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# Statesboro Mercantile Co.

## STATESBORO, GA.



### Our Stock of— Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

is now complete. We have Coat Suits, Skirts, One-Piece Dresses, Long Coats, Fur Coats. Hundreds of styles to select from. The most complete line ever shown in this community. We have an expert fitter and can give you a perfect fit.

### 500 Pr. Ladies' Kid Gloves

We guarantee them not to burst. Tans, black, reds, navy, greens and greys. Plenty of all sizes . . . \$1.00 per pair

500 Infants' Wool Sweaters, white and red, at only . . . 50c

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### CHILDREN'S RIBBED HOSE

Double knee, heel and toe, good value, sizes 5 to 9½, only, . . . 10c pr

### CHILDREN'S Heavy Fleeced UNDERWEAR

Heavy-Fleeced Vests and Pants, winter weight, all sizes, . . . only 25c

**Five Pieces 36-inch black Taffeta Silk, extra good value, 79c yd**



### CHILDREN'S COATS

#### 150 Heavy Melton Cloth Coats

In Pretty BLUES, REDS, BROWNS and TANS

Nicely trimmed with Velvet Collar and Cuffs. Large lapels and sailor collar. Sizes 6 to 14. Specially priced to sell at . . . \$5.00



Statesboro Mercantile Co., STATESBORO, - GA

# THE STATESBORO NEWS.

\$1.00 PER YEAR.

STATESBORO, GEORGIA, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1911

VOL. 11, NO. 59.

## JOURNAL POLITICAL FORECASTER HERE.

On Saturday night Ralph Smith, the Washington Correspondent of the Atlanta Journal, came to Statesboro to look into the political situation in Bulloch, following up a series of articles started in the Journal. The Atlanta Journal as we understand it is not supporting any candidate for Governor in this race, and the object of Mr. Smith's canvass is to give information to the public as to how the straw is blowing.

Mr. Smith met a number of our representative citizens nearly all of whom were of the opinion that Judge Russell has an overwhelming majority in Bulloch. Only one man interviewed out of about fifty claiming that any other candidate had even a look in Bulloch.

A Statesboro News reporter called on the Atlanta Correspondent and asked him from his observations over the state what he thought of the race he replied:

I think that possibly Pope Brown may have a slight advantage over the field at this time, but I expect Judge Russell to win in the end. Joe Brown does not seem to be in the ring at all except in widely separated localities. For instance, Joe Brown will carry Jackson the home county of Judge Russell, he will probably carry Bibb and Hall counties and a few others, Pope carry a catch of counties in Southwest Georgia, and in Middle Georgia, Russell will carry all this section towards the coast, he will carry Richmond, Fulton, and Floyd, and all the other counties in the mountain section of the state, Russell will also carry Clark, and he will carry Cobb, the home county of Joe Brown.

Mr. Smith left for Albany Sunday morning.

### Hunters Are Acquitted.

Messrs. W. L. Street and G. L. Mikell were given a preliminary hearing yesterday afternoon on a charge of violating the new game law. The case was heard by Judges H. D. Holland and J. W. Bontree. It was brought out that the accused did not kill the squirrels in question, but they were killed by two negro boys residents of the 48th district, in which the hunting was done and given to Messrs. Mikell and Street. After hearing the evidence against Mikell, and he being acquitted, the case against Street was not pressed.

"Now is the time to buy Winter Underwear, our stock is complete, we have all sizes, and prices are reasonable. Statesboro Mercantile Co.

### Railroad is to be Built to Hinesville

Hinesville, Ga., Nov. 4.—Hinesville, the county seat of Liberty county, is to have a railroad, if plans of Joseph B. Way of Flemington, who has been interested for several months in the plan to organize a company for the purpose of constructing a railroad to this town and who states that he has secured the necessary pledges and that the company will be formed and the railroad built, are successful.

It is proposed to start the new line either from McIntosh or Walthourville, on the Atlantic Coast Line Railway, and run it via Taylor's Creek to some point on the Seaboard Air Line. This will make the road about twenty five miles long. It is eight miles from Hinesville to Walthourville and Taylor's Creek is about fourteen miles from Walthourville.

