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THE RACKET STORE

NEW FALL GOODS ARRIVING BY EVERY FREIGHT
AND NOW PUT SAME ON SALE

| | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|--|------------------|
| 36-inch Poplins, all colors..... | 25c | 1 Lot Men's Sample Hats..... | 68c to 1.48 |
| 36-inch Ratines, all colors..... | 25c | Guaranteed All-Wool 36-inch Serge..... | 59c |
| Silk Ratines, special..... | 48c | Children's Dresses from..... | 50c to \$1.19 |
| Bed Spreads, from..... | 98c to \$2.98 | Boys' Suits from..... | \$1.48 to \$6.98 |
| 36-inch Standard Bleaching..... | 10c | Best Fancy Ginghams..... | 10c |
| New Lot Linen Laces..... | 5c | Men's Work Shoes..... | \$1.68 to \$2.98 |
| Riverside and Pee Dee Plaids..... | 7 1-2c | 36-inch Linen, special..... | 10c |
| Turkish Towels..... | 19c pair | 36-inch Shepherd Checks, 3 sizes..... | 15c |
| 36-inch Messaline..... | 98c | Malaca Plated Knives and Forks..... | 69c |
| 1 Case Apron Ginghams (remnants)..... | 73c | Iced Tea Tumblers, set..... | 59c |

L. T. DENMARK, Proprietor
Statesboro, - - Georgia.

More About the Fence Law.

Editor of the Statesboro News:
Please allow me space in your paper to reply to some one who wrote on the no fence law. That will do all right for the landlord who has got his own land and gets all he makes and half the poor renter makes. For the renter has got to plant all his crop in cotton. He can't keep hogs up on corn at \$1.35 per bushel. The landlord will hardly let him have enough for a garden and potato patch, much less one acre to keep his hogs on.
And if that law is passed, the renter will be forced to sell his hogs and buy his bacon from the landlord. And if you pass that law, please add some more to it. Force the landlord to give him one acre to put his hogs on, and let the renter have his crop. If he plants fifty acres, let him put half in corn, so the renter's child can eat meat the same as yours.
You say wire is high. It is no higher than wire, my friend. We have been here about fifty years, and this no fence law has just come up. You will never pass that law, my friend, till you disfranchise the renter. Think over these things now, and think if the renter isn't having a tough time as it is.
A RENTER.

Strayed.

On August 7th, one heifer in milk, yellow sides, white back feet and legs. Mark swallow fork and underbit in one ear. Any information will be rewarded.
W. W. BENTON,
R. F. D. No. 6. Statesboro, Ga.
ards received here state that J. A. Brannen and his son, V. Brannen, are spending some in Yellowstone Park. They are to be home about September 8th.

Opening Music House Here.

Mr. H. H. McLean, the representative of the W. W. Kimball Piano Co., is in town, and has leased a building on West Main street, across the street, opposite the First National Bank, where he will keep in stock a full line of up-to-date pianos and organs. Mr. McLean is simply the business manager for the Kimball Co., and will have charge of this branch of their business. He guarantees factory prices, thus cutting out the middleman profit, which will result in a saving to the public. You will find Mr. McLean a clever gentleman to deal with, and if you are in the market for anything in his line, call around and see him.

Hughes-Giddens.

The marriage of Miss Stella Hughes, of Brooklet, and Mr. Frank Giddens, of Atlanta, took place Wednesday morning, at 7:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. H. K. Tanager, at Brooklet. Mr. and Mrs. Giddens left immediately after the ceremony for Savannah and Tybee. From there they will go to Atlanta, where they will make their future home. The bride is the daughter of Mr. J. M. Hughes, of Brooklet, and is greatly admired for her excellent traits of character. Mr. Giddens, formerly of Dalton, has been in the employ of the Southern Express Co. for the past two years and has many friends in Atlanta.

Proctor Family Reunion.

The annual reunion celebrating the passing of the 75th anniversary of the birth of Mr. George W. Proctor, at Statesboro, was held on Wednesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Aaron McElveen. There was a large crowd of friends and relatives present to partake of the sumptuous spread. There are five brothers and sisters in the family, the youngest of which is 72 and the oldest 87. So they were all present.

Program of Union Meeting

To meet with Temple Hill Church Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 29, 30 and 31, 1913.

FRIDAY

10:30 a. m.—Devotional services conducted by W. P. Donaldson.
11:00 a. m.—Sermon by Rev. W. D. Horton.

1:30 p. m.—Organize.
Subject—Why are We Missionary Baptists?—A. K. Richardson and T. J. Cobb.
Subject: What Interests Should Our Churches Take in Religious Education?—J. F. Singleton and Gordon Gutter.

SATURDAY

9:30 a. m.—Prayer service conducted by B. B. Burke; A. F. Joiner, alternate.
10:00 a. m.—Subject: What Interest Should the Churches Take in the Woman's Meeting, and Why?—L. N. Chapel and E. C. J. Dickens.

10:30 a. m.—Subject: Is Foot Washing a Church Ordinance or An Example?—J. J. Miller, W. C. Parker.
Preaching to be supplied.
Dinner.

1:30—Subject: Woman's Work, Objects, Aims and Its Scriptural Authority—Howell Cone, H. W. Burke and S. A. McDaniel.
2 p. m.—Best Method for Building Up Churches, Preachers and Laity.

SUNDAY

10 a. m.—Sunday School Work; General Discussion.
11 a. m.—Sermon; preacher to be supplied.

Will meet the 8:30 train at Clito Friday and Saturday morning. One trip for the benefit of those who can only attend by rail.

Dr. and Mrs. D. K. McEachern were called to Savannah on Wednesday on account of the critical illness of Mr. R. H. Edwards.

Death of Levy Newton.

On last Saturday, at his home near Macedonia church, Mr. S. L. Newton breathed his last, after an illness of two weeks with fever. The deceased leaves a wife and a large family to mourn his loss. He was a good citizen and had many friends who will learn of his passing with genuine regret. The funeral was at Macedonia church on Sunday morning, and was conducted with Masonic honors. One of the largest congregations ever seen in the church at a funeral was present. The interment was made in the cemetery at that place.

Mrs. Alex Waters and Mrs. L. D. Mikel are visitors to Richmond, Virginia.

When in need of good cheap lumber see Pat at the mill.

We have bought a new machine now, and are ready to dress your lumber for you. Rate & Wilson.

For good cheap lumber see Pat. He is the man at J. A. Wilson's mill.

Death of Mrs. Akins
On Saturday afternoon the spirit of Mrs. Akins, wife of Mr. Akins, passed to its maker at their home at Statesboro, after a long illness. The young couple have been married only a few months, and their death was a great loss to the community. The funeral was held at 2 o'clock on Sunday, after services conducted by the pastor in the presence of a large crowd of mourning friends and relatives.

Mr. Jasper Mallard, of the Rocky Ford neighborhood, was in town last Saturday, and sold his entire crop of short cotton at 10 cents a pound. Mr. Mallard says that it may bring more, but it is not yet known.

Mr. W. Horace Waters brought in a couple of states of new sugar cane. They are matured and sweet. Mr. Waters has a fine patch of cane on his farm near here.

COMMERCIAL LIFE INSURANCE CO. SAVANNAH, GA.

Organized along legitimate business lines, conservatively managed by business men of tried and known judgment, the COMMERCIAL LIFE has steadily progressed, content to build slowly, but surely and solidly.

OUR MOTTO:

Safety—First, Last and All the Time
Financial Statement, Dec. 31, 1912, shows:

\$6.49 in Available Assets for Every
\$1.00 of Liability to Policyholders.

The Officers and Board of Directors of this Company have, through long years of toil and honest dealing, won the confidence of the business and financial world, and are today giving this Company the benefit of their time and experience. Naturally, it is taking its place as the foremost Insurance Company of the South.

If you contemplate taking life insurance, you will do yourself and family an injustice unless you let our agent explain our policies.

Mr. C. L. Dunlap is our Local Agent for Statesboro and vicinity. When you see him, INSIST on his showing you our new "G. P. R." Guaranteed Premium Reduction Policy, or write us and we will send him to see you.

