had one opportunity to visit here.

Mr. Deal came to Pembroke unannounced and uninvited, and took advantage of the Edwards rally and land sale to get a crowd. This is a bare statement of the facts and needs no comment.

Respectfully,
J. B. BACON
G. H. LANIER
R. J. HOOD
A. W. SLATER
Bryan Enterprise.

Notice.

The public is notified that Prof. B. J. H. DeLoach, director of the Georgia experiment station, will lecture at the school auditorium, Statesboro, Ga., on Friday, August 14 at 8 o'clock p. m., under the auspices of the Civic League.

Horses for Sale.

I have on hand three good buggy horses for sale. Anyone needing a good horse will do well to see me. Will sell or trade for good ones.
O. L. McElmore.

Congressman Edwards in City

Congressman Chas. G. Edwards, who is in the city a short while Tuesday, Mr. Edwards met many friends here who were pleased to greet him and give him assurance of their earnest support in his campaign.

Mr. Edwards will carry Burke county by a good majority and his friends are urged to rally to his support on August 19 and help make his majority larger this time than ever before.

Mr. Edwards has proven himself to be one of the most active men that has ever represented the First District in Congress and we see no reason why there should be any change. He has done his best and has given good service; no other man could do more, and if he is returned he will be of still greater service to his district.

His opponent says he has not accomplished anything, but he gives him credit for trying and that means a whole lot. When a man tries he generally accomplishes something. Mr. Edwards returned to Savannah on the afternoon train. (True Citizen.)

Campaign Falsehoods

Branded By Edwards

There are a great many campaign fabrications in circulation. Some are so monstrous and untrue that they need no denial. I wish to brand a few of these rumors as untrue. It would be impossible for lack of time and space to "nail" them all.

(1) The statement that I have called my opponent bad names is untrue. I have shown him every courtesy in the campaign.

(2) The statement that I passed a bill or bills for Yankee pensions is absolutely false. I have voted against Yankee pensions ever since I have been in Congress.

(3) The statement that I favor excluding county people from jury duty is absurdly untrue. All of my relatives and thousands of loyal friends live in the country counties. I believe in equal justice to all.

(4) The statement that I have favored Savannah as against the country counties is untrue. No man has ever worked harder for the agricultural interests of our country than I have, which is evidenced by my record.

(5) The statement that only three of my bills have passed is untrue. At least 75 of my bills have passed, as is shown by the record.

(6) The statement that I have received campaign contributions is untrue. No one has contributed to my campaign fund.

Yours truly,
Chas. G. Edwards.

Judge Nash Broyles' Election is Assured

When it was announced that all three of the candidates to succeed Judge L. S. Roan on the state court of appeals were from Atlanta, the people of Georgia and especially the lawyers, were greatly interested as to which one would get the support of his home attorneys.

When it became known that 90 percent of the Atlanta bar had strongly endorsed the candidacy of Judge Nash R. Broyles his friends throughout the state were highly gratified, for they realized that the best judges of a man's character and abilities were his own home folks—his neighbors and daily associates.

In addition to this Judge Broyles has the support of a great majority of the other judges and lawyers throughout the state. Then, it is understood that the people generally are for him because of his firm stand for law enforcement and against trivial technicalities which so often defeat the ends of justice. Well posted politicians predict that he will be an easy winner.

BROYLES A SURE WINNER FOR COURT OF APPEALS

He Stands For The Impartial Enforcement Of All The Laws And Against Trivial Technicalities.

ADVICE received from practically every county in Georgia indicates that Judge Nash R. Broyles of the recorder's court of Atlanta, will be overwhelmingly nominated on August 19, to fill the vacancy in the state court of appeals bench caused by the resignation of Judge Ben H. Hill. There are four good reasons why the voters of Georgia are going to name Judge Broyles for this position. They are:

1.—All three of the candidates are from Atlanta, and Judge Broyles, as shown by the practically unanimous endorsement of the Atlanta bar, is by far the best qualified for it.

2.—Judge Broyles, in his action and utterance, more than any other man in Georgia, stands firmly, like the Rock of Gibraltar for LAW ENFORCEMENT.

3.—Judge Broyles is an old-fashioned, first-class, old-fashioned, non-covered, TRIVIAL TECHNICALITIES that have so often defeated justice.

4.—He is entitled to election for his magnificent action of two years ago in withdrawing from the contest at the Mason convention, for the sake of harmony, after he had run a tie race with Judge J. R. Pettis for the court of appeals in the state primary. His unselfish action on that occasion brought him an enthusiastic ovation, and practical assurance of election to the next vacancy. They are going to give him an overwhelming majority on August 19.

PRESS COMMENT ON BROYLES.
Selected at random from newspapers all over the state, here is what some of them say about Judge Broyles and his candidacy.

"Judge Broyles is against 'Old Technicality,' and when he goes on the appellate bench, 'Old Technicality' will have to get off."—Darien Gazette.

"The endorsement of the Atlanta bar is another unmistakable evidence of the ability of Judge Broyles."—Monroe News.

"Judge Nash R. Broyles looks like an easy winner in his race for the court of appeals. Bibb county will go for him by a big majority."—Macon News.

"Atlanta knows Nash Broyles, both as citizen and official, and Atlanta commends him to the state at large as everything a Georgian should be."—Atlanta Georgian.

AN ABLE AND FEARLESS JUDGE.
"Judge Nash R. Broyles is a citizen of the highest type, a lawyer of ability and a judge of the strictest integrity and fearless in the discharge of his duty."—Athens Banner.

"A man who could be as magnanimous in politics as Judge Broyles was two years ago, is entitled to the confidence and consideration of the people, particularly when this is backed up with unquestioned integrity and ability."—Augusta Chronicle.

"Judge Broyles is one of the best fitted men for the position of judge we have ever known. It is Judge Broyles' position on the TECHNICALITY that will appeal most strongly to the intelligence of the people of Georgia."—Rome Tribune-Herald.

SOME STRONG ENDORSEMENTS.
In a letter to Judge Broyles, Judge Andrew J. Cobb, former justice of the supreme court and one of Georgia's leading lawyers, said:

"I feel justified in saying that I anticipate for you upon the bench of this court a career which will be creditable to yourself and serviceable to your state."

Judge W. E. Thomas of Valdosta, presiding over the southern superior court circuit, wrote Judge Broyles as follows:

"I appreciate the manifestations of courage, fidelity and upright-ness which have marked your career. It will give me great pleasure to commend you to my friends."

The late Gov. William J. Northen, remembered for his state-wide campaign for law enforcement, writing personally to Judge Broyles, on September 15, 1908, said:

"You have my sincere respect and admiration. You are doing great service to the city, the state and your generation."

"JOSEPH P. ROCKMORE."

"Hon. A. S. Burleson.
"Postmaster General.
"Washington, D. C.

"Dear Sir: It has been charged that Senator Hoke Smith, of Georgia, is opposed to the parcel post. I being a friend and ardent supporter of Senator Smith will ask that you write me in detail as to his attitude toward the parcel post has been in the past and greatly oblige."

"Yours very truly,
"JOSEPH P. ROCKMORE."

Mr. Burleson's Reply.
The Postmaster General replied as follows:

"Mr. Joseph P. Rockmore,
"Logansville, Ga., July 15, 1914.

"Dear Sir: I am in receipt of your favor of recent date. I am profoundly astonished that any one should charge that Senator Hoke Smith is opposed to the parcel post. The exigencies of the situation must be desperate indeed when such gross perversion of the truth is resorted to. I suppose the shadow of basis for this charge is found in the fact that Senator Smith once expressed a fear that the department might get a little too fast in increasing the weight limit of mailable parcels—an apprehension shared by others, some of whom are in the department itself."

"Instead of being the enemy of the parcel post, Senator Hoke Smith has been and is one of its most intelligent friends and supporters. In fact, the people are indebted to Senator Smith for material assistance in embodying in the parcel post law the vitalizing provisions which will enable the postmaster general to ultimately make this splendid service so helpful and beneficial to the great producing classes of our country. Indeed, they owe him a debt of gratitude for his faithful carrying out of the parcel post."

"I have said this much in response to your query because it is due Senator Smith that the truth be made known."

"Permit me, in conclusion, to express the hope that this faithful public servant will suffer no hurt because of the circulation of such baseless and unjust statements."