### Agencies Consolidate.

Steve G. Williams & Ponton W. Wilson, two of our best known insurance men, of Swainsboro, Ga., have perfected a consolidation of their agencies, and effective December 1st, the firm name will be Williams & Wilson Agency. Mr. Williams has been identified with the fire, life and real estate business for about fourteen years, and during that time has successfully represented about seventeen companies. Mr. Wilson who is the Junior member of the new firm has also proven himself successful in the business, having been so engaged for about five years, both of these gentlemen moved to Swainsboro from Bulloch County Ga. Beginning December 1st, Williams & Wilson Agency will become General Agents for a good life insurance company, which will make about forty companies represented by the Agency, including both fire and life insurance. New offices has been opened on the ground floor and Mr. E. H. Wilder of Forsyth, Ga., will act as Agency Cashier. The Insurance Herald.

### Seed Cotton and Wood Wanted.

We want your remnants of seed cotton, will pay highest market prices for same. We also will take 500 cords of wood at \$2.00 per cord delivered, all through fall and spring. BROOKLET GINNEY

We have just received a fine lot of cabbage plants, and we are now prepared to fill the wants of our friends in that line. BARNES & YARBOROUGH. nov 5-2t

### LOST

Between Clito Church and the widow Mikell's, Sunday the 5th of November, a buggy robe, red on one side and black on the other, with bunch of flowers in center. Finder will please return to and receive reward.

H. B. Milton, Statesboro, Ga., No. 7, Box 35

### Work In Savannah

Able-bodied men between the ages of 21 and 40, 5 ft. 7 in. in height or over, and weighing at least 185 lbs., can get positions at once as motorman and conductors on the street cars in Savannah. Address letter or apply in person to Savannah Electric Co., Savannah, Ga.

### For Sale.

One hundred acres of first class land, about 7 miles from Statesboro, 35 acres cleared. Call on J. A. BRANNEN.

## SHOT UP THE STORE WHEN FOUND SHORT

Three Men Wounded by Atlanta Book-keeper Yesterday.

### PANIC IN THE PLACE

Mose Garrison Didn't Say a Word When Confronted; Just Pulled a Gun and Began Shooting.

Chronicle Bureau, Kinsell House, John G. Reese, Mgr.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 4.—Confronted with a charge of shortage in his accounts, Mose Garrison, an assistant bookkeeper in the office of J. P. Allen & Co., a prominent Whitehall street firm, pulled his gun and began using it with deadly effect.

J. P. Allen, proprietor of the establishment, was wounded through the neck, C. E. Pollard, an expert accountant, was wounded in the back, and S. J. Hays, another accountant, was wounded in the arm.

A panic immediately ensued in the store, and customers on the first floor rushed to the rear and those on the second floor came tumbling down stairs. The doors were closed and in a few moments an officer was on the scene and placed Garrison under arrest. He was handled roughly before he would give up his gun.

The two accountants have been checking over the books of the firm for several days. Garrison and another man had charge of the books, and it was charged that a shortage existed in the C. O. D. department.

Mr. Allen charged Garrison with the shortage, and without a word Garrison pulled a revolver and began pumping bullets at everybody in sight. Mr. Lewis, an employee, leaped out of the small office, thereby escaping injury. But Mr. Allen was struck down at the second shot, and Pollard and Hays were wounded before they could get out of the crazed man's way.

The three wounded men were rushed to the hospital, where it was stated that none of them had been fatally injured. Garrison was locked up on a charge of assault with intent to murder.

The affair created a tremendous sensation, due to the prominence of the parties.

### Watson Here Next Saturday

Hon. Thomas E. Watson will address the people of Bulloch county in the court house at this place next Saturday. Mr. Watson was billed to speak here Monday of court week, but was delayed in reaching here. He announces that he will positively be here next Saturday, Nov. 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bird of Metter spent the day in Statesboro yesterday.

Mr. J. S. Franklin of Port was in town yesterday. Mr. Franklin is going extensively to the live stock and poultry business. He thinks this pays better than the all-cotton business.