FRED C. WALLIS AGENCY,
409-10-11 National Building,
Savannah, Ga.

Arrested for Hog Stealing.

Henry Barnes and Wesley Waters, two well known white men of the Pulaski section, were arrested during the week, charged with stealing hogs from Messrs. J. Austin Brannen and Harvey Alderman. It is alleged that nine head of hogs were stolen at night and sold to Mr. Abe Ellis, who is said to have paid \$25 for the bunch.

Miss Annie Ouliff entertained on Thursday morning in honor of her friend, Miss Gladys Cook, of Atlanta. About thirty of the young ladies of Statesboro were present.

Death of Mr. Hogan.

The news of the death of Mr. James Hogan, which occurred at the home of his son in law at Peachtree, reached here today. The funeral and interment will be at Macedonia church on Monday. Rev. J. J. Cobb will conduct the services. The deceased was a resident of Bulloch county for many years.

THE STATESBORO NEWS.

\$1.00 PER YEAR

STATESBORO, GEORGIA., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1913

VOL 18 NO. 85

Statement of the Condition of THE BANK OF STATESBORO

Located at Statesboro, Ga., at the close of business Dec. 8th, 1913.

| RESOURCES: | |
|------------------------------|--------------|
| Loans and discounts..... | \$178,171 54 |
| Overdrafts..... | 653 87 |
| United States Bonds..... | 1,999 00 |
| Banking House..... | 20,000 00 |
| Other Real Estate..... | 10,015 21 |
| Furniture and Fixtures..... | 2,277 01 |
| Cash and due from banks..... | 181,846 41 |
| Total..... | \$394,964 04 |
| LIABILITIES: | |
| Capital Stock..... | 75,000 00 |
| Surplus..... | 45,000 00 |
| Undivided Profits..... | 18,606 07 |
| Deposits..... | 256,358 07 |
| Total..... | \$394,964 04 |

We invite your attention to the above statement and solicit your business.

Mr. Paul S. Brannen, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Brannen, of this place, was operated on for appendicitis in Savannah one day during the week; the operation was a successful one.

Change of Location.

The undersigned has moved from Denmark to Stilson, where I will practice medicine in the future.
T. L. GROOMS, M. D.

5, 1mo.

Farm for Sale.

232 acres good Bulloch county land, 80 acres of which are in cultivation; good houses and improvements; located five miles south-west of Statesboro. For further particulars, call on or address
R. E. BRANNEN,
Statesboro, Ga., Route 5.

For Sale.

Three lots of land in the city of Statesboro, lying on East Main street, and adjoining lands of R. F. Lester and estate of S. T. Chance; lot 75 feet front, depth 190 feet. For further information apply to
G. L. MIKELL or
S. J. WILLIAMS.
5, 12, 19, 26

Wanted.

To buy a small farm within seven or eight miles of Statesboro, I want to get a one-horse farm, must have a house on it and must be good land. Will rent a one or two-horse farm for standing rent. Let me hear from you, stating what you have.
C. H. SELLERS,
11-20-41, Statesboro, etc. 1

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

First National Bank,

STATESBORO, GA.

At the close of business October 29th, 1913.

RESOURCES:

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Loans and Discounts..... | \$165,825 85 |
| Overdrafts..... | 1,637 89 |
| Real Estate..... | 13,000 00 |
| Furniture and Fixtures..... | 2,517 50 |
| U. S. Bonds..... | 50,000 00 |
| Cash on hand, in other banks and with U. S. treasurer..... | 113,491 03 |
| Total..... | \$346,472 27 |

LIABILITIES:

| | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|
| Capital Stock..... | \$50,000 00 |
| Surplus and Undivided Profits..... | 20,294 67 |
| National Bank Notes Outstanding..... | 50,000 00 |
| Deposits..... | 226,177 60 |
| Bills Payable..... | |
| Total..... | \$346,472 27 |

BARREL OF WHISKEY STOLEN

Two Negroes Arrested for Stealing a Barrel of Booze from S. & S. Railway Freight Car.

As a consequence of a rather unusual amount of glorification going on among the colored population, both male and female, down on what is known as "The Sling," officers got wise to the fact that there was something dead up the brain.

A search revealed the remnants of a barrel of booze which contained 275 half pints, which had been stolen from a through car on the Savannah and Statesboro Railway, en route from Savannah to Augusta.

Son Day and Walter Stewart were placed under arrest charged with breaking a car and taking from it a barrel of whiskey.

It seems that the two negroes, after stealing the whiskey, employed a negro drayman to carry it off for them. The contract was that the drayman was to haul a trunk, but a barrel was placed on the dray instead of a trunk.

On account of the back trail passage directed by the two negroes, the boy driving the dray became suspicious and dumped the barrel of booze.

This necessitated a strenuous

Hon. J. R. Anderson

Operated On.

Savannah, Dec. 9.—Hon. J. Randolph Anderson, who has been ill at the Savannah hospital since Saturday, was today, at 12 o'clock, operated on for appendicitis.

This afternoon it was stated that the operation was entirely successful and that Mr. Anderson was doing well.

It was only yesterday that it was found necessary to operate.

Car Load of Mules.

We have just received another carload of fine farm mules, which we are offering at reasonable prices. You will find us at the Outland stables, where we will be glad to show you our stock.

Respectfully, OLLIE & AKINS.



People judge you by the paper you use. Use our first quality writing papers. You can then be sure that it is right in color, quality and finish. Our inks are also first quality. So is everything we carry in the stationery line. We are always on the move and keep everything a first-class drug store should carry.

Come to OUR Drug Store.

Franklin Drug Co.

Miss Beanie Miller is visiting

Miss Ada Wood, at Adabelle, this week.

Bring us your remnants of seed cotton; we pay the top of the market. E. A. Smith Grain Co., Statesboro, Ga.

The friends of Mr. Bartow Parrish say they will enter his name as a candidate for sheriff in the primary next year. Mr. Parrish was seen by a News reporter this week, and made the definite statement that he would be in the race to the finish.

Holiday :: Shoppers

Will find something of interest to them at our store. We especially call attention to the large and complete line of

LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR GARMENTS

A large display of....

COAT: SUITS

made up in the latest styles, will enable the ladies to make their selections with profit and satisfaction.

While looking around for a suitable present to make for Christmas, you will find nothing better or more serviceable than a nice pair of shoes. "WALK OVER" for the ladies and BANISTERS and WALKOVERS for the gentlemen. Our line is large and our prices will be found in keeping with the line we carry.

We can give some real bargains in Overcoats.

When in town give us a call.

Trapnell-Mikell Co.

This Is Vital to Every Owner OF A Maxwell-Briscoe Motor Car

Made at Tarrytown, N. Y. and
New Castle, Ind., 1905 to 1913

Also to all Owners of Stoddard-Dayton, 1905 to 1914;
Columbia Gasoline and Electric, 1906 to 1914;
Everitt Cars of Any Model; Brush,
Sampson and Courier Cars

THERE ARE THREE
GOOD REASONS why
you should have your car
overhauled now and worn
parts replaced.

FIRST: The garage man
can give you better service
—and you can spare the car
car better now than later.
No matter whether you are
going to keep the car, or
sell or trade it in on a new
one—it will pay you well to
have it thoroughly over-
hauled, worn parts replaced
by new ones and body re-
painted.

SECOND: We are able to
furnish replacement parts
for all models of cars
—makes of cars within 48
hours from receipt of or-
der. Have concentrated this
branch of the business
at New Castle, Ind. (center
of population of the U. S.)
Here we have a \$1,750,000
investment in plant and
stock. 45,000 separate bins
of parts.

THIRD: And perhaps the
best reason why you should
secure your requirements
now—we must increase
prices 20% January 1st,
when the new parts price
lists will be off the presses.

NOW NOTE THIS—Never
before in the history of this
industry has a new con-
cern, having bought the
plants and assets of a bank-
rupt one, taken upon itself
the obligation of furnishing
replacement parts for the
cars it never made.