"Respectfully yours,
"A. S. BURLESON,
"Postmaster General."

Protection For Farmers' Organizations
Section 7 of the bill recently reported to the senate, known as the anti-trust bill, was placed in the measure by Senator Hoke Smith, after a vigorous fight, and is as follows:

"Sec. 7. That nothing contained in the anti-trust laws shall be construed to forbid the existence and operation of labor, agricultural, or horticultural organizations, instituted for the purposes of mutual help, and not having capital stock or conducted for profit, or to forbid or restrain individual members of such organization from lawfully carrying out the legitimate objects thereof; nor shall such organizations, or the members thereof, be held or construed to be illegal combinations or conspiracies in restraint of trade, under the anti-trust laws."

The above section is intended to prevent the prosecution of such organizations as the Farmers' Union, which is being in restraint of trade. It embodies the spirit of a bill introduced in the senate in April, 1913, by Senator Bacon, and in the house by Congressman Bartlett and known as the Bacon-Bartlett bill. Since the death of Senator Bacon Senator Smith has put the above amendment into the anti-trust bill which is soon to be passed.



I'm on the Look Out

for painting jobs. Are you looking for a painter? Let us get together and have a talk. I can tell you what it will cost you, can suggest color schemes and will tell you what materials I use. I mix my own paint after studying the conditions of the surface to be painted. These conditions have a direct bearing on the way the paint should be mixed.

I use

Atlantic White Lead

"DUTCH BOY PAINTER"—Trade Mark.

and pure linseed oil. I consider paint made from these materials to be the best.

Let me figure on the cost of the job you have in mind.

W. H. CANNOLES

Statesboro, Ga.

EXCURSION

VIA

CENTRAL of GEORGIA

JULY 12th

On July 12th only, the Central of Georgia Ry. will sell round trip excursion tickets from Statesboro to the following points, at the rates named opposite, giving the purchaser the preference of routing via Savannah, or Augusta in connection with either the A. C. L., S. A. L., or Southern Ry. at these points.

Statesboro to Washington, D. C. and return \$15.00
Statesboro to Baltimore, Md. and return 17.00
Statesboro to Asheville, N. C. and return 8.30
Statesboro to Wilmington N. C. and return 8.00
Other points in N. C. proportionately low.
Statesboro to Norfolk, Va. and return 11.50
Statesboro to Richmond, Va. and return 11.50

These tickets will be good until August 30th, prior to midnight of which date return trip must be completed.

For further information and sleeper reservation apply to Central of Georgia ticket office.

O. W. HORNE, Agent.

SEABOARD AIR LINE

"The Progressive Railway of the South."

Annual August Excursion

TO THE MOUNTAINS and EASTERN CITIES, AUG. 12TH

FROM STATESBORO, GA.

TO

Washington, \$15.00
Richmond, \$11.50
Norfolk, \$11.50

Correspondingly low rates to various other mountain and seashore resorts. Tickets limited for return to reach original starting point not later than midnight Aug. 30th, 1914.

For full information as to rates, reservations, Etc. see nearest Seaboard agent or write

C. W. SMALL,

Division Passenger Agent, SAVANNAH, GA.

The Statesboro News.

\$1.00 Per Year

Statesboro, Georgia., Tuesday, August 11 1914

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Advantages of a Checking Account.

"Do you know that 90 per cent of commercial transactions are made without the exchange of actual cash? This for the two great reasons—Safety and Efficiency. And these two reasons apply as well to the modest business as to the big Wall street operations. When you give your check you do not waste one moment counting money.

"Of greater importance is the fact that your check automatically gives you a receipt.

Bank of Statesboro

Train Poll Shows

Edwards Winner.

A poll taken by Mr. D. C. Beasley and others on the Savannah & Statesboro train last night on its return from Tylas is a straw showing how the wind is blowing around here. It was the regular Wednesday day which is taken advantage of by a great many Bulloch county people. The result was: Edwards 58, Overstreet 13. This seems to be about in the proportion that Bulloch stands on the proposition. When the news reached the Overstreet forces there was a general drapping of the under jaw in this community.

Senator Parrish Withdraws

I wish to announce to my friends that I hereby withdraw from the race for representative in the legislature. The things which I have stood for have been accomplished, making unnecessary further effort along those lines.

With kindest feelings and best wishes to everybody concerned, I thank my friends for their interest in my candidacy. This Aug. 14, 1914.
C. H. PARRISH.

Mr. C. H. Anderson has returned from a visit to his sons in different parts of South Carolina.

Put the Blocks to Hardwick

We hope that our patriots (?) around here who get so uneasy about Mr. Edwards' going back to Washington will apply the same medicine to their friend Hardwick. Edwards has been in Washington a week and yet Hardwick, who represents the 10th Georgia district, is still in the state making speeches in his campaign for the senate. Part of the crowd who condemned Edwards for staying here are supporting Hardwick. The people will reward Edwards for his return to his duty, likewise they ought to punish Hardwick for his refusal to return. What's good for the goose is good for the gander. Why not put Hardwick on the road to Washington.

Horses for Sale.

I have on hand three good buggy horses for sale. Anyone needing a good horse will do well to see me. Will sell or trade for good ones.
O. L. McElmore.

Rev. R. G. Cartin, of Egypt, Ga., will preach at the Baptist church in Statesboro next Sunday morning and evening. Mr. Cartin is a forceful speaker, and the public is cordially invited to come and hear him.

No. 7468

Comparative Statement of the Condition of

First National Bank,

STATESBORO, GA.,

March 4th, 1914.

Condensed From Report to Comptroller of the Currency

RESOURCES	MARCH 4, 1913	MARCH 4, 1914
Loans & Discounts	\$166,993.44	\$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. Tre's	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	25,682.24
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

CONG. EDWARDS' SPLENDID RECORD

Things He Has Done and Helped to Do—At Least Seventy-Five of His Bills Have Passed

Under the leadership of Clark and Underwood, and working in harmony with other Democrats in the house helped to make a Democratic administration possible. Helped to make present Democratic administration a success. Helped to reduce the tariff to a revenue basis, putting farm implements, wire fencing and necessities of life on the free list, thereby saving millions of dollars each year to the masses.

Helped in fight to put cotton bagging and ties on the free list, which saves at least ten million dollars each year to the cotton farmers of the South.

Helped pass the new currency law that takes control of our money away from Wall Street and gives the country an elastic currency which will prevent panics and give better time and better prices.

Advocated amending the national banking laws so that loans can be made upon farm lands and farm products.

Helped to frame the rural credits system, which will mean more money, at lower rates of interest, to American farmers on longer time.

Helped pass the bill that gives government aid—twenty-five million dollars—to public road building, which will give the farmers better roads and relieve them of a great burden of taxes and expense. Has led the fight for drainage, which should be done at government expense as irrigation is done, without taxing the people of the locality drained, as it is a national problem.

Helped pass the Smith-Lever agricultural extension bill, the greatest blessing in years to Southern farmers.

Advocated and worked for the anti-cultural and vocational education legislation, which will prove of inestimable value to American boys and girls and to the whole country.

Helped in the fight for the best possible mail service and cheaper postage as an added convenience to the people.

Helped in the fight to improve and extend the rural free delivery mail service, which means so much to the people on the farms. The First District is literally threaded with rural routes. "Every farm home, no matter how humble, should have mail delivered daily at its door, as what I am trying to accomplish for the farmers of the district."—Words of Edwards in debate on this question.

Made a fight for better salaries for the rural carriers in order that the people on the farms might have an efficient mail service.

Helped create the present parcel post system, another blessing for the farmers and the people generally.

Advocated and fought for the child labor law affecting factories, so that the children will have a chance to get an education and to better health conditions.

Helped amend and protect the pure food and drug acts, which is a great protection to health and life.

Helped pass laws requiring "trust-owned ships" to pay tolls for the use of the Panama Canal.

Has advocated and favors fair pensions for worthy Confederate veterans and their wives.

Has introduced and passed 65 Southern war claim bills, which have been referred to the Court of Claims, and for which citizens of the First District will get the benefit.

Revived and championed the fight for the payment of the Southern cotton tax, which would mean at least eleven million dollars to the people of Georgia and more to the South from whom this illegal tax was wrongfully wrung.

Advocates the repeal of the bankruptcy law.

Worked and voted for the Burnett Immigration bill, which restricts immigration and excludes the vicious and criminal classes from our shores and is of benefit to American workmen.