Mr. F. M. Hendricks of Port spent the day in Statesboro yesterday.

Rev. W. O. Daney, of Mill Bay, spent the day in Statesboro yesterday.

Mr. John Q. Hendricks came down from Port yesterday.

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### Maine Remains in Prohibition Ranks

Augusta, Mo., Nov. 6.—Maine retains constitutional prohibition. Gov. Plaisted and his council late to-night decided to accept the corrections in the vote of four towns cast in the special election in September, thus reversing the result as indicated on the face of the first official returns.

Returns on election day, Sept. 11, indicated a majority of about 300 against the repeal of the prohibition amendment, but later the official count showed a majority of 20 for repeal.

It was found by comparison, however, that in four cases the figures of the town clerk were reversed from their early returns and in each case the clerks claimed the error to be in the official figures. After hearings on the subject the Governor and council took the matter under consideration and the result was the announcement to-night that Maine retained constitutional prohibition by 758 votes.

### Sale of Valuable Lands.

Attention is called to a half page advertisement in this issue of the property belonging to the Perkins Lumber Co. Among the property to be disposed of is the tract of land lying between Claxton and Hagan, about one hundred acres. This land, located as it is, is a very valuable piece of dirt. Lying broadside the two towns, it affords an opportunity to some man or party to buy it in and subdivide it into five and ten acre lots. On the property is about sixty houses. These could be handled to advantage if the right party had the land. The owners state that the land along with the other property will be placed on the market, and if you let it slip it will be your own fault.

### Rogers Property Didn't Sell.

Partially owing to the illness of Col. R. Lee Moore, trustee for creditors, and a failure to agree among the creditors, the property belonging to Dr. J. T. Rogers, in South Statesboro, was not placed on the block yesterday, as was advertised. When some slight differences are fixed between the creditors, the property will again be advertised and sold.

## Begin at The Bottom

That's good advice. First because it is the sure way; second, because for the most of us it is the only way. A step at a time, one dollar piled up beside another, careful, conservative, saving—these things will bring you gradually but surely up the ladder of success. Men fail because they get in too big a hurry, too anxious to grab at the golden apples' just out of reach. Stick to your ladder, stick to your job, stick to your saving habit. The fellow who goes up like a sky rocket usually comes down like a thousand of bricks.

### Bank of Statesboro

Statesboro Georgia

### Tax Collector's Rounds.

I will be at the following places to collect tax and register: Thursday, Nov. 2, court ground 18th G. M. at 9 a. m., Tom Morris' 12 m., Thompson's store 2 p. m., Brooklet 5 p. m., Friday, Nov. 3rd, Knight & Bro's 9 a. m., Stillson 11 a. m., John Patrick's 2 p. m., John Fitch's 4 p. m., Linton Nevil at night. Saturday, Nov. 4, Dan Lanier's 8 a. m., 1340 court ground 11 a. m., J. C. Denmark's store 2 p. m., Emmett court ground 4 p. m., Monday, Nov. 6, Statesboro, Tuesday, Nov. 7, Register 9 a. m., B. Anderson's 11 a. m., court ground 4th G. M. 1 p. m., Adabelle 4 p. m., J. W. Atwood's at night. Wednesday 8th, Pulaski at 8 a. m., Parrish 10 a. m., Motter 12 m., Tom Kingery's store 3 p. m., court ground 1320 G. M. 5 p. m., Thursday, Nov. 9, W. S. Finch's at 8:30 a. m., court ground 4th 10 a. m., J. F. Mixon's store 12 m., D. C. Finch's 2:30 p. m., Jasper Blackburn's 5 p. m., Friday, Nov. 10, Lane's store 9 a. m., 1575 court ground 11 a. m.

C. W. ZETTEROWER, Tax Collector.

### \$10.00 Reward

For Green Joyce, age 15 years, weight 120 pounds, height 4-1/2 feet, ginger cake color; left hand without any cause. Any information of this boy will be accepted with thanks. JIM JOYCE, Statesboro, Ga.