Maxwell Motor Co., Inc.
1003 Woodward Avenue
DETROIT, MICH.

Note: For quicker service those living East of the Alleghenies can order
from Maxwell Motor New York Co., 13th & East Ave., Long Island
City. From the Alleghenies to the Rockies, order direct from Max-
well Motor New Castle, Ind. West of the Rockies,
order from Maxwell Motor Sales Corporation, 675 Golden Gate Ave.,
San Francisco.

When a little man stands on his
dignity he feels as tall as a two story
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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children
teething, soothes the gums, reduces inflamma-
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Adv.

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are the daily torment of thousands. To ef-
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DIVERSIFICATION ON SOUTHERN FARMS

Corn Crop Peculiarly Adapted to
Soils in the South.

IMPORTANT CROP IN SOUTH

No Such Risks From Frosts as Menace
Farmers of So-Called Corn Belt—
Only Necessary to Pulverize
Soil to Absorb Moisture.

(By G. H. ALFORD.)

The long seasons of the south make
it peculiarly adapted to the cultiva-
tion of the corn crop, since there is
never any risk from early frosts
ratcheting corn as there is in a large
part of what is now termed the corn
belt. The rainfall is sufficient to pro-
duce maximum crops and it is only
necessary to pulverize the soil and
fill it full of vegetable matter and
plant food for from 5 to 15 inches
deep so that it will absorb the rain
and conserve the soil water by fre-
quent and shallow cultivation.

Fertile soil and good seed are es-
sential to success in corn growing.
Without thorough preparation of the
soil before the seed is planted we
have no right to expect a good crop
of corn. If we will only give our lands
the preparation that the farmers in
the central west give their lands we
can, by reason of climatic conditions
and natural fitness for the crop, easily
beat them in production, and the doing
of this is not a question of mere appli-
cation of so much fertilizer per acre.

The results of the experiment sta-
tions seem to indicate that the usual
price of corn and commercial fertil-
izers, the profitable production of corn
on commercial fertilizers is almost a
hopeless undertaking, unless the corn
crop is grown in a systematic rotation
with nitrogen-gathering crops. The
Georgia station says: "That at present
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gain equal to its cost."

WE TOOK THE NAME
MAXWELL solely for the
protection of 60,000 persons
who had bought cars under
that name.

HAD WE CHOSEN AN-
OTHER NAME those 60-
000 cars would have had
no value in the sec-
ond-hand market. As it is,
they have a definite value.
And by the replacement of
the worn parts your car
will be good for a long time
to come.

ANY RECOGNIZED
DEALER or repair man—
whether he handles the
present Maxwell line or not—
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Here we have a \$1,750,000
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1003 Woodward Avenue
DETROIT, MICH.

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Olliff-Thigpen.

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The home was effectively and artistically decorated with Southern smilax, ferns, pot plants and autumn leaves. A color scheme of white and green prevailed in the parlors, and pink and green in the reception hall and dining room.

Mr. J. R. Everett and Miss Maud Olliff assisted Mrs. Olliff in receiving the guests. Mrs. Olliff wore a black chamois with tulle effect, edged with lace. Mrs. Everett was becomingly gowned in a blue broadcloth silk, trimmed in shadow lace. Miss Collins was gowned in a Nile green messaline and wore a handsome string of rose beads around her neck.

The ceremony was performed by Dr. J. B. Brewton in a very beautiful and impressive manner. Preceding the bride and bridegroom came the maid-of-honor, Miss Maggie Olliff, sister of the bride, and one bride's maid, Miss Janie Brunson, both gowned becomingly in hand-painted chiffons over blue crepe medias, and carrying bouquets of pink carnations. Miss Olliff came in first with the best man, Mr. John Bowen, and next Miss Brunson with Mr. Bartow Groover.

Then the bride and bridegroom entered. The attractive young bride wore a handsome traveling suit of blue chiffon broadcloth, with hat to match. At her throat she wore a handsome diamond brooch, a gift of the bridegroom. She carried a bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley and orchids. Mendelssohn's wedding march was rendered by Miss Mary Beth Smith. Truemanir was softly played during the ceremony.

Miss Smith wore a gown of blue broadcloth satin, and wore a bouquet of carnations. After the ceremony, elaborate refreshment were served in the spacious dining room. Misses Minnie Reid Beasley and Ona Powers served. Miss Beasley was gowned in chiffon over pink chamois and wore a bouquet of La France roses. Miss Powers was gowned in a red broadcloth satin and wore a bouquet of American Beauty roses. Misses Marion and Louise Fay served punch in the hall, and looked charming in their dresses of white silk. They received many handsome presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Thigpen left at 6 o'clock on the S. A. L. Ry. for Chattanooga, Lookout Mountain, and other points of interest. Before returning home, they will visit Mr. Thigpen's relatives in Atlanta, Macon and Forsyth. They will be at home to their friends in Statesboro after Dec. 23d.

Administratrix Sale

On Saturday, January 3, 1914, there will be a sale of the following property belonging to the G. F. Emmitt estate. The sale to be held in Statesboro, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m.: 2 mules, 1 two-horse wagon, 1 one-horse wagon, 75 bushels of corn, 800 bundles of fodder, 6,000 feet of lumber, one lot of farming tools and 3 shares in the Farmers' Union Warehouse.

Terms of sale, anything less than \$10 cash, will accept a note with security for anything bringing more than \$10.

MARY EMMITT, ADMX., Estate of G. F. Emmitt.

Warning

State of Georgia, Bulloch County. All parties are hereby warned against extending any credit to my wife, Mrs. Roxie L. Martin, in any manner whatever. They are also warned against buying anything in the way of personal effects from my farm when trading with her. This December 13, 1913.

J. B. MARTIN.

J. B. SIMMONS.

Wholesale and Retail
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Hides, Wool, Chickens and All
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BIRDS have a right of course, to flush up wherever they please and fly off at any unexpected angle! What you want is the nearest thing to point-blank aim—the shortest possible lead.

Shoot the speed shells—Remington-UMC Steel Lined Nitro Club. They get your lead to the bird quicker than any other shell known to the shooting fraternity. Their steel lining grips the powder, giving your shot charge the full benefit of the explosive force.

It's a Remington-UMC idea—that steel lining—so if you want speed you must see that you get Remington-UMC Arrow or Nitro Club.

You will find full assortment in the store of the most alert dealer of the section. Identify them by the Red Ball mark on the box.

Remington-UMC Union Metallic Cartridge Co.
299 Broadway New York

Statement of Ownership of the Statesboro News.

As required by act of Congress of August 24th, 1912, the following is a true statement of the ownership and management of the Statesboro News, a newspaper published weekly at Statesboro, Bulloch County, Georgia.

J. J. E. Anderson, President.
J. R. Miller, Secretary.
J. R. Miller, Editor and Lessee.

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Signed to and subscribed before me this 13th day of December, 1913.

J. R. MILLER,
Lessee and Manager,
Signed in the presence of
H. F. DONALDSON,
N. P., Bulloch County, Ga.

Farm for Rent or Sale.

A two-horse farm, one mile from city limits. Address box 345, Statesboro, Ga.

Lost Note.

Notice is hereby given that Note given by Dr. C. E. Stapleton, of Denmark, Bulloch county, Georgia, in favor of The National Drug Company of Philadelphia, Pa., on Sept. 9th, 1913, for \$33.23, and due Dec. 1st, 1913, has been lost, and all persons are hereby warned not to trade for or buy said note.

THE NATIONAL DRUG CO.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dr. W. D. Woods, of Astatu, has moved to Savannah, where he will engage in the practice of medicine.

Bring us your remnants of seed cotton; we pay the top of the market. E. A. Smith Grain Co., Statesboro, Ga.

Statement of the Condition of

THE FARMERS STATE BANK

Located at Register, Ga. at the close of business Dec. 3, 1913.