Aided in passing the campaign publicity act, to prevent frauds and wrongs in elections—helping toward clean politics and to restore "rule to the people."

Helped pass law providing for the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people.

Has advocated and helped to pass laws that will regulate the trusts and monopolies of the country.

Will help regulate the illegal tactics of cotton exchanges and "future trading" along lines that will mean better prices and conditions to our cotton farmers and to the country.

Secured a monument to General Sherman and Stewart, at Midway Cemetery in Liberty county, constructed at a cost of \$10,000.

Secured a public building site at Statesboro, upon which a handsome public building has been authorized by law and will soon be erected at a cost of \$50,000.

Secured a public building site for Waynesboro, upon which a handsome public building will be erected.

Secured experimental city free delivery service for Savannah.

Has secured free city delivery service for Statesboro and Waynesboro.

Has helped to distribute the latest, best and most improved cotton and other seed. Flower seed have been sent to the humblest farm home as well as to the town and village homes.

Gave up his practice to devote his whole time and energy to the duties of the office with which he has been honored. At all times has shown the same kindness and courtesy to the poorest and humblest citizen of the district that he has shown to the richest and most prominent men.

Urged United States Treasury to put out Fifty Million Dollars with which to move the wheat and cotton crops last fall, which gave our farmers better prices and prevented "Wall Street" from robbing our folks out of millions in interest.

He is in thorough accord with the present great Democratic administration.

Favored and helped pass the income tax law that places the burden of taxation upon the shoulders of the rich and powerful, thereby relieving the masses from many heavy burdens that should be borne by those who are more able to bear them.

Believed in the rule of the people. Has always stood with the masses, which is shown by his record.

Has stood for economy, in order that taxes might be held down to the lowest possible point.

Has opposed all unwise appropriations and bad legislation.

Has helped to save millions of dollars each year by opposing appropriations that were without merit.

Opposed Union (Yankee) pensions by his vote and by a speech on the floor of the House.

Opposed the Alaskan railroad bill, because it meant a bond issue which the taxpayers would have to pay, amounting to thirty-five million dollars.

Opposed the movement that was started to reduce Southern representation in Congress.

Opposed the infamous SHIP SUBSIDY and helped to defeat it in the House, which saved millions to the people that would have otherwise gone to the ship trust.

"Subsidies are not in accordance with the principles of Jeffersonian Democracy of equal rights to all and special privileges to none."

Secured drainage surveys of McIntosh, Liberty, Bryan, Edgemoor, Burke and Chatham counties. Agitated the question of drainage until a state drainage law was enacted.

Secured soil surveys of Bulloch, Tattnall and Chatham counties.

Has sent every farmer in the district literature on the boll weevil and on other important subjects which are of interest to Georgia farmers.

Has taken a deep interest in the corn club and other work that has tended to help the farming interests of South Georgia—Savannah Morning News.



What Think You of This for an Occupation? 100 Miles Perhaps From the Nearest Drug Store With its Array of

Toilet Soaps, Perfumes, Lotions, Creams, Powders, Combs, Brushes, etc.

So Essential to Feminine Comfort.

Lively's Drug Store

Can't Support Overstreet

on Narrow Platform.

In a conversation with Mr. J. A. McDougald this week a News reporter asked this question: Having been out of the county for some time I want to ask your opinion of the congressional race.

Mr. McDougald answered: "Why around these state fronts and across the old walnut tree and sitting on the court house fence you can hear lots of Overstreet talk, but as soon as you strike the farmers in the woods the tune takes a sudden change. The people in the country are a large majority for Edwards. Why, I see a great fuss raised by Mr. Overstreet about the appropriations for deep water in the Savannah harbor. Now if the farmers and business men will only stop a moment and consider they will find that they are the chief beneficiaries of that deep water harbor. On account of the depth of the

**PRINCE
OSCAR'S
MORGANATIC
MATCH**

COUNTESS
VON BASSEWITZ

PRINCE
OSCAR

two inches long. It came from the
Colombia, and it is this South American

"The dollar kind."

can get their money's worth.

netting or wire screen.

TO THE
JACOB

ow the right road. | steady, slow

Where do they come from—those flashing
scales of pure pellucid green that often form
the most brilliant part of the fish's armor—
that furnishes the greatest supply of fine e-
merald aids known to the world today.

weighing three ounces and two inches long. It came from the mines of Colombia, and it is this South American republic

can get their money's worth."

to take pride in his
 success he is on the right road.

A Card From J. W. Overstreet.

To the White Voters of the First District of Georgia:

This is probably the last communication I will address to the people of the district through the press during this campaign. I respectfully call your attention to the following matters:

1. Because I have fearlessly discussed Mr. Edwards' record, and called special attention to the manner of appropriating public money by his committee—the rivers and harbors—Mr. Edwards saw fit to refer to me on the floor of congress as a "character assassin."

2. Mr. Edwards denies that he passed a bill for yankee pensions. Elsewhere in this issue I reproduced a copy of the bill he introduced and passed. He said in his Millen speech that it was done in a "perfunctory" manner. There is no doubt about this pension bill being an ex-union soldier. The bill itself says he was in a New York regiment. The copy of the bill is properly certified to by the assistant librarian of congress. How can you reconcile this proof with Mr. Edwards' denial? It can't be done.

3. The "jury bill" that Mr. Edwards introduced in congress to change the method in selecting jurors in the United States courts, speaks for itself. It has been published. It shows clearly how Chatham's share of jurors would be greatly increased to the detriment and proportionate loss and disadvantage to the county, counties; the bill was drawn, and admitted to be drawn, by Savannah lawyers. Mr. Edwards cannot escape responsibility for it. I confess good people live in Savannah; I never have claimed otherwise—but Chatham county, nor any other county, should not predominate and control the jury box.

4. Only three bills have come law in eight years. He side-steps this issue by citing some sixty or seventy illegal "war claim" measures. These so-called "war claim" bills have never been passed in the true sense. The last war claim bill passed that carried appropriations to pay them were February 21, 1905—before Mr. Edwards took his seat in congress. What he claims as passing these bills is merely a resolution referring the claim to the court of claims, where the claimant must file suit, employ counsel, have a trial and get a judgment against the government—all to be done after the so-called passage of the bill. None of Mr. Edwards' war claims have been paid, and none will be paid for the following reasons: Under the law the party whose property was injured or damaged must have been "loyal to the union cause" during the civil war to recover. No one should know better than Mr. Edwards. None of our folks in the 60's were yankee sympathizers, and for this reason their war claim bills are not recognized as valid by the government, and Mr. Edwards has not changed this law by his so-called passage of these resolutions, which, in effect, merely permit the claimant to file suit against the government.

5. The figures as published showing the appropriations secured in the First District during my opponent's eight years in congress speak more loudly than either he or I can utter as to whether or not the country counties have had a "square deal" at his hands. He has secured \$6,000,000 for Savannah and Chatham county, according to his own statement. What

has he secured for the agricultural section—the great producing section of the district?

6. The Rural Credits bill, now pending in congress, most vitally concerns the farmers of this country. That measure provides a means of furnishing money to the rural section at a very low charge, on long time, somewhat after the manner the government now furnishes money to banks. It gives the money directly to the producer—the man who makes the crop. Can Mr. Edwards refer to any part of his record in congress and show that he "has helped" the administration get this bill shaped for passage? It has not passed; it is now pushed aside. So far, he has failed to cite any fact that shows he has assisted in getting this measure through.

7. My opponent has claimed a great length that he favors the separation of religion and government. I most heartily approve of his statement, but his record, his public record, along this line—does not receive my endorsement, and does not disclose that he is sincere in this statement. For several years, each year on St. Patrick's day, he introduced resolutions in congress sympathizing with the effort of the organized Catholic Church in Ireland to take charge of the domestic affairs of that country. Why did he do this these resolutions each year to appear on Saint Patrick's day? Of course the resolutions did not pass. This government would not put itself upon record as two factious with either of the two factions contending with each other in another country, even if one of the factions was not the Catholic church. My opponent says his resolutions did not use the word "Catholic." True. But is there a man in the First District who does not know that the fight in Ireland for "Home Rule" is a fight between the Catholic and Protestant? And his resolutions do say that he sympathizes with those "patriots" who are "fighting for" Home Rule.