### Notice.

I make five year loans on improved farms in Bulloch county the lowest rates. Money unlimited and always ready. Over fifteen years continuous loan business. Old loans renewed. R. LEE MOORE, Statesboro, Ga.

If you want a Coat Suit, Skirt, Long Coat, Children's or Infant's Coats, we have hundreds to select from and prices to suit you. Statesboro Mercantile Co.

Our line Silks and Trimmings are beautiful; all shades in plain colors, and as variety of novelty patterns. Statesboro Mercantile Co.

JULIAN C. LANE, Dentist.

Office: Bank of Statesboro Building, STATESBORO, GA.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

## First National Bank

STATESBORO, GEORGIA

At Close of Business Oct. 2, 1911:

### RESOURCES.

Loans	\$260,637 42
Overdrafts	1,282 01
Real Estate	13,000 00
United States Bonds	10,000 00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,282 34
5 Per Cent. Fund	500 00
Cash and Surplus	54,913 11

### LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	\$25,000 00
Surplus and Profit	34,377 35
Circulation	10,000 00
Bills Payable	40,000 00
Deposits	203,192 53
	\$312,569 98

CAPITAL, \$25,000.00

SURPLUS, \$30,000.00

Brooks Simmons, Pres. J. M. McClean, Cash.

Directors: F. P. Register, M. G. Brannen, J. E. Easing, F. E. Field

W. Simmons, W. Williams, Brooks Simmons



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J. MILLER, Editor and Business Manager.

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Savannah, Ga., Oct. 26th, 11  
By Hon. Pleasant A. Stovall, Savannah, Ga.

Hon. Jos. McCarthy has represented Chatham County in the Legislature for the past five years. In all that time he has been working for the establishment of the Department of Commerce and Labor in the State of Georgia and finally drew the Bill which was enacted into law and which perfected the plans of this department of the government. The labor people, not until they had the active cooperation of a direct representative in the legislature did they reach the result so important to them. Who better than Joseph McCarthy could start this department off and develop it up to its best standard of results. He is in entire sympathy with the labor people and understands what they need and what they want; he is one of them. He is a working man and has earned bread by the sweat of his brow. He has risen, through his own intelligence and effort to a high place in the shops where he has been employed and has gained an enviable reputation as a leader of his people and as a legislator. He is thoroughly conservative in his habits and in his opinions and has the entire respect and confidence of the solid and conservative community of Savannah. The State of Georgia could do no wiser of safer thing than to elect Joseph McCarthy to the position of Labor Commissioner on the 7th of December next. It is one thing to organize a department through the legislature and another to put it into being and to vitally it by active and intelligent effort. Mr. McCarthy has done the one and those who know him say he will have no trouble in effecting the other. Everywhere the cause of labor is recognized as one of the best and strongest elements in the business of the country. That there is no prejudice in the State of Georgia in organizing such a department was shown by the overwhelming vote in the legislature which enacted this Bill into law. In Georgia the cause of labor is a popular and growing one. The manufacturing interests are becoming larger every year and the workers in the field are joining hands with the laborers in the mills. That's what the passage of this Bill meant throughout the ranks of the laboring men a feeling of pride and satisfaction has grown up. This would be intensified by the election of the author of the Bill and a special representative of labor to head this department, as its first Commissioner and Creator. We believe that the people of Georgia will recognize the propriety and the logical judgment of putting Joseph McCarthy at the head of this bureau by the overwhelming vote. That is what we ought to have. He would justify the action of the electors who might elevate him to that position. To refuse to elect him would be a way to a reputation of the spirit which created the Department of Commerce and Labor, because people would not understand why the man who drew the law and who made the law was not considered capable of executing the law.

South Georgia is heartily in favor of Mr. McCarthy and will cheerfully commend his merits to the people in all parts of the State.

## For Sale.

37 acres of choice land for a farm 35 miles from Savannah, one mile west of Shawnee, Brinson Ry., three miles east of Egypt, Central Ry. Terms \$500 cash. Apply to J. M. LEE, 16 Oglethorpe Ave., Savannah, Ga.