Resources
Demand Loans None
Time Loans 10,922 90
Overdrafts, unsecured 80 82
Bonds and Stocks owned by the Bank 1,700 00
Furniture and Fixtures 1,711 64
Due from Banks and Banks in this state 4,750 22
Due from Banks and Banks in other states 2,576 17
Currency \$1,136 00
Gold 10 00
Silver, Nickels, etc. 106 17
Cash Items 226 92
Profit and loss 78 50
Other Resources 2,020 61
Total \$1,204 82

LIABILITIES
Capital Stock Paid in \$15,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check 15,418 39
Time certificates 304 12
Cashier's checks 31,204 82
Total \$31,204 82

State of Georgia, Bulloch County. Before me came G. W. Shattles, cashier of Farmers State Bank, who, being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is a true condition of said bank as shown by the books of file in said bank.

G. W. SHATTLES,
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 30th day of Oct. 1913.
J. M. ROGERS, Jr.,
N. P., B. C., Ga.

Money Lost.

Lost, either on K. and G. train or Central of Georgia train, between Adabelle and Register, this morning, ten \$10 bills, four \$5 bills, and five \$1 bills, totaling \$125.00; had rubber band around it. Reward for return or information of same.

J. W. GROOVER,
Register, Ga., Route 1.

Subscribe to The News.

I have reduced prices on all my millinery. You will find bargains in my store in Ladies and children's hats. Those who have not bought come to see me.

MRS. JOSTE ROGERS,
Statesboro, Ga.

See me before selling your cotton seed. L. A. WAINOCK, Brooklet, Ga.

Stalk Cutters for Sale.

We are in a position to furnish the old reliable "Spool" cutters. Parties in the market for machinery of this kind will do well to inspect our stock before buying elsewhere.

A. J. COWART & BRO.,
12-9, 1 mo. Portals, Ga.

AUTOMOBILE GARAGE

The undersigned, having leased the building next door to the Southern Express Company, take this method of announcing that they are prepared to make all repairs on automobiles, and furnish

Parts and Supplies for Ford Machines

Will make repairs on all machines, but we make a specialty of handling parts and supplies for the FORD MACHINES.

Gasolene For Sale

at regular market prices. Parties desiring to hire automobiles can be accommodated at this place. Soliciting a share of your patronage, and guaranteeing satisfaction, we are, Respectfully,

Herbert Hagins,
Chas. E. Donaldson.

Savannah & Statesboro R'y.

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D. S. BACOT, Superintendent.
Savannah, Ga.

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at the old s and of E. A. Smith Grain Co., next door to the postoffice. I take this opportunity to invite the patronage of my friends and the public generally. A full line of all the best market affords will be kept in stock. The best of goods and full satisfaction guaranteed.

Give me a share of your patronage.

Respectfully, I. S. L. Miller



Diamonds, Silverware, Gold Jewelry, Watches, Novelties

The gift most appreciated is that which is rich, beautiful and of enduring quality—a description which can be aptly applied to our superb collection of precious stones, gold jewelry, watches, silverware, silver deposit ware, cut glass, brassware, pottery, exquisite new novelties, in precious and semi-precious metals, rock crystals, etc. Below we name in detail but a few of our many splendid Holiday Offerings in order to convey an adequate idea of the comprehensiveness of our assortment.

| FOR THE FAIR SEX: | GENTLEMAN'S GIFT | FOR THE HOME: |
|--|--|---|
| Watches, Rings, Bangles, La Valliere, Necklaces, Lockets, Chains, Pendants, Scarf Pins, Brooches, Precious Stones, Set in Rings, Bangles, Lockets, etc. | Fobs, Charms, Sash, Emblem and Diamond Rings, Cigarette Cases, Watches, Chains, Scarf Pins, Cuff Links, Paper Cutters, Desk Fittings, Necktie Holders. | Cat Glass, Hand Painted China, Silver Spoons, Silver Knives, Silver Forks, Carving Sets, Silver Plated Ware, Candelabra, Pottery, Brassware, Silver Deposit Ware, Novelties in Brass, Silver, Cut Glass, etc. |

Complete assortment new Parisian Ivory Comb and Brush Sets, Manicure Sets, odd pieces No charge for engraving

Those of exacting, discriminating tastes who desire a gift that is truly of the highest grade, and one that the recipient will cherish and appreciate, are certain to find our stock worthy of their inspection. Our prices are generally as low as it is possible to make them, and our reputation for Quality, Design and Workmanship is behind each article offered. They are cordially invited to call, whether to merely inspect or to buy, as it is a pleasure indeed to show our splendidly complete displays.

Phone No. 136.

D. R. DEKLE, Jeweler.

Don't forget that J. W. & H. R. Williams will begin a special sale next Friday in which they offer special inducements.

Mr. H. A. Proctor, of Seaboard, was a visitor to the city on Saturday.

Just received, nice line dress goods in all new shades.

The Racket Store.

Sugar, 20 lbs to the \$1 at Miller's next to the post office.

Bring us your chickens and eggs. Eggs wanted 35c dozen. The Racket Store.

Mr. J. W. Wright, of the Briar Patch, spent the day in Statesboro on yesterday.

If you need a good overcoat look over our line before you place your order for same.

Trappnell-Mikell Co.

Mrs. W. K. Booth, of Atlanta, is visiting the family of her nephew, Col. Hinton Booth, of this city.

Clear Easy soap. The Racket Store.

We have some special bargains in boys' suits; see us before buying. The Racket Store.

For good flour at 65 cents a sack go to I. S. L. Miller's next to the post office.

Mr. M. J. Green, of the Sink Hole district was a visitor to the city yesterday.

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Men's sample hats at 1 price. The Racket Store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Parrish, of Astatu, were in Statesboro one day last week.

Salt—65 cts a sack, at Miller's next to post office.

Make your wife a present of a nice pair of Walk Over shoes for Christmas. You can find them in all the latest styles at our place.

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Best quality apron gingham in remnants, special 7 1/2 yard. The Racket Store.

Mr. H. L. Alderman, a former citizen of Statesboro, came up from Savannah this week to visit his brother, Mr. O. C. Alderman.

We are agents for standard patterns. The Racket Store.

Bring us your chickens and eggs. Eggs wanted. 55c dozen. The Racket Store.

Mr. Raymond Crumley and family are preparing to move to Bainbridge, Ga., where Mr. Crumley will engage in the trucking business.

Banjos, guitars and violins at special prices. The Racket Store.

Eight day clocks, guaranteed, \$2.98; alarm clocks 85c. The Racket Store.

Mr. J. F. Olliff bought two pieces of West Main street real estate on yesterday. One was the Fordham place and the other was the L. R. Blackburn place. Both places are for rent.

Try our shoes; we guarantee every pair sold, or new pair. The Racket Store.

The members of the Civic League gave an oyster supper in the building formerly occupied by Cone & Anderson Thursday and Friday evenings. A neat little sum was realized as a result of the entertainment.

When in town make our store your headquarters. The Racket Store.

A horse race in which local sports are very much interested will be run on the Thunderbolt track at Savannah on New Year's day. It will be a trotting race between the sorrel stallion owned by Mr. Frank Parker of this city and the gray mare, owned by Savannah people, being the one that was here during the races. A large crowd of Statesboro bloods will attend the race at Thunderbolt.

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The friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Prestorius will sympathize with them in the loss of their three weeks old infant during the past week.

Buttermilk soap, 3 cakes to the box; special at 10c box.

The Racket Store.

The prettiest line of ladies up-to-date coat suits to be found in the city is being offered this week. Call and see them.

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Riverside and Pee Dee plaids, special at 7 1/2c yard.

The Racket Store.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Green are visiting relatives and friends at Albany, Ga. They will spend a few days in South Florida before their return to Statesboro.

One price in plain figures. The Racket Store.

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40 inch sea island homespun, remnants; special at 8 1/2c yard.

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Messrs. Badger & Markham, formerly of Atlanta, but more recently of Arline, will open a first-class dairy and poultry farm near this place. They have already purchased a fine herd of Jersey milch cows and are now prepared for business.

Odd coats for men at special prices. The Racket Store.

Underwear for men, women and children at special prices. The Racket Store.

Cow Strayed.