8. Our country now faces the greatest commercial and industrial crisis in its history, brought about by the disastrous European war. As to the price of cotton is today not quoted in a single American market. Realizing the great need of immediate action on the part of our government, if the cotton growers of the south are to be protected, a call was sent out from Washington on Saturday, August 1st, to all absent congressmen to return to their posts of duty. Did Mr. Edwards respond to that call and go to Washington, or did he wait? As a matter of fact, Mr. Edwards remained in the First District until the night of the 7th. Did he remain here looking after your interests, Mr. Voter, or was he looking after Mr. Edwards' interest? Why did he finally, after a week's delay, go to Washington? Did he receive another call besides that sent out from Washington on August 1st? He stated in an interview printed in the Savannah Morning News under date of August 8th, that he had not received any requests from his friends in Washington to return. Why then did he so suddenly "catch the midnight train for Washington" Friday night? Did he get back on "the job," the people's job, because of an article appearing in the Savannah Morning News on Friday morning, written by his friends, in which he was severely taken to task for continuing to ignore his official duties, even after the speaker of the house had threatened the arrest of absent members?

9. I have not been able to purchase as much newspaper space as Mr. Edwards, my opponent, but I am sure that the people are not mistaken by reason of that fact. My loyal friends are championing my cause as they are—which will be a matter of gratification to me as long as I live. I feel absolutely confident of my nomination.

10. I wish to state in conclusion that I have held but three offices from the people—the state legislator, judge and congressman. I served from my county in the legislature two years, and did not offer for re-election; I was judge two years, and resigned to serve three months in congress, filling Hon. R. E. Lester's unexpired term. I understand that my opponent has stated that I have held public office fourteen years. He is mistaken—the above includes my tenure of office during my twenty-three years at the bar. My people in my own county were satisfied with my services. Mr. Edwards has complained at me because he says I have done nothing. During my brief service in congress I have done nothing. During my brief service in congress I introduced four bills; I was not long enough to secure their passage. Mr. Edwards re-introduced three of them. He must have thought them worthy. My record is before the people. They knew it in 1906, when they gave me the seat in congress. I have not changed. They know it now.

In conclusion I submit my candidacy with full confidence in the judgment of the people of my district. If you approve my position upon the public questions and issues involved in this campaign, I shall appreciate your support and influence on August 19th, at primary election. Respectfully,

J. W. OVERSTREET.

Sylvania, Ga., August 10, 1914

EDWARDS' YANKEE PENSION BILL.

61st Congress

2nd Session

H. R. 25399

In the House of Representatives,

March 23, 1910.

Mr. Edwards, of Georgia, introduced the following bill, which was referred to the committee on invalid pensions and ordered to be printed:

A BILL

Granting an increase in pension to Samuel F. B. Gillespie.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, that the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to place on the pension list, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Samuel F. B. Gillespie, late lieutenant, Company H, Eightieth Regiment New York Volunteer Infantry, and pay him a pension at the rate of thirty dollars a month in lieu of that he is now receiving.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the original bill of file in the archives of the House of Representatives.

F. D. MILLS,

Ass. Librarian House of Representatives.

OVERSTREET VS. EDWARDS.

Overstreet has a platform of principles; Edwards has none.

Overstreet opposes yankee pensions until provision has been made for the confederate soldier; Edwards introduced and secured the passage of a bill for pension to an ex-union soldier, who was a republican and a government employee drawing a salary of \$125.00 per month. (It was H. R. 23399, and appears elsewhere in this paper.)

Overstreet says give the country counties a square deal, do not discriminate against them in favor of Chatham; Edwards has secured \$6,000,000 for Savannah and Chatham county from the government. How much has he secured for the rural sections?

Overstreet has conducted a dignified campaign, discussing his platform and the issues; Edwards got mad and replied by denouncing Overstreet as a "character assassin" and other nine (7 kinds) of a man.

One of the chief planks of Overstreet's platform is government aid for good roads in the rural sections; Edwards attempted to secure \$3,000,000 from the government for Chatham county roads—from Savannah to Tybee—but

EDWARDS RALLY AT STATESBORO

In ready response to the call of duty, Hon. Chas. G. Edwards has returned to Washington, where matters of gravest importance to the people of the entire cotton growing section are engaging the attention of Congress. On account of his absence from the District,

Dr. A. L. R. AVANT,

OF SAVANNAH,

will fill his speaking date at Statesboro, and address the voters in his behalf on the Court House square Saturday, Aug. 15, at 1.30 P. M. Dr. Avant is well known to the people of this section, and will have some things of interest to tell them.

Metter Concert Band will furnish music.

EVERYBODY INVITED.

COMMITTEE OF FRIENDS.

overlooked the country counties entirely until opposition developed.

Overstreet, when in congress for ninety days introduced four bills; Edwards, who immediately succeeded him, re-introduced three of his bills, and yet Edwards says Overstreet has done nothing worthy, and is not entitled to any political advancement.

Overstreet showed the need of a congressman in Washington at this critical time to give assistance to cotton farm; it was then, when political capital was being made out of his absence from his post of duty, and not until then, that Edwards returned to Washington.

As to Edwards' record, close your eyes a moment, Mr. Voter, and think hard, real hard, and remember if you can, what great public measures have been introduced with the name of Edwards; think, if you can, what is there of Mr. Edwards' record to excite your admiration or merit your approval. Can't remember? Well, then, now turn to the first page of your newspaper, and see what Mr. Edwards "claims" to have done, or "has helped" to do in congress.

Strange, isn't it, that you could not think of it until Mr. Edwards scattered so much printer's ink in all the papers.

Overstreet lives in the very heart of the great agricultural belt. Edwards resides in Savannah. Which do you think really understands better the needs of the great majority of the people of the First District of Georgia?

Overstreet vs. Edwards. It is in the hands of the people. They will choose wisely.

WHO IS BEHIND EDWARDS?

Congressman Edwards says the people are "behind him" in the congressional race. They certainly are behind him right at this writing, and furthermore they are rapidly overtaking him, and it is our prediction that they will catch him by Aug. 19th, and what they will do to him on that day will be

more than ample to retire him to private life, and place Hon. J. W. Overstreet in congress.

Further, it looked to us last week that Mr. Overstreet was "behind him" when he exposed his utter disregard of Speaker Clark's call for all congressmen to return to Washington. He was so much "behind him" that after a hasty conference in Savannah Mr. Edwards caught the train Friday night for Washington.—Millen News.

CONGRESSMAN EDWARDS A GREAT "HELPER."

Have you read it, Mr. Voter? We mean that long list of achievements of Congressman Edwards, which he especially requested all the country newspapers to print on the front page, and to continue in the paper each week until after the primary. Also the same appeal to the people, "We are seeking your aid and support in the primary."

Well, Congressman Edwards claims to "have helped" pass some fifteen or eighteen public measures. Count them. He surely is a well advertised and not overly modest "helper." About all the bills congress has passed he advertises he "has helped" to get through the stormy channels of litigation. He says he even "has helped" get a rural credit system established, when it was well known and universally commented upon that the rural credit bill has been "shelved" by congress, though there is no more important measure to the great producing class of the south.

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THAT HOME RULE RESOLUTION.

Overstreet and Catholicism

No means, foul or fair, have been spared by the opposition in trying to prejudice the people against Mr. Edwards. The latest appeal to prejudice is the circulation of an old resolution, introduced some five or six years ago, expressing sympathy for the "lovers of freedom" who are seeking to overthrow the present government.

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It will depend largely on the governor you elect—whether you choose a man nearly 70 and not in touch with Georgia's affairs, or a man young, active, energetic and progressive, who has served the state ten years and has worked his way to its next to highest position—President of the State Senate.

RANDOLPH ANDERSON has studied and KNOWS GEORGIA'S NEEDS. He is the only candidate who has offered the state a strong, progressive platform.

South Georgia has not had a governor in more than three-quarters of a century. It is conceded all over the State that South Georgia is entitled to the governorship this time.

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Stand By Your Home Man

In the madness of the hour, in the time when you have forgotten everything else except "Charlie and Pat," hesitate for a moment and remember for a moment that you have a fellow citizen in the race for one of the most important offices to be filled in the next November—Judge H. B. Strange, your fellow county man and your neighbor. He is not only one among us, and is entitled to our support from that standpoint, but he is as good if not better than any other man in the race. While it may not be true that in discharge of his duties as Judge of the City Court, he has been true to the people, no pressing judge can do that. But remember if the other fellow had been in his place he would have done likewise.