## Go to Rustin's Studio to get what you want when you want it in Photographs.

Lot of fine new cypress syrup barrels for sale. Statesboro Mercantile Co.

## California Will Vote for Woodrow Wilson

The Los Angeles Tribune prints the following:

Woodrow Wilson, governor of New Jersey, and candidate for the Democratic nomination for the Presidency in 1912, will receive the solid vote of the California delegation to the National Democratic convention next year. At least that appears to be the conviction of the leading Democrats of Los Angeles, and they claim there is not the slightest doubt of the California support of the former president of Princeton University.

The sentiment among the rank and file of the California Democrats has been strongly pro-Wilson, but until recently there has been some question as to the attitude of the party of the North. Now, it is said, Wilson will have no opposition in the California delegation.

The Wilson sentiment in the state has grown to a tremendous rate, although there has been no organized boom of his candidacy. However, Wilson clubs have sprung up all over the state, and the Woodrow Wilson club of Los Angeles is one of the strongest yet organized.

## What November Means As We Near Finish of 1911.

We have crossed the threshold of another month. It will bring us to know what, the year has been most turbulent, says the Commercial Appeal. It may well be called the blood year, when future history is written, for since the first of last January the world has been racked with wrong and war, with war and crime, with epidemics and disasters of every conceivable kind.

November brings us nearer the final milestone of 1911. We always look forward toward the new year with hope and confidence. We face every new month with the belief that it will be better for us, in many ways, than the one just ended. It is this confidence which stimulates our being, makes us more cheerful and gives us the necessary courage to face the vicissitudes of life.

November was the ninth month of the old Roman year, which began in March. By the Julian arrangement, according to which the year began in January, November, while retaining the old name, became the eleventh month and had thirty days assigned to it.

On the eleventh of November, according to the old belief, the first day of winter is ushered in. So firm was the belief that winter dawned on this date, a special feast to Jove was observed by the Romans and celebrated with great pomp and rejoicing two days later.

It was the old English theory that November was the month of blood possibly because it is in November cattle were slain for winter use.

While winter may begin on November 11th, we need not feel too confident that we will not yet have warm days. The nights, though, will be cold. Soon we, though, will be cold. Soon we will realize that the foretold death of summer has been fully consummated. The world will rest in the cold clasp of winter.

## AGE OF MAN IS A MILLION YEARS

This Conclusion Reached By Pres't of Prehistoric Society From Studies of Neolithic Flint.

London.—That the age of a man is no less than a million years is the conclusion that Dr. Allen Sturge, M. V. O., who is president of the Prehistoric Society of East Anglia, concludes from the studies of the Neolithic flint instruments found in North West Suffolk. He says: "Neolithic man goes back to some period between 200,000 and 300,000 years, and it would seem that we have not even reached the beginning of the period. Drift man was flourishing from a million years to about 700,000 years ago. Neither figure is a limit; the latter figure is probably nearer a limit than the earlier. Between the end of the drift and the beginning of the Neolithic we have the great 'Cave' periods, which would thus seem to have occupied anything from 200,000 to 400,000 years. Behind Drift man are vast ages of which we are only beginning to get the first glimpses. But it now seems evident that man was already on the earth in early Pliocene times, and we must not be surprised if proofs are ultimately brought forward that genus homo goes back even further than that. It has become almost a shibboleth that man first appeared in Pleistocene times, but I affirm that it is no more than a shibboleth."

Dr. Sturge has found flint instruments which, he contends, were scratched by glacial action. That a glacial period has occurred since human instruments of Neolithic types were made is against all views of glacial geology. Since the doctor holds there has been an ice age, not continuous, but divided into such periods of glaciation. Proof of this is found in humanly worked flints presenting sharply defined types of scratching.

## McDougald-Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McDougald announce the marriage of their daughter, Sarah, to Dr. Lehman Williams Williams, on the afternoon of November 15th, at 2:30 o'clock, at the Presbyterian church in this city. The young couple will be at home to their friends in Statesboro after December 1st.

## CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT

The Great Cough Cure For Children and Adults.