From my place, one large black Cow, unmarked; has long horns; she strayed off about Oct. 25th, last. Any information will be thankfully received.

28, 5, 12, 19 B. A. Tyson,
Statesboro, Ga., Route 2.

COAT SUIT - HAT SPECIAL

Beginning Saturday, December 6th, and lasting fifteen days, we will offer our entire stock of Coat Suits and Millinery below cost FOR CASH

Suits formerly sold at \$12.50 to \$20.00, sale price, \$5.48
Suits formerly sold at \$18.00 to \$22.50, sale price, \$8.98
Suits formerly sold at \$22.50 to \$27.50, sale price, \$10.48
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In these lots you will find a good run of sizes, materials, etc.

ALL OTHER COAT SUITS AT LESS THAN COST

MILLINERY

Lot of Trimmed Hats, formerly sold at \$3.00 to \$5.00, on sale at \$1.00
Lot of Trimmed Hats, formerly sold at 5.00 to 8.50, on sale at \$2.25
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Now is your opportunity to get a bargain in Hats and Coat Suits. Remember, the sale only lasts fifteen days, and begins Saturday, Dec. 6th

Statesboro Mercantile Co.

Cotton Warehouse at Metter Was Destroyed

On Monday morning, at daylight, flames were discovered issuing from the roof of the Farmers' Union cotton warehouse, at Metter. The flames had gained so much headway when discovered until it was impossible to save anything in the building. It is evident that a slow fire had been under way for several hours, which spread rapidly as soon as the roof gave in. There were about two hundred and fifty bales of cotton in the warehouse at the time, which was fully covered by insurance.

Postoffice Robbed at Register Sunday Night

On Sunday night, a little after midnight, the little town of Register was awakened by an explosion which wrecked the iron safe in the store of Mr. C. G. Daugherty, being the building in which the post office is located. About \$600 was taken from the safe, \$400 of which belonged to the postoffice.

Bacot to Leave the Savannah & Statesboro

It is given out on good authority that Mr. D. N. Bacot, general superintendent of the Savannah and Statesboro Railway, will leave the Savannah and Statesboro in a short time.

It is reported that Mr. Bacot will take the position of trainmaster on the Alabama division of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, with headquarters at Americus.

RUSSIA'S ROYALNU

Strangely Tragic Life of the Beautiful Widow of the Assassinated Grand Duke Serge, Who Has Buried Her Grief in a Convent Outside Moscow and Ministers to the Poor and Afflicted.



ST. PETERSBURG.—In one of the Little Palace—which is the family residence—at Peterhof there is a photograph hanging on the wall of a scene in the last act of Pushkin's famous poetic drama "Eugene Onegin." Look close and you will see that the youthful Eugene, kneeling and gazing fervently up at the slender and beautiful Tatiana, is the shy, modest-mannered Czarovich of twenty-five years ago, now Emperor Nicholas II. The Tatiana is the young wife, not recently come to Russia, of Nicholas's uncle, the Grand Duke Serge.

The Grand Duchess, following the tradition of so many grand dames in Russian history, had become, in the country of her adoption, more Russian than the Russians. Slender, tall, always with that elegant gait which makes her move gracefully even when she is bordering on fifty, she has never looked a Slav. Her marriage was not made in heaven but at Windsor, as was the rule in her day among her kindred. And it was no cupid but Her Late Majesty, Queen Victoria, who presided. One of the four orphaned daughters of Princess Alice—the only one of Queen Victoria's children whose life lay through tragic romance—the young Grand Duchess Elizabeth of Hesse was designated for the consort of the young man regarded as the most renowned of the Russian Grand Dukes of his day, Serge Alexandrovich, younger son of the assassinated czar, liberator and brother of the then reigning czar.

All the strange story of her married life centers in Moscow, even in that citadel within the city, the Kremlin of Moscow. Her young husband, it is very soon was clear, was not governed so much by any serious mind behind his austere looks as by a queer mood of mysticism, fanaticism and a kind of misanthropy. His brother had given him the high office of Governor-General of Moscow. As the Moscow population found that they were less and less of him as the years passed on, they framed their own version of his life, and it was not a normal or an edifying story.

In those days of the eighties the administration of Moscow, as much as any other single cause, nourished the spirit of revolt. Serge, shunning the military protectors, whose qualification was that they kept him from

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HE WON THE PRIZE

By CAROLINE DIGBY.

"Sometimes," said Nancy Milford, "a girl gets tired of working, Jim."

"Meaning?" inquired Jim Rogers with the smile that always angered Nancy because it betokened perfect comprehension, whereas Jim understood her about as well as—well, less than any of her friends.

"You know the saying about all work and no whiff making a slow girl?" Nancy inquired politely. "Well, Jim, because I've been engaged to you for nearly two years doesn't seem to me any reason why I shouldn't let other men take me to theaters once in a while. I'm not a sacrifice, Jim. Please don't make a scene. It isn't worth it."

"All right," said Jim. "I guess I am slow, but the girl I marry isn't going to fool around with men like Hooper. Give me my ring."

"What do you mean? How dare you!" exclaimed Nancy, paralyzed with astonishment. Then she took off the gold band with its solitary diamond and threw it at him. "There!" she said. "Now go and give it to some girl who's as slow as you are."

"Thank you," said Jim, and he left her. As soon as he had gone Nancy sat down and cried her heart out. She did love Jim. But Jim was only earning a few dollars a week in a big law office, and they couldn't get married on that. And Nancy was bookkeeper for the Claves-Smith company, where Mr. Hooper was department manager. He knew how to give a girl a good time. Of late, though, there had been something in his manner that had rather frightened the girl, and once he had invited her to a rather fancy restaurant. Nancy had declined indignantly, but now she had beaten down the spirit of the population, had himself fallen in disgrace and died of sheer exhaustion and an overwrought heart. The czar and his family were cruising at the light and none of them, nor of the magnates at the court, would return to stand by Tropeff's grave. The czar even signified that the occasion need not be recognized, but the Grand Duchess Elizabeth defied his will. She left her retirement in Moscow, came to St. Petersburg and attended every one of the elaborate services for the dead held beside Tropeff's coffin and stood by while it was put in its grave.

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"Ten years ago," said the professor of mathematics, "I killed a fly that had gotten into my office. If I hadn't killed that fly, he would certainly have laid 1,500 eggs. From those eggs would have come other flies, who would in turn have increased and multiplied so that by now we should have 650,637,541,296 more flies. Obviously they would have made life an inferno. Therefore, it is certain that by the killing of that fly I did the world a great service."—New York Evening Post.

Lady Uses Tetterine for Eczema.

Edgar Springs, Mo., July 15, 1908.

"The Eczema on my face usually appears in the spring and summer months. I use no other preparation but Tetterine. It is certain that it cures me. I am very much obliged to you for the medicine."

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"Tetterine cures Eczema, Tetter, Itching Skin, Ring Worm and every form of Scap and Skin Disease. Tetterine 50c. Tetterine 1.00. Write for Sample. Tetterine is sold direct from The Shapline Co., St. Louis, Mo. With every mail order for Tetterine we send a copy of Shapline's Six Liver Pills Free. Adv."

The Slush.

Paul Point, the French dressmaker, was asked by a New York reporter if he thought woman's present mode of dress made for morality.

"I do not deal in morality," M. Point replied. "I deal in beauty."

"Then, apropos of the slashed skirt, he told a story.

"A young lady in a white dinner gown," he said, "stood under a blazing electric fan, and swinging round before her fiancé, she asked:

"How does my new dress show?"

"Up almost to the knee," the young man replied. "Those white silk stockings with gold clocks are beautiful!"

The Economist.

Mitchell Kennerley, the "Comstock" publisher, was defending a "Comstocked" novel in New York.

"The book," he said, "is a masterpiece of righteousness. It shows the fallacy of the various excuses for woman's fall—the excuses of overwork, of underpay, and so forth."

"Yes," the book shows that we have a girl device for ourselves. We are like the extravagant typewriter who, whose employer said severely:

"Miss Thain, are you putting anything for a rainy day?"