Judge Strange has made a fair and impartial presiding judge. He has stood by the law as he found it on the statutes, and any man who will not do this is not the kind of a man to put on the bench, where the rights of life and property are at stake. If he has displeased anybody the chances are that it was in the enforcing of the law, as his sworn duty pointed out to him.

Lots of you are clamoring for men to boost home enterprises. Now if you believe this doctrine is good to do it, yourself I am casting your ballot for your neighbor and bringing the office of Judge of the superior court of the Middle Judicial circuit to Bulloch county, and by honoring a Bulloch county man by making him the judge of that court.

Now if some of you were to secure his defeat by casting your ballots for a man in some other county, after it is all over, wouldn't you really be ashamed for your neighbors to know that you were one of the men who did it?

By all means stand by the home folks, especially so if they are as good as the fellow who is from a distance. The chances are that the home folks of the other candidates are standing by their man. Now don't allow the people of the other counties to be more loyal to home and neighbors than you are. Bulloch county has a good one all over the state of Georgia, now stand by that and perpetuate it by casting your ballot for your fellow citizen for judge of the superior court next Wednesday. Vote for H. B. Strange for judge, and you will have done your duty.

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RULES GOVERNING PRIMARY

Speer's Election Is Fully Assured

The Democratic Executive Committee Lay Down the Rules for the Primary Next Wednesday, Aug. 19.

Georgia, Bulloch County.

To the White Democrats of Bulloch County:

As the primary is only a few days off, I wish to call your attention again to the rules adopted by the democratic executive committee of this county, governing the election to be held on the 19th inst.

"No candidate shall be declared the nominee of the democratic party of Bulloch county for any office voted for at said primary when proof has been submitted before the declaring of the result to the chairman of the executive committee, that he used to influence voters for his own money or whiskey."

"Upon all having been made that any candidate did use whiskey or money in said primary, before the declaring of the result, the chairman of the executive committee shall cause not less than 12 hours written notice to be served upon the alleged user, stating the charge, at which time he would have the right to appear and defend his score. If he can not do so to the charge, he will be declared the nominee of the democratic party of Bulloch county."

"To the end that the above rule may be carried out, and the use of whiskey and money eliminated from the primaries of this county, we hereby appoint the members of the executive committee of each district, together with three other reputable citizens who shall be selected by them, the special duty of whom shall be to note and report any violation of the above rules in reference to the use of whiskey and money, to the chairman of this committee."

All white Democrats shall be entitled to vote at said primary who are registered, provided they do not appear to be intoxicated and are not intoxicated, and the managers are hereby instructed and directed not to permit any voter who is intoxicated to vote, and should an intoxicated person be permitted to vote, the same shall be grounds for contest, if made before the declaring of the result."

The rules and regulations quoted above embody the essential points of the resolutions adopted by a mass meeting held in Statesboro on June 26th of this year.

We have on file with us a pledge from both candidates for congress as well as from the candidates for judge of the superior court, that they will not use money or whiskey to influence voters, and that they will not knowingly permit anyone else to do so for them.

We also call your attention to section 45 of the criminal code of Georgia: "Any person who shall give or furnish spirituous, intoxicating or malitiously to any person, in any quantity, within two miles of any election precinct on days of election, either state, county, municipal or primary elections shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

The executive committee from each precinct, together with three other respectable men have been appointed to note and report any violations of these rules or the law above quoted. We call upon all good citizens who wish to aid us in having a clean election on August 19th.

The executive committee has authority to enforce these rules in reference to all candidates voted for in said primary, and we intend to do so.

J. L. BARNES, Chairman Executive Committee.

Evans County Bill Passes Senate

The bill creating the new county of Evans with Clayton as its county seat, passed the senate Monday by a vote of 34 to 6, which was about as large a vote as has been given to any of the new counties created.

Evans county takes from Bulloch about half of the Sink Hole district, running from Adabelle to where the old Savannah, Dublin and Western Railway bed crosses the old M. J. Brown place, thence to where that right of way crosses Scott's Creek, and down the run of Scott's Creek to where it enters into Lot's Creek, which is a point near DeLoach's church, thence along the waters of Lot's Creek to the Catochee River. The new county will have an area of two hundred and twenty square miles, one hundred and fifty of which is taken from Tattnall, and seventy from Bulloch. It is named in honor of the memory of General Clement A. Evans.

Warning

All persons are hereby warned not to hire or harbor my son, Willie ("Coot") James, as he left me without cause, and I want him back home. He is seventeen years old, a medium sized young man.

W. K. HARRIS, Statesboro, R. I.

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Warren Grice Asks You to Continue Him As Attorney General

To the People of Georgia:

I have been serving as Attorney General since April 15th, filling an unexpired term. In order, faithfully, to discharge my official duties I have been unable to make a personal canvass of the State. I prefer to remain at my post rather than seek to further my political interests by making a hand-shaking tour of the State, to the neglect of my duties in this office.

Since leaving Mercer University 20 years ago, I have been engaged in the active practice of law. I ask your support on my record as a lawyer, and on my record as Attorney General.

The duties of this office are unusually important. The Attorney General not only has to represent the State in all murder cases before the Supreme Court, but he is also charged with the care and responsibility of guarding the interests of the State, in various tax cases before the United States courts, and in winding up insolvent banks and insurance companies. The duties formerly devolving upon a special attorney for the Western & Atlantic Railroad are now by law added to this office, and upon your Attorney General devolves the protection of the State's interest in this great property.

Almost daily he is called upon to render opinions on important questions of State to the Governor and other State House officers. From this you see the importance of this office, with the duties of which I have now become thoroughly familiar. If, upon investigation of my record, you believe me worthy and qualified to discharge these duties, I will gratefully appreciate your endorsement at the polls.

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The Best Trained Man

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BLOODIEST WAR IN THE WORLD'S HISTORY

Principal Powers of Europe Are Still Grappling for Power. No Sign of Let Up. Peace is Not in Sight

The latest news from the scene of war, which now covers the principal part of Europe, is that active preparations for a long and bloody war is in progress, with no immediate signs of peace to be seen.

The row between Austria and Serbia over the murder of an Austrian Prince, a relative of the Kaiser of Germany, seems to have been the straw that broke the camel's back, following a long term of years of muzzled hatred between the nations now at war.

Russia took the part of Serbia, which was an inferior power to Austria, and this drew Germany in on the part of Austria. Then Great Britain, France, Belgium and Montenegro joined in the conflict.

The news that has been coming here until lately was all from the English side, and the news from Germany was obtained at great disadvantage, on account of the cutting of the German cables.

There is so much of this war news and it comes so thick and fast that it is impractical for a weekly newspaper to attempt to handle it at all.

Congressional War Hot in Statesboro

In all parts of the civilized world the war in Europe, the greatest and bloodiest struggle the world has ever known, holds the center of the stage in public interest and public discussions.

There is one exception to this rule, and that is, as far as we are able to ascertain, and that exception is the city of Statesboro, where the race for congress, the issue between Fet Overstreet and Charlie Edwards is the sole absorbing topic.

The people care little, if anything, about the little incidents happening across the water. The battles around Leige sink into insignificance when compared to the great Statesboro war.

Men are deserting their business, and engaging in a conflict of words, the issue being who shall be elected, "Charlie or Fet." These people seem to have forgotten that there is no real issue at stake, for forgotten that it's simply a case of the outs against the ins, and as far as the bunch who are kicking up a fuss are concerned it would make little difference which it was. Now, in all seriousness, just measure up the two men, and you will not find a great deal of difference between them. They are both of the same political school; if either were not running the chances are he would be supporting the other one. Now, after the fight is over, those fellows who are raising such a row, will look around and be ashamed of themselves.

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CANDIDATES' ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Representative.

At the solicitation of my friends I take this method of announcing that I will be a candidate for re-election for representative from Bulloch county in the lower house of the Georgia legislature, subject to the action of the democratic primary of August 19th. In doing this I am mindful of the responsibility of my position and I am confident that my friends in the past and present will support me in the future.

Respectfully,
J. M. Slater.

For Representative.