## STYLISH SUITS For Men and Young Men

—FROM—

\$8.50 to \$32.50.

Children's Suits, \$3.00 and Up.

Railroad fare refunded to our out-of-town customers. Write us for particulars.

## JONES, PARNELLE, LEE & CO.

19 BROUGHTON STREET, EAST, SAVANNAH, GEORGIA.

## Shop in Savannah.

Ensel & Vinson Company, (THE GARMENT STORE)

Refunds Your Railroad Fare. Write us for Particulars. See us when in Savannah.

## Struck Policeman With Brick a Bat.

Policeman J. W. Flynt was the recipient of a brick bat side of his head Saturday night intended for a fugitive, he was attempting to place under arrest. John Handshaw and his wife were having a bout when the policeman stepped between, he stepped in just in time to catch a brick bat hurled by the woman at her husband. While the wound is an ugly one yet it is not serious. In Police Court Monday John was fined five dollars and his wife was released. Mr. Flynt stated that the lick was an accident as far as he was concerned as he was the woman he excused from blame for the act.

## Pulled for Selling Boze.

On Saturday night Chief of Police Morgan Mitchell stood on one side of a fence and looked through the crack while Jones Waters, a young man from the country, handed out the booze country, handed out from it. Young Waters' acts had created suspicion and a watch was put on him, resulting in the catch referred to. When he was arrested seven quarts were found in the buggy. The defendant is a boy about 18 years old, and it is believed that he was operating for another party.

## LIVELY'S DRUG STORE

WHEN YOU WANT THE BEST IN DRUGS, MEDICINES OR TOILET ARTICLES

A large full line of all the staple Medicines kept in stock, and courteous treatment to our customers. Prescriptions compounded with care and promptness. Also first-class Soda Fountain in connection.

Lively's Drug Store. Opp. New Bank Building. Agents for Jacob's Candles.

## GO TO Chas. Kassel FOR

Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Trunks

Highest Cash Prices Paid for Country Produce

Just Try Once

OLIVER, - - - GEORGIA.

## NOTICE TO HOME BUILDERS and OWNERS!

I have just doubled my salesroom and office apartments, and having on hand

A Nice Stock of Mantels,

which I have not heretofore had the necessary room to carry, I kindly invite the public to—

CALL AND INSPECT MY STOCK and get my prices before buying elsewhere.

Respectfully,

A. J. FRANKLIN,

STATESBORO, GEORGIA.

## To Those Who Work

You have heard the story of the farmer who chalked his accounts on the barn door, which later burned.

You are in a like rut if you don't use modern methods.

Let us handle your money—do your book-keeping, relieve you from worry and work. A bank account will give you safety and credit. Checks are your personal coinage system.

If you haven't surplus money, deposit all your money with us and pay your bills by check. You will soon have credit and the surplus.

## PEOPLES BANK

OLIVER, GEORGIA.

OSCAR H. MARSH, CASHIER

## Local and Personal

All the boys are getting ready to attend the races in Savannah.

Eld. Remer Kennedy of Collins, Ga., will preach at The Register Baptist Church on next Sunday, Nov. 12th.

A number of our folks will attend the Georgia-Carolina Fair in Augusta next week.

Mr. Owen Harden, formerly in the U. S. Army, located in New York, is with his brother Mr. Jim Harden in Bulloch, and will probably make his home here for sometime.

If you want something neat and nobby in Photos, go to Rustin's Studio.

Mrs. Laura Blitch left for her home at Valdosta on Monday, after spending a few days visiting relatives here.

Mr. J. F. Oliff and family and Mrs. George A. Hart left yesterday afternoon for DeLand, Fla., where they will spend some time.

Mr. George B. Wilson came up from Harville on yesterday. He reports active work going on on the extension of the Seawood Railway to Harville, sidetracks are being put in and other permanent railroad arrangements made.

The recent rains has interfered with the cotton picking in this section.

A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Manning and daughter Dr. Freeburg and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Lynch came up from Savannah yesterday afternoon in an automobile.

There was very little interest manifested in public sales on yesterday, very few sales being made.