"Oh, yes, Mr. Naybobb," the girl replied. "I never wear my silk stockings in clear weather."

Uncertainty.

"I see the mercury keeps going down."

"Which—tablets or temperature?"

—Baltimore American.

WIFE WON

Husband Finally Convinced.

Some people are wise enough to try new foods and beverages and then generous enough to give others the benefit of their experience. A wife writes:

"No slave in chains, it seemed to me, was more helpless than I, a coffee captive. Yet there were innumerable warnings—waking from a troubled sleep with a feeling of suffocation, at times dizziness and out of breath, attacks of palpitation of the heart that frightened me."

(To us just as injurious as coffee because it contains caffeine, the same drug found in coffee.)

"At last my nervous system was so disarranged that my physician ordered 'no more coffee.' I capitulated."

"Determined to give Postum a fair trial, I prepared a cup of Postum. To my surprise, it was delicious. I was not only good but delicious."

"Noting its beneficial effects in me the rest of the family adopted it—all except my husband, who would not admit that coffee hurt him. Several weeks elapsed during which I drank Postum two or three times a day, when, to my surprise, my husband, who had been so ill, was well. I said: 'I have decided to drink Postum. Your improvement is so apparent you have such fine color—that I propose to give credit, giving you credit due.' And now we are coffee-slaves no longer."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pks.

Postum now comes in two forms: Regular Postum—must be boiled. Instant Postum—must be stirred in. A teaspoonful dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water and with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. Green tea with kindling. "There's a Reason" for Postum.

SLAVERY IN THE PHILIPPINES

NTIL Dean C. Worcester's recent report has been published, it has been suspected that at this late date commerce in human beings still flourishes within the shadow of Old Clark.

Such is the fact, unless Professor Worcester and a considerable army of American officials in the Philippines have been "seeing things."

And it may be added that even since Professor Worcester's retirement the war department has received from another American official, W. H. Phillips, auditor of the Philippine assembly, giving further details of the slave trade. This report I now have before me in manuscript. From the several hundred pages contained in these two documents I will glean the gist of the conditions described and give it to you in compact form, writes John Elfreth Watkins in the Philadelphia Record.

The armed slave hunters of the Philippines are found to have been preying upon the Negritos, Ilogos, Tingianas, Igorotes, Manobos, Mandayas, Iloanos, Tazuanas, Filipinos and peoples of other tribes. The slave trade has been reported by the parents or other natural defenders and have sold the captives to persons who hold them as chattel.

carried away two small children. Lieutenant Kyle Rucker of the Philippine assembly, I am sure, the village, where he found the body of one victim with head, feet and hands severed from the body. The children, carried away after their father had been murdered, were found afterward in the possession of one Ambrosio David, who he paid \$10 for them. At thought one of the kidnappers was caught and convicted of the murder, no penalty could be imposed under the law for the selling or the purchasing of the children.

A common procedure of the slave traders is to get Negrito parents to sell their children to slavery or to buy their children from them while they are drunk. When the Negrito is suffering from hunger it is comparatively easy to buy his children for rice and ponage.

"Under such circumstances," says Professor Worcester, "I have personally known a Negrito girl of marriageable age to be purchased for rice and ponage."

"A comparatively short time ago," he adds, "a Negrito girl was brought in, as a pony or a carabao might be, and offered for sale to the wife of an English gentleman living in the outskirts of Manila."

He gives details of the cases of a dozen Negrito slaves known to be residing right in the city of Manila.

Another tribe which is especially victimized by the slave dealers is the Ilogos. They apply the name "Juhui" to their unfortunate fellows who become articles of commerce and who often change owners several times before reaching the city of the Ilogos (Cebu). A young native girl, a girl of the tribe, was taken, seventeen years old, was sold for two water buffalo, some chickens and a small amount of money, while there is record of sales of men and boys for amounts ranging from \$15 to \$25. Lieut. Gov. Walter P. Hale of the sub-province of Kalinga, reports that on several occasions when he has been trying cases of his capacity of justice of the peace, he has found that he was on condition that their masters be acquitted of crimes.

It is still common for Filipinos living near to the Ilogos and Ilogos to obtain children and adults of these tribes by capture. Slave-hunting and keeping still prevail in the forest fastnesses of the Province of Agusan, in Mindanao, the scene of the recent Moro slave raid. Living back from the coast in Zamboanga are reported by the district auditor still to practice "a certain amount of slavery."

The heads of families "will regard it as their right to do sell their daughters as wives or concubines to the highest bidder."

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ROAD BUILDING

Much Used in Illinois, as Preventive of Mud as Well as Dust—Several Good Methods.

(By T. M. CIBREL.)

Many roads in the oil fields of Illinois have been treated with oil which is a preventive of mud as well as dust. Roads that were put in shape and well sprinkled with oil last fall stood the winter travel which is always heavy in the oil fields, and came out in the spring with very little needed repairs.

In applying oil to our common dirt roads several methods are employed. Sometimes where the road is in good shape the oil is sprinkled on without further preparation. This is sufficient for summer roads and for holding down the dust, but a better method should be employed where good winter roads are expected. At present the road should be well worked with the road machine, then apply the oil with the sprinker, putting on enough to wet the surface, but not enough to make the road sticky. It will work dirt, then, then a dust or harrow should be used to mix the oil with the clay; after sprinkling again the roller is used to smooth down and pack the roads.

After this the road should be sprinkled with a fine sand or gravel. This will keep the road from becoming too soft in winter to keep it from taking water.

All rules must be filled with dirt as soon as they commence to form. Also wet down this filling with water.

After two or three years of treatment roads become solid and show but little waste from travel and rain. Well oiled roads are dustless.

Sand roads treated the same way but require more oil to put them in shape. A common water tank with street sprinkling attachment is all that is required for applying it to the roads.

PREVENT STEEP ROAD CUTS

Difficulty Usually Experienced in Mountains or Hilly Country is in Repairing Washouts.

In a mountainous or hilly country where the roads must be built with considerable grade, one difficulty which is usually experienced in their maintenance is in retaining washouts. When a heavy shower falls upon the road and adjoining country, water will find its way to the depressions and cause a road washout. These depressions, gaining volume and velocity as it goes until the road surface is eroded and deep ruts often form. The road is then in a bad way, the beginning is now rough and rutty and unpleasant and even dangerous to travel over.

One of the very best methods for preventing this cutting writes E. B. House of the Colorado Agricultural College is to build across the road at intervals of 20 to 30 feet concrete ditches running entirely across the road. These ditches should be one foot deep and perhaps three feet wide. They should be so located that they will discharge their water at some distance from the road and in such places that the water will continue down a hill from the road. In order that the road may be smooth, plank bridges are placed across these ditches. These are very easy to make and cost very little. The purpose for the stringers and 2x6s or 2x12s used very well for the flooring. These plank bridges should be placed so that cracks in the road surface will not be left between each plank. These cracks then running across the road show the water coming down the road to through them, into the ditch and pass away. In this way the volume of water flowing over the road surface is kept down and cutting prevented.

MAINTENANCE IS ESSENTIAL

Road Repairing as Important as Building, According to Office of Agricultural Department.

Logan W. Page, chief of the office of public roads, of the department of agriculture, is bending every energy to impress upon the people of the country that maintenance and effective repair are of equal importance with the actual improvement of bad roads. Investment of money in new roads does not become real economy until provision is made for the maintenance of new roads in condition after they are built. If a new road was built and then allowed to fall into disrepair, much of the capital investment is simply wasted.

Quite frequently the office of public roads, when called upon for assistance by the various states, points out that road building is an art based on a science, and that trained men and experienced men are necessary to secure the best results from the expenditure of road funds.

Statisticians have figured out that although the average expenditure on the improvement of roads exceeds \$1,000,000 a day, a large portion of it is wasted because of the failure to build the right type of road to meet local requirements or the failure to provide for the continued maintenance of the improvement.

Improve Road Conditions.

Good roads not only bring the market nearer you, but they improve the social condition of your community because they bind neighbors and friends more closely.