At the solicitation of many of my friends and fellow citizens I have decided to enter the race for representative from Bulloch county in the lower house of the Georgia legislature, subject to the action of the democratic primary of August 19th. In doing this I am mindful of the responsibility of my position and I am confident that my friends in the past and present will support me in the future.

Respectfully,
J. M. Slater.

For Representative.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for representative from Bulloch county, and will appreciate the support of the voters in the primary to be held on August 19th.

Respectfully,
J. M. Slater.

For Judge of the Superior Court.

To the Voters of the Middle Judicial Circuit: Having a desire to fill the office of judge of the Middle Judicial Circuit, I hereby announce myself a candidate for this office, subject to the action of the democratic primary of August 19th.

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New Ginnery at Brooklet

The under signed having bought the ginnery from Mr. Fred Smith at Brooklet, take this method of announcing to the public that we are enlarging the plant, and are now ready to serve the people. We will have a capacity of sixty bales per day, and will treat you right.

T. R. Bryan,
J. H. McCormick,
J. W. Robertson,
W. C. Ginnery.

Play at Arcola

"Capt. Racket," a comedy in three acts, will be given at the Arcola school house on Friday, August 21, at 8 p. m., for the benefit of school. Admission, adults 15c; children 10c.

Charities:

Capt. Robert Racket—a lawyer when he has nothing else to do, and a liar all the time.

Obediah Dawson—His uncle, from Japan, "where they make tea."

Timothy Tolson—His friend, who married for money and is sorry for it.

Mr. Dalroy—His father-in-law, a jolly cove.

Hobson—A waiter from "Cafe Gloriosa," who adds to the confusion.

Clarice—The Captain's pretty wife, out for a lark, and up to "anything awful."

Mrs. Tolman—A lady with a temper, who finds her Timothy a vexation of spirit.

Katy—A mischievous maid.

Tootsy—The "Kid," Tim's olive branch.

Horses for Sale.

I have on hand three good buggy horses for sale. Anyone needing a good horse will do well to see me. Will sell or trade for good mules.

O. L. McNamee.

Gin Notice

We have just rehaunched our gin plant, putting it in best of condition, adding one new gin, making us four 70 saw gins. Thanking the public for their past patronage, we solicit a continuance. Will give your ginning personal attention.

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

First-Class Restaurant—Reasonable Rates

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Ship up your Hides, Chickens, Wool, and all kinds of Country Produce.

Your consignments will receive the most careful attention, and we guarantee the best prices obtainable and prompt returns.

308 Congress St. W., Savannah, Ga.

Umbrella Lost

I lost my umbrella somewhere on the street between the Singer Sewing Machine office and the home of J. W. Williams, on Savannah Ave. Finder will please return same and receive reward.

JOHN E. PARKER, 10 N. Side Court House Square

Jail Delivery

There was a wholesale jail delivery in Statesboro Tuesday morning about 7 o'clock. One red cow with one horn knocked off and one-eyed; one red cow with tips of horns sawed off; one dark cow with white hack, blind in one eye; and one white cow with black ears, black nose and black feet.

Re-ward for information of them: J. W. WATKINS, 421 Statesboro, Ga., Rte. 4.

Mr. J. W. Dutton and family, of Deland, Fla., are visiting relatives in Bulloch this week.

President's Wife

The people of Bulloch county, in common with those of the entire nation, bow their heads in grief at the news of Mrs. President Woodrow Wilson, the first lady of the land, whose death came after a long illness in the White House in Washington last Thursday afternoon. The deceased was a native of Georgia, and first saw the light of day in the neighboring city of Savannah. She was reared in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson, and the first years of her married life of the president and wife were spent in Gainesville, where two of their daughters were born. The funeral was in Washington Monday afternoon and the interment was at Rome, Ga., yesterday. The sympathies of all the people go out to the grief-stricken President in this, the saddest hour of his life.

President's Wife

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President's Wife

Cool Off With Chero-Cola

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A delightful flavor all its own.

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"Unwise to Change"

Statesboro, Ga., Aug. 10th, 1914.
We, the undersigned citizens of Bullock county, most heartily commend Congressman Chas. G. Edwards for his unselfish course in returning to Washington at this time. The disturbances arising from the war in Europe seriously threaten our welfare. Commerce is being demoralized and prices of cotton are being depressed. A man who will sacrifice his personal interest for the public good is worthy of our support. We pledge Congressman Edwards our earnest support in his absence and urge other farmers and business men having the good of our section at heart to do likewise. We further wish to impress upon our people that in our opinion it would be critical time like this when experience and conservatism are needed.

Signed:
R. B. Warnock, W. E. Parsons, J. G. Parrish, A. L. Davis, J. A. Metts, W. D. Anderson, J. H. Newsome, M. S. Scarborough, E. R. Collins, J. C. Denmark, J. M. Donaldson, M. W. Atkins, Ben Womack, J. S. Hagan, H. H. Franklin, D. C. Banks, Madison Parrish, J. I. Waters, S. A. Prosser, J. C. Finch, C. H. Parrish, Jr., Ben S. Mooney, G. B. Johnson, W. H. Anderson, J. R. Lanier, W. M. Robertson, W. J. Bennett, J. B. Anderson, E. M. Anderson, J. G. Brannen, Brooks Simmons, George Rawls, O. O. Bosley, A. B. McGould, H. R. Williams, A. B. Green, C. H. Anderson, D. B. Turner, J. E. McCroon, Bill H. Simmons, W. S. Anderson, J. R. Miller.

Have You Been to Adabelle?

Editor Statesboro News:
I am forever out of politics in our county. Will you allow me to vary the monotonous subject a little. I attend a quarterly meeting at Adabelle last Saturday and Sunday. It was a Methodist meeting, but if anyone could see the difference in Methodist, Missionary or Primitive Baptist there they were closer observers than I am. They were all there and took due interest and part in the services. Sermons were fine, singing was excellent and the order and conduct of the congregation was perfect. All furnished dinner on the ground Saturday and Sunday. Quantity, enough for two such crowds both days and the quality could not be excelled.

Sam and I were entertained by a Primitive Baptist family who could not have shown more considerate kindness for their own favorite members. They have the old-time religion in that community—people care for and help one another and have respect for their neighbors. Singing there is not forced by a twenty foot lever power, but flows forth freely from the heart.

There was a business session of the Register circuit held on Saturday and all the churches in the charge showed a progressive and healthy condition, except the church at Harville which clearly set up the fact that it was operating a very cheap Methodism, only contributing about one-third the amount of other churches to the Lord's cause, and the burden borne by two or three families.

A more important day than August 19th is coming for all the human race.
Respectfully,
Geo. E. Wilson.
A Stitch in Time.
Statesboro people should not neglect their kidneys. No kidney ailment is unimportant. Don't overlook the slightest backache or urinary irregularity. Nature may be warning you of approaching dropsy, gravel or bright's disease. Kidney disease is seldom fatal if treated in time, but neglect may pave the way. Don't neglect a lame or aching back another day. Don't ignore dizzy spells, irregular or discolored urine, headaches, weariness or depression. If you feel you need kidney help begin using the time-tested remedy, Doan's Kidney Pills. For 50 years Doan's have been clearing effective. Endorsed by Statesboro people.
Mrs. G. H. Mook, 48 N. Main street, Statesboro, Ga.: "Whenever my back gives out and I am feeling run down from kidney trouble I use Doan's Kidney Pills and they never fail to bring me good results. My work is made easier after using this remedy. Another of the family has used Doan's Kidney Pills with fine results. We can recommend them heartily."
Prior 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Mook had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

EDWARDS LEAVES FOR WASHINGTON

He Cancels All Speaking Engagements For Duty.

Contending that the interests of the farmers and the public mean more to him than his personal interests, Congressman Charles G. Edwards has cancelled all of his speaking dates and returned to Washington to take active part in making plans for the protection of the cotton growers of the South.

Congressman Edwards returned to Savannah from Metter yesterday, immediately cancelling his engagement for the day and the dates for the remainder of the campaign. Mr. Edwards took the train at night for the capital to aid in formulating and adopting plans for the benefit of the farmers whose interests have been endangered through conditions brought about by the war in Europe. Mr. Edwards said:

"I have been watching the situation closely. I had the promise of some of the leaders in the House to advise me when I am needed in Washington so that I could return. I have not heard from them, but I know that the situation is critical and that my duty is there at this time. I place duty to the public above personal ambition or personal interest, and while my campaign may suffer some by my absence from the district, I feel that I should return immediately and do my share in protecting the interests of our people.