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## Local and Personal

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Eld. Remer Kennedy of Collins, Ga., will preach at The Register Baptist Church on next Sunday, Nov. 12th.

A number of our folks will attend the Georgia-Carolina Fair in Augusta next week.

Mr. Owen Harden, formerly in the U. S. Army, located in New York, is with his brother Mr. Jim Harden in Bulloch, and will probably make his home here for sometime.

If you want something neat and nobby in Photos, go to Rustin's Studio.

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# GREAT FARM LAND AUCTION SALE!

Davisboro, Ga., Washington Co., Nov. 21st, 1911

## THE LAND.

This land is located at Davisboro, in the edge of town. Each one of the 26 lots will be a paradise of a farm. They must be seen to be appreciated. The land is comparatively level, has a gray and a red top soil, with a red clay sub-soil. 20 bales of cotton, plenty of corn, etc., is not unusual to one plow on this land. Ten bales of cotton, with ample corn, is the nearest failure registered. Positively there are not 10 acres of poor land on the entire tract; 18 of these lots have houses on them and every lot faces the public road. 900 acres of the original tract are in cultivation this year, which will give plenty of cleared land to each of the lots.

**THE TOWN**—Davisboro is a thriving little town of about 1,000 inhabitants, located on the main line of the Central of Georgia Railroad, 60 miles east of Macon, 60 miles west of Augusta, in the finest and most prosperous farming section of the South. Two banks, two warehouses, twenty good stores, three good churches, excellent high school. Inhabitants are of the highest type. Labor is plentiful. You cannot find finer roads in the state than they have in this section.

This will be the greatest Auction Sale ever pulled off in this section of the country. There was 1,300 acres in the original tract, which was the finest big farm in Georgia. This has been cut up into 50-acre lots, which will positively sell to the highest bidder.

You have never had, nor will you ever have again, the opportunity to buy such valuable farm lands at your own price. Come buy this land and we will rent it for you next year to an advantage. Your greatest opportunity to buy a home or make an investment.

## New and Attractive Features

Never before seen at a land sale will keep the large crowd amused and entertained. Plenty of fun and a golden opportunity to buy the most valuable property cheap and on long easy terms.

It will pay you to ride 300 miles to attend this sale.

TUESDAY, NOV. 21st, 1911.

For information concerning land or schedule write us, or if you expect to attend this sale, notify us. Come, rain or shine. Brass band to furnish music. Auctioneer the best.

# PAUL A. MOTES & Co.

Phone 2967.

212 Union Savings Bank Building.

Augusta, Ga.

## Bill Minor Caught;

Tom Moore Killed.

Waynesboro, Ga., Nov. 4.—While running in a box car at St. Clair the slanders of old Bill Minor and Tom Moore were rudely disturbed by the negro porter on the Georgia and Florida Railway calling out, "Is it cold in there?"

This gave a clue to the searchers who were on the lookout for the two criminals, and J. W. Whittle summoned help and surrounded the car. A demand was made for the two to come out. Old Bill came out slowly, and upon being told to throw up his hands, he put up one hand and held the other one on his gun, a 32-calibre magazine pistol, which he reluctantly left in his pocket, and put up the other hand.

Moore showed fight and was shot in the face by William Salter. Two shots were fired by Tom and one at him.

Early in the morning old Bill Minor was brought to Waynesboro for safe keeping, and when he was placed in the sheriff's office a crowd surrounded it to get a look and talk to the famous old train robber whose record for escapes almost equals his record for crime. He thanked Commissioner Gresham for some favor done him.

Deputy Sheriff Samuels, who caught him, told Minor was looking for him all day. Bill replied that he came; why didn't he come home; he was in the swamp in the best of spirits and nothing had happened. He would escape if the opportunity sent itself.

He was needed as to where he had been spending his time. He said he was in the swamp, he says he was in the swamp, he says he was in the swamp.