Why so slow?

"I can't afford to send my wife away for the summer."

"Cheer up. Maybe she doesn't mind staying home."

"I know she doesn't, but how am I going to have any fun?"—Detroit Free Press.

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SMITH'S BEE DEE WAY! is a small town merchant or a farmer, you need a typewriter.

Send in your letters and bills by hand, you are not getting full efficiency.

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Neuralgia

suffers find instant relief in Sloan's Liniment. It penetrates to the painful part, soothes and quiets the nerves. No rubbing—merely lay it on.

SLOAN'S LINIMENT

Kills Pain

For Neuralgia

"I would not be without your Liniment and give it to all who suffer with neuralgia, rheumatism, etc. My wife, Mrs. Mary Ellen Sloan, writes: 'I have used Sloan's Liniment for many years and it has cured me of neuralgia, rheumatism, etc.'"

Pain All Cures

"I suffered with quite a severe neuralgia for several months. I used Sloan's Liniment and it cured me. I have used it since. Sloan's Liniment is a great remedy for neuralgia, rheumatism, etc. My wife, Mrs. Mary Ellen Sloan, writes: 'I have used Sloan's Liniment for many years and it has cured me of neuralgia, rheumatism, etc.'"

Treatments for Cold and Croup

"I have used Sloan's Liniment for many years and it has cured me of colds, croup, etc. My wife, Mrs. Mary Ellen Sloan, writes: 'I have used Sloan's Liniment for many years and it has cured me of colds, croup, etc.'"

All Dealers: Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00

Sloan's Liniment Co., Boston, Mass.

Bees Way!

Systems and methods come and go, but the one that will stay—the "Bees Way!" It has stood the hardest of all tests—the test of experience. Mix

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STOCK & POULTRY MEDICINE

with the feed for your animals and fowls. It beats all regulators, tonics, powders, etc., because it brings better results, and costs but a fraction of what the ready made foods do.

Price 5c, 10c and 25c per lb.

"I relieve constipation and mix with the feed for your animals and fowls. It beats all regulators, tonics, powders, etc., because it brings better results, and costs but a fraction of what the ready made foods do."—T. J. Jones, Orville, Ala.

Make the Liver Do its Duty

Nine times in ten when the liver is right the stomach and bowels are right.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

gently but firmly correct the liver's action and do its duty.

Cures Constipation, Indigestion, Sick Headache, and Dizziness After Eating.

SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE.

Genuine must bear Signature

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BEGINNING FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5,

We will sell our
entire stock of

**Dry Goods, Shoes,
Hats, Underwear,
Sweaters, Caps, etc.**

AT COST

SALE WILL CONTINUE FOR THE NEXT TEN DAYS

Will give **20 lbs. Sugar for \$1**
to each customer on opening day

J. W. & H. R. WILLIAMS

STATESBORO, GA.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of C. E. Donaldson & Bro., trading under the firm name of The Statesboro Bottling Works, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. R. H. Donaldson, of the old firm, will continue the business, will collect accounts due the old firm and meet the obligations of the same.

This December 1st, 1913.
C. E. DONALDSON,
Retiring member.

Change of Location

My patrons and friends can find me and my cabinet business, after this date, at the old opera house on West Main street, having given up my location in the rear of Anderson's feed and sale stables. Remember, I will call for and deliver your furniture which may need repairs.

H. K. HURST.

Read the new ads. in this issue.

Ice Notice.

The ice factory will be open every day, in the morning from 7:30 to 9:30, and all the afternoon. Parties may get ice from Gilbert Blandshaw's wagon at other hours, 28-32, STATESBORO ICE FACTORY.

Notice of First Meeting.

In the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Georgia, Eastern Division. In the matter of W. D. Woods, bankrupt, in bankruptcy.

To the creditors of W. D. Woods, of Aaron, Ga., in the county of Bulloch and district aforesaid, bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of November, A. D. 1913, the above named party was duly adjudged a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the referee, post office building Savannah, Ga., on the 19th day of December, A. D. 1913, at 12 o'clock, noon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 5, 1913.
A. H. MACDONALD,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
H. P. COBB, Atty. for Deb.

Administrator's Sale.

GEORGIA—Bulloch County.

By authority of an order granted by the ordinary of said county, empowering the undersigned to sell the lands of the Benjamin E. Parrish estate, there will be sold on the first Tuesday in January, 1914, within the legal hours of sale, before the court house door in Statesboro, Georgia, the following described tract of land, owned by the said estate: One certain tract, lying in the 1855th district, Bulloch county, Georgia, containing 64 acres, more or less, bounded north and formerly, as follows: North by Mer-

cer lands and by lands of Russell Lee and B. E. Parrish estate, east by lands of W. F. Lane and lands of B. E. Parrish estate, south by lands of Mrs. E. F. McLean and W. D. Kennedy and west by lands of W. D. Kennedy.

Terms of sale: One third, cash; one third, payable Jan. 1st, 1915; one third, Jan. 1st, 1916; deferred payments to bear interest at 8 per cent and be secured by security deed on land.

Land will be cut into two or three tracts and sold separately, and plats showing acreage will be produced at the time of sale. This Dec. 10, 1913.

ELLIOTT W. PARRISH, Admr.,
Benj. E. Parrish's estate.

Allen-Carpenter.

On Friday afternoon, at the residence of the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Allen, Miss Bertie Allen and Mr. Paul Carpenter were united in marriage, Rev. T. J. Cobb officiating. The wedding was a quiet family affair, only a few intimate friends of the contracting parties being invited. A number of pretty and useful presents were received from friends of the bride. The happy young couple left on the afternoon train for Augusta. They will visit relatives of the bridegroom in South Carolina for a few days.

Removal Notice.

Having moved my grocery business and meat market to the corner formerly occupied by the Sea Island Band, I take this method in announcing that I am better prepared than ever before to take care of the wants of my customers. Give me a call for what you need in my line.

J. B. BERNARD.

"A FISHERMAN'S LUCK."

Play to Be Given By Brooklet School December 16.

The play, "A Fisherman's Luck," will be given next Tuesday evening at the auditorium, Brooklet, at 7:30 o'clock by the faculty and tenth grade of Brooklet school.

Cast of Characters:
TOM MANLY, a poor fisherman, Mr. Walter Saffold.
WM. FARREN—alias Squire Hammond, Mr. Sam Wilson.

JAS. HAMMOND, Farren's son, Mr. Lewis Wyatt.
DAVID MORRIS—known as Uncle Dave, Mr. John Proctor.

SILAS KIDDER, stage struck, Mr. Conie Waters.
REV. MED HURST, Mr. Eugene Waters.

ROSE PRESBOTT—Hammond's ward, Miss Lorine Mann.
MRS. MANLY, Tom's mother, Miss Aquilla Mann.

RUTH MANLY, Tom's Sister, Miss Ruby Pledger.
LITTLE NELLIE, a waif of the ocean, Miss Bessie Morgan.

An evening of pleasant enjoyment is promised all who attend.

Notice to the

Traveling Public

Interchangeable mileage and penny scrip books sold by the Central of Georgia Railway Company on and after December 10, 1913, will contain the following clause:

"Coupons from this book will not be accepted on trains, nor on and after December 17, 1913, in exchange for tickets for a journey wholly within the state of Georgia."

On and after December 17, 1913, the Central of Georgia will sell at its principal stations in Georgia, one-thousand-mile books which will be good for transportation only between points on its lines wholly within the state of Georgia. Such books will not be good for any parts of interstate journeys. They will be accepted on trains except that coupons therefrom must be exchanged for passage tickets by passengers taking trains at Athens, Atlanta, Augusta, Columbus, Macon, Rome and Savannah.

The Central of Georgia will continue to sell interchangeable mileage books and interchangeable penny scrip books for interstate travel, and will continue to honor for interstate travel interchangeable mileage books and interchangeable penny scrip books issued by other carriers in accordance with tariff regulations, which require coupons therefrom to be exchanged for passage tickets.

For further particulars apply to any agent of the company or the undersigned.