"There is much at stake at this time for the country and especially for the cotton farmers. I have always been loyal and faithful to duty and stated in my speech at Metter that if it became apparent that conditions needed my presence in Washington I would have to leave my campaign in the hands of my friends and rely upon the people to take care of my interests while I take care of theirs. I regret I cannot be in both places. I have been in the district for a short while and would like to be here and wish my speech making campaign in order to deny many false charges that have been made against me and my record."

"I am confident it is to be the interest of my constituency for me to be in Washington at this crisis and hence I am obeying the call of duty in an effort to be of service to the good people who have elected me and entrusted me with their commission. I would rather be defeated ten times over than fail to perform my duty by the people who have honored me."

A BLACK CLOUD OVER THE WHOLE EARTH

Lightning Flashes of Death. A Dreadful Picture That Will Shock Future Civilization.

(Atlanta Georgian)

In Europe millions of men are mobilized for murder. On the long stretches of highway men are marching, Frenchmen into Germany, Germans into France, Russians into Germany, each with but one thought, to inflict death at any cost.

At sea the gray warships wait for each other like great monsters of prey, and even in the air the death hunt goes on. Every home in Europe has its anxious heart, its fear of death. Every noble effort of mankind is paralyzed and futile.

The world waits only for news of great destruction, or of the official statement of some nation that it in its turn has joined the ranks of murder.

Horrible is the picture that this earth now offers to future generations. Men that might live happily and at peace are thinking only how they may most effectively destroy each other.

Fleets that would feed all and millions more are to be made fields of battle and drenched with blood. Seventeen millions of human beings, armed with deadly weapons, may be brought into this horrible, needless fight before it ends.

Of these millions some are old, many millions are young, mere boys.

Race hatred, religious hatred, flame up with bitterness forgotten. The world must suffer long for the revival of these hatreds.

Our own nation looks on in humble spirit. Seeing the nations murder each other, we might well say as John Wesley said of the drunkard in the gutter, 'But for the grace of God there lies John Wesley.'

But for our isolated position, the thousands of miles of ocean that separate us from the conflict, we might be devoting every effort to the murder of others, and sacrificing every constructive power in the work of destroying.

For we are no better than any European nation, if we are as good. We are made up of those nations. They are our brothers, our fathers and our mothers.

And with horror we look on helplessly.

There is no news to tell. Details will be printed in all of the newspapers. Loss of life, destruction of ships, burning of cities, dreadful, infamous crimes against civilization will be recorded. But all of that is not news. The whole story is told in one message—civilization has declared war against itself.

LEM M. PARK FOR STATE TREASURER OF GEORGIA

Lem M. Park now has campaign headquarters in room 151, Kimball House, Atlanta, where a heavy welcome is extended all who call, and appreciating the honor and confidence of the people, he will be grateful for the vote and kindly influence of all in the Democratic primary on Wednesday, August 19.

Lem M. Park is the youngest brother of the late Capt. Robt. E. Park, former state treasurer. He was born in Moriwether county and reared in Troup, in both of which Georgia counties he now has farming interests.

He left school to enter the Confederate service, and is now member Troup County Camp, No. 405, and Colonel on staff of U. C. V. Commander-in-Chief. He is a clean man of integrity and as capable, worthy and well qualified as any who ever held the office of State Treasurer. (Read what others say of him.)

While desiring to meet all voters face to face, yet, by reason of short time, it has been found for Mr. Park to get into all communities, although he has visited almost every county in the state, and is grateful for the hearty assurances of support received through the mails and wherever he has gone.

Under every administration for years the Auditors, Legislative committees and Clearing Houses have found the State Treasury department in the condition, and Lem Park promises as capable, efficient and honest service as any ever rendered.

Ben F. Perry, editor Jonesboro News and the Grady County Progress, at Cairo, will serve as Chief Clerk, which position he satisfactorily filled for nearly four years, is a guarantee of experienced service.

Vote for Lem M. Park for State Treasurer on Wednesday, August 19. And have your friends do likewise.

CLIFFORD WALKER FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL



AN OPEN CANDIDATE BEFORE THE PEOPLE SIX WEEKS BEFORE HIS OPPONENT WAS APPOINTED.

THE APPOINTMENT WAS ACCEPTED WITH FULL KNOWLEDGE OF THAT FACT.

Formerly Solicitor-General Western Circuit. In Active Practice of Law 17 Years.

A member of the law firm of Walker & Roberts, of Monroe. Twice mayor of Monroe. Member of State Executive Committee. Trustee Mercer University and Shorter College. Grand Chancellor, Knights of Pythias. Solicitor-General Western Circuit.

PRESS COMMENTS:
Looks like a winner. His strength is not sectional, but State-wide.—Commerce Observer.
A strong sentiment in his favor has scattered like wildfire.—Waycross Journal.

Cliff Walker seems to have nailed down that Attorney-Generalship in a neat and unmistakable manner.—Bainbridge Post.

Cliff Walker is winning in a walk. He is eminently qualified to fill the place because he has been found on the right side of every question.—Talbott Era.

Cliff Walker is taking the State by storm. He will go into the convention with a great plurality of votes on the first ballot.—Stewart County Independent.

Competent, clean, fine timber for the office.—Waycross Herald.

There can be no doubt as to his fitness for the office.—Camilla Enterprise.

A stainless citizen, always to be found in the forefront of any movement for the betterment of the State.—Cherokee Advance.

Vigorous in prosecuting criminals, yet never a persecutor, his sole object was to see justice done.—Columbus Sun.

The people of Jackson are about as unanimous as his home county of Walton.—Jefferson Herald.

A man of unimpeachable character, a good lawyer and an ideal citizen.—Gainesville Herald.

Mr. Walker is equipped in every way for the high and responsible position which he seeks.—Augusta Chronicle.

Is 35 Years Long Enough To Hold One Office?

If So, Vote For G. M. Roberts

A Confederate Veteran, for Comptroller General



G. M. ROBERTS.

WHAT PEOPLE SAY

I have been intimately acquainted with Mr. G. M. Roberts, who is a candidate for the office of Comptroller General of Georgia, for the past thirty years. He is a good business man, having been quite successful in various enterprises to which he has given his attention. He is public spirited and enterprising, but has not heretofore sought public office, but has been ready at all times to discharge the duties that fall to a private citizen, having been foreman of the Grand Jury of his county several times. Any statement made by Mr. Roberts, touching business or political matters, I feel sure may be relied on implicitly.

Very respectfully,
PRICE EDWARDS, Judge Superior Courts, Tal. Cir.

Mr. G. M. Roberts, of Buchanan, Ga., has acted in various capacities on Grand Jury during my term as Solicitor General of Tallapoosa Circuit, and I regard him a business man of marked ability, fair, honest, capable and I believe he would fill the office he seeks fairly and with ability. I have known him for thirty years.
J. R. HUTCHESON, Sol. Gen. Tal. Circuit.

gree of credit to himself and the state.
W. O. STRICKLAND, Ex-Clerk Superior Court.

We have known Mr. G. M. Roberts for 21 years, personally, served on Grand Jury when he was foreman, and find him a fair and impartial man, doing business between his fellow-men fairly, and believe the good people of Georgia will make no mistake in supporting him for the office he seeks.
JOEL PHILLIPS, Ex-Mayor, R. H. PARKER, Sheriff.

I have known Mr. G. M. Roberts 25 years as a business man and a citizen. I find him a straight forward, businesslike man, worthy the support of the people of Georgia for the office he now seeks. He has lived in Buchanan 37 years. It is the talk of the town he will not lose a vote in it.
JOEL A. ROWELL, Mgr. Buchanan Bldg & Sup. Co.

Advantages of a Checking Account.

Do you know that 90 per cent of commercial transactions are made without the exchange of actual cash? This for the two great reasons—Safety and Efficiency. And these two reasons apply as well to the modest business as to the big Wall street operations. When you give your check you do not waste one moment counting money. Of greater importance is the fact that your check automatically gives you a receipt.

Bank of Statesboro

STATE TREASURER SPEER HAS FINE RECORD

In making up your ticket to-morrow be sure to leave the name of W. J. Speer on it. He is a good man, an old confederate soldier, and is deserving of your vote. He has held the office only a short time and ought to be retained. He has favored several Bulloch county people by giving them the appointment of state bank examiner. He has shown that he is our friend and a friend to the people of this section. There is no better man in Georgia than W. J. Speer, and you will be doing the right thing when you cast your vote for him.

Sheppard-Crawford.

On last Friday afternoon Mr. J. A. Crawford and Miss Veronica Sheppard were united in marriage at the home of Rev. T. J. Cobb, Mr. Cobb performing the ceremony. Mrs. Crawford is the attractive daughter of Mrs. B. I. Swinson, and the groom holds a responsible position with the Singer Sewing Machine Co. in Statesboro. Their many friends join in extending congratulations.

Last Moment Statement

The columns of this issue have been open to the Overstreet committee since Saturday. They have been asked for a statement of their pre-election claims. Their failure to avail themselves of the opportunity is paramount to an acknowledgment of defeat at the polls tomorrow in Bulloch.

An automobile canvass of several districts convinces us that the Edwards estimates are entirely too conservative. The majority for Edwards in Bulloch will reach the 1,000 mark.

Fet's Dying Appeal

Give my fighting face to Charlie, Voters, when I'm dead; When the people put me under. In my little bed, For the race is like to throw me. When that day arrives; Get some countryman to show me How that plow-boy drives. Let me tell you how to treat him Once before I'm gone. In the senate we must seat him By Hoke Smith and Stone, And there he may be leader Ere the sun goes down; Then never more will I array "Country 'gainst the town." CITIZEN.

Comparative Statement of the Condition of			
First National Bank,			
STATESBORO, GA.,			
March 4th, 1914.			
Condensed From Report to Comptroller of the Currency			
RESOURCES	MARCH 4, 1913	MARCH 4, 1914	
Loans & Discounts	\$166,089.44	\$202,612.24	
Overdrafts	92.52	980.86	
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.	21,209.18	77,856.76	
Total	\$215,412.64	\$347,011.36	
LIABILITIES			
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00	\$ 50,000.00	
Surplus and Undivided			
Profits	19,668.97	25,682.28	
Net'l Bank Notes Outstanding	12,500.00	50,000.00	
Deposits	118,243.67	221,926.13	
Bills Payable	15,000.00	NONE	
Total	\$215,412.64	\$347,011.36	

GREAT EDWARDS RALLY!

Tremendous Throng of People Turn Out to Hear Address of Dr. A. L. R. Avant—Great Ovation Accorded Speaker.

If there ever had been any doubt as to how the people of Bulloch county stood on the congressional race that doubt was overwhelmingly removed on Saturday afternoon, when the largest crowd of people that has assembled in Statesboro in three years assembled to listen at an address which was delivered by Dr. A. L. R. Avant, a former Bulloch county citizen who now lives in Savannah.

Notwithstanding the fact that the speaker was not scheduled until the afternoon, by eleven o'clock the streets of the city were thronged with farmers from all parts of county, and in many instances they were accompanied by their wives and other members of their families. The discussions on the street corners and in the stores, on the court house lawn and in other gathering places where the people met and jammed against each other showed a strong sentiment for Edwards—in fact, there was very little else to be heard. Occasionally a lonesome Overstreet supporter would summon courage to raise an argument, but it was a waste of words. The people who had gathered were overwhelmingly for Edwards, and lost no opportunity to so express themselves.

At one thirty a wagon drawn by four horses on which were streamers, "Bulloch for Edwards," carrying the Metter Cornet Band, paraded the streets, through the business section and down several of the residence streets. The crowd being too large for any building in the city, the only thing large enough to hold them was the court house square. Then the great crowd extending its line of humanity far out into streets, rendered it difficult for traffic to pass through.

Dr. A. J. Mooney delivered the introductory remarks, and it was during his introduction that a misunderstanding arose about the presentation of a flag that Mr. Edwards had given the Statesboro Institute through the civic league, but the matter was soon explained, and the satisfaction of all concerned, after which Dr. Avant arose amidst a tumultuous round of applause and began speaking. He started out by paying a pretty little compliment to Mr. Overstreet, showing that it was not his disposition to throw mud. He had no censure for the gentleman from Screven; he thought that the race was a laudable one, and a right that any citizen had coming to him. Dr. Avant then went straight into the record of Congressman Edwards, showing that he had been a faithful and diligent public servant, and had been true to the trust confided to him. There was an occasional hurrah for Overstreet, coming from a crowd of half dozen young men and boys, part of whom not being old enough to vote, but whenever a point was scored the cheering was deafening, and rent the air for several blocks around.

Dr. Avant held the attention of the crowd for something over two hours, and at the end of his address a rush was made for the platform, when he was overwhelmed with congratulations, the scene (Continued on last page)

OUR OCCUPATION IS SELLING PURE DRUGS

67,401 MALES 67,402 BRAKEMEN 31 FEMALES

SETTING THE BRAKES

Notice—Brakman Not Breakman. Don't let some of the thirty-one are supporting husbands, not 'reaking them. The big hat looks suspicious though—must have cost a lot. We have a lot of little things here that cost little. 1001 articles of household necessities needed every day. Let us supply you.

Lively's Drug Store

Strange is Sure A Winner

Bulloch County Candidate Will Sweep Circuit For Judge of the Superior Court.

As the election day arrives, the news from the different counties of the Middle Judicial Circuit indicate a sweeping victory for Judge H. B. Strange.

Of course Bulloch county men are going to give their home man an immense vote, and the majority will be a big one in this county. The reports from the other counties are that Judge Strange will carry Screven by a large majority. That he will carry Toombs by a safe majority, and Vinton by a good size majority. His vote in Emanuel will be a large one and the indications are that he may defeat Saffold there, but this is not claimed, but it is a very heavy vote in Emanuel and will carry several districts in that county, even if he loses the county which if he does will be by a small margin.

Judge Beverly D. Evans who is a judge on the supreme bench, who has been at his home in Washington looking after the interest of his brother who is running for congress in the tenth says that Washington county is in the Strange column and that the Bulloch county man will get a large majority in Washington county.

Mr. E. L. Smith of this city, formerly of Washington county has been in Washington for several days in the interest of Judge Strange. We have it straight from him that his investigations justify the prediction that Mr. Strange will carry Washington county by a good majority.

Strange is very strong in the lower part of Emanuel, he will carry the Stillmore district by a big vote, and sweep several others clean. It is entirely in the range of reason that he may beat Saffold in Emanuel. Of course Bob Hardeman will get a majority in Jefferson, but Judge Strange will get several hundred votes in Jefferson. There seems to be no question about either Screven or Toombs.

There is no reason why any good loyal citizen of Bulloch county should vote against Mr. Strange and it is believed that he will get a majority in every district in the county.

Horses for Sale.
I have on hand three good bays horses for sale. Anyone wanting a good horse will do well to see me. Will sell or trade for good mules.
O. L. McLeMORE.

ANOTHER CAMPAIGN LIE IS NAILED

Denies Was Treated With Arrest—Will Decent People Stand for Kind of Campaign Being Waged Against Edwards?

Washington, D. C., Aug. 14, '14. The opposition are claiming that the speaker issued a warrant for my return to Washington. They also claim that I returned here under threat and fear of arrest. I brand these rumors as contemptible campaign lies. I had no notice from anyone to return, but returned because I felt that I should be at Washington during this crisis. I give below a statement from the sergeant at arms, which is self explanatory.

CHAS. G. EDWARDS.

Statement From Sergeant at Arms Says No Threat or Warrant for Edwards.

House of Representatives, Washington, Aug. 24, 1914. To Whom It May Concern: The statement that a warrant for the arrest of Congressman Chas. G. Edwards had been issued by the speaker, or that an arrest had been threatened for Congressman Edwards' return to Washington is absolutely false and without foundation. It was known that Mr. Edwards was at home in the midst of a campaign. He was to be advised when needed here. He was not advised, but returned when the present crisis arose growing out of the European war. There has been a quorum present all the while, and there has been no warrants issued or ordered issued by the speaker. It is but fair that the charge against Mr. Edwards, who is one of our ablest and best representatives, be denied. Yours truly, ROBERT GORDON, Sergeant at Arms House Representatives.

Mr. B. T. Ousland returned from the mountains of North Carolina on Saturday. He is back in time to vote for Hoke Smith.

Lieutenant J. A. Woods, of the Savannah police force, spent Saturday in Statesboro.