J. C. HAILE,

Gen. Pass. Agt., Savannah, Ga.

Farm For Sale.

Three and one-half miles south Brooklet, 50 acres in cultivation; will sell cheap for cash or note.

R. H. WARSOCK,
12-12-3t Brooklet, Ga.

Notice

A meeting of the board of directors of the Farmers Co-operative Union Warehouse Co. was held this day, Dec. 8th, 1913, at which meeting an order was passed requiring all parties having cotton in the above named warehouse deposited for sale without a storage receipt for same, to be removed or stored by 4 o'clock p. m. of the 16th day of this month, otherwise this cotton will be marked and stored, charging the owner the regular storage rate; and further ordered, that no other cotton be allowed left for a single night in warehouse not stored.

W. W. MIKELL, Chairman.

D. E. BIRD, Secretary.

Mr. Brooks Simmons went down to Savannah one day during the week and purchased a new Buick runabout. It is one of the prettiest little cars in Statesboro.

J. B. BERNARD.

STATE OF GEORGIA—BULLOCH COUNTY.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed to secure debt made, executed and delivered by J. B. Groover, of Bulloch county, Georgia, to the Heyward-Williams Co., a corporation under the laws of Georgia, with its principal place of business in Savannah, Charleston county, Georgia, dated the 2nd day of February, 1912 and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Bulloch County, Georgia, in book 41, page 33, the undersigned, the Heyward-Williams Co., will sell at public outcry, before the door of the court house of said Bulloch county, Georgia, at Statesboro, during the legal hours of sale, on the third Saturday in December, 1913, being the 20th day thereof, the following described real estate, to wit:

All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the 1347 G. M. district of Bulloch county, Georgia, containing nine hundred and forty (940) acres, more or less, and bounded as follows:

North by lands of W. H. Kennedy east by lands of D. A. Brannen and J. R. Groover, south by K. Harvey and J. S. Nesmith, west by lands of H. Brannen and Aaron Black. Said tract being my home place on which I now reside.

Said sale being made for the purpose of paying the three certain promissory notes of the said J. B. Groover, to the said Heyward-Williams Company, as follows: The first dated, executed and delivered on the 28th day of February, 1912, and due the first day of November, 1912, for the sum of one hundred and eighty-three dollars and fifty cents (\$183.50), the second dated Feb. 2, 1912, and due Nov. 1st, 1912, for the sum of one hundred and six dollars and forty-five cents (\$106.45) and the third dated March 23rd, 1912, and due Oct. 15th, 1912, for the sum of fifty-two dollars and forty cents (\$52.40), together with interest thereon from maturity at eight per cent (8 per cent) per annum until paid, and all other and further cost incurred herein by the said Heyward-Williams Company. The total amount now due on said notes being the sum of three hundred and forty-two dollars and thirty-five cents (\$342.35), besides interest as aforesaid, together with all cost incurred in this proceeding.

Deed to the purchaser will be made by the undersigned. Terms cash. Purchaser paying for title.

This the 29th day of November, 1913.

THE HEYWARD-WILLIAMS CO.

Lost

Thursday night, 27th inst., from Bland's stable by mistake, one rubber tire open buggy—Barnes, ville; person making exchange please notify R. H. AKERMAN.

THE HEYWARD-WILLIAMS CO.

Hotel and Three

Dwellings Burned

Pembroke, Ga., Dec. 10.—The Sims hotel burned early yesterday morning. The fire was discovered in the roof and burned so rapidly that occupants of the hotel had barely time to escape with their lives.

Little Casper Sims, grandson of Proprietor C. C. Sims, was taken from the building while some parts were falling, both leaving without shoes or scarcely any clothing.

The fire spread to the water house, or pump house, and cut off the water supply, making it almost impossible to check the fire. Only a few wells and hand pumps were available after the destruction of the pump house with the engine and a lot of telephone equipment, the property of W. S. Williams.

The fire then spread to the property of R. S. Burgess, destroying a small storehouse and his dwelling. It then caught a small dwelling belonging to Mrs. H. R. Olive, occupied by L. S. Bowen, this being so near the other house owned and occupied by Mr. Olive, that it caught and burned also, making three dwellings besides the hotel destroyed.

Other buildings were threatened, but the citizens kept watch for the sparks and wherever they ignited they were quickly extinguished.

Pembroke is now 23 years old and has had fires, but this is the most costly. There was very little insurance. R. S. Burgess was about the heaviest loser, having lost his home and storehouse and cotton seed and farming implements. His loss is about \$3,000, with no insurance. C. C. Sims' loss is \$2,550, with \$1,350 insurance. U. S. Williams' loss is \$1,000, with no insurance. Mrs. S. B. Olive's loss is about \$1,150 with insurance.

The fire burned out one block except the brick store of R. S. Burgess. Had this building been of wood, no doubt the fire would have continued its course and have burned the entire northern section of the town.

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VERY LOW RATES FROM ALL STATIONS

Tickets on sale Dec. 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 31st, 1913, and Jan. 1, 1914.

Good returning to reach original starting point not later than midnight Jan. 6, 1914.

For full information, see nearest Seaboard Agent, or write

C. W. SMALL,
Div. Pass. Agt., SAVANNAH, GA.

Dramatic Club

Plays at Swainsboro

On Friday evening of this week the Statesboro Dramatic Club gave an exhibition entitled "Too Much Brown" in the auditorium at Swainsboro.

A large number of friends of the participants went up in automobiles to wish them well and witness the performance. A large and appreciative audience of Swainsboro people greeted the company, which is composed entirely of Statesboro talent.

Those who went report a \$60 house, which is considered very satisfactory, considering the fact that the play was not advertised. They state that the people of Swainsboro seemed to understand the play better than the home folks who witnessed it here last week. They will appear before a Million audience next Friday night.

On Sunday, at the residence of his son, Mr. D. O. Beasley, in the Forty-fourth district, Mr. Pringle Beasley quietly breathed out his life. Had Mr. Beasley lived until the last day of February coming, he would have been 102 years old, being the oldest citizen of Bulloch or adjoining counties.

The deceased had been in ill health for the past few years, and his death had been daily expected for a long time. The cause of his death is said to have been old age.

It has been a custom of the family and friends of this aged citizen to gather around the home every year and mark the passing of each mile stone for the past ten years or more. On account of his greatly advanced age, the deceased has occupied a position of great interest before the public throughout the state. His photograph has been used, together with stories of his long and useful life, in all the daily papers of the state.

The funeral was held on Tuesday at Ephesus church, near his home, where the interment was made. A large number of friends and relatives gathered to attend the funeral and assist in placing in the tomb the remains of this Bulloch's oldest citizen. His wife and several sons and daughters survive him.

Stockholders' Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of Statesboro will be held at its banking house on Wednesday, Dec. 31st, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing directors and transacting such other business as may come before said meeting.

S. C. GROOVER, Cashier.

One price in plain figures. The Racket Store.

The prettiest line of ladies up-to-date coat suits to be found in the city is being offered this week. Call and see them.

Trapnell-Mikell Co.

Mr. George E. Wilson, of the Bay district, was in town one day during the week. Mr. Wilson says that the recent cold did considerable damage to the oat and truck crop in his section. He has three acres of cabbage himself.

Attention is called to the announcement of H. Clarke's grocery in this issue of The News.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

First National Bank,

STATESBORO, GA.,

At the close of business December 15th, 1913.

RESOURCES:

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Loans and Discounts | \$153,859 06 |
| Overdrafts | 1,416 50 |
| Real Estate | 13,000 00 |
| Furniture and Fixtures | 2,517 50 |
| U. S. Bonds | 50,000 00 |
| Cash on hand, in other banks and with U. S. treasurer | 151,131 94 |
| Total | \$372,925 30 |

LIABILITIES:

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Capital Stock | \$50,000 00 |
| Surplus and Undivided Profits | 21,903 54 |
| National Bank Notes Outstanding | 50,000 00 |
| Deposits | 250,121 76 |
| Bills Payable | |
| Total | \$372,925 30 |

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