Tom Moore, who was with Minor, who was killed while resisting arrest, was sentenced to life in the penitentiary for killing his brother. Moore was in search of some papers that he considered

important in his case and was accompanied by Minor. He had insurance company who carried the policy on his brother's life and he had several mistrials with it. It was for this case that he was searching for papers when he and his pal were surprised at St. Clair. Moore hoped to reopen the case at some future time. He was a young man, about 20 years of age, and his chances for commutation were good. He had been a trust for the past two years, being allowed much freedom during that time. Minor is about 60 years old, a native of Kentucky. He will be kept in jail here until the state authorities come after him.

The reward of \$300 offered by the Southern Express Company for the capture of Bill Minor will be paid to the persons responsible for his capture upon the filing of affidavits and proper proof.

The express company received the first information of the capture of Minor through the Georgian Saturday morning and officials stated that the reward would be paid promptly when the proper action had been taken.

"Old Bill" Minor, the train robber recently recaptured at Waynesboro after his sensational escape from the state prison farm, will be sent back there at once despite the fact that he laughs at it and says it is the easiest place to escape from he has ever tried. Chairman R. E. Davison, of the prison commission, stated that Minor would be sent back to the farm, and that he might try to escape if he wants to, but will not find it so easy a second time. He is to be double shanked and kept in the main stockade where guards will be constantly on the job.

Chairman Davison is going to take him at his word and says he will not be allowed to go near the hospital, no matter how sick he pretends to be. There are certain reports in connection with Minor's escape from the farm which the Prison Commission will investigate.

**A Texas Wonder.**

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, removing gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from Georgia and other states. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.

## SEE ME TO SEE RIGHT



Dr. C. R. Coulton

OFFICE.

OVER SEA ISLAND BANK BUILDING.

At My Office Mondays Only.

WILL BE AT

\$10.00 Reward.

For any information as to the whereabouts of four head of cattle which strayed from my place, about seven miles south of Statesboro, on or about March the 1st.

One dark brown cow marked swallow fork in one ear and cross neck in other; one yellow Jersey heifer marked swallow fork in one ear; one white heifer and one brown heifer with small white specks, both unmarked.

A. J. TRAPPNELL, Statesboro, Ga., R. F. D. No. 4.

# ANNOUNCEMENT

We take this method of announcing to our friends and the public generally that we will open a Sales and Feed Stables in the new Concrete building near The Savannah & Statesboro Railway depot, on Vine St.

On or about November the 15th, we will have a fine lot of Tennessee Mules and Kentucky Horses, absolutely the best stock ever to be had here, and we ask the people to await their arrival before purchasing stock.

Hoping to have a call from you, we are Respectfully,

# Anderson & Edwards

# THE STATESBORO NEWS.

\$1 PER YEAR

STATESBORO, GEORGIA, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1911

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## Begin at The Bottom

That's good advice. First because it is the sure way; second, because for the most of us it is the only way. A step at a time, one dollar piled up beside another, careful, conservative, saving—these things will bring you gradually but surely up the ladder of success. Men fail because they get in too big a hurry, too anxious to grab at the golden apples just out of reach. Stick to your ladder, stick to your job, stick to your saving habit. The fellow who goes up like a sky rocket usually comes down like a thousand of bricks.

Bank of Statesboro      Statesboro Georgia

## HODGES FINDS HIS HOME.

Readers of this paper will remember that about a month or so ago we printed an account of a check being raised from four dollars to forty by a man named C. R. Hodges, drawn on the Bank of Metter by Mr. M. F. Jones.

The man who did this work had gone out and picked cotton for Mr. Jones, and received payment in check. The work of raising the check was a clever piece of forgery and showed that the man who did it was not an ordinary day laborer traveling from post to post earning his bread by the sweat of his brow. Efforts were made to catch him but he eluded his pursuers and now he has shown up at Thomasville, where he touched one of the banks for more than seven hundred dollars. He has already been indicted and tried and sentenced to serve eight years in the penitentiary.

Thus it seems that he has now reached the haven he has been searching for for some time. In the meantime the bank at Metter is still out their thirty-six dollars.

## G. B. JOHNSON ARRESTED.

Deputy Sheriff Shaw, of Tift county, was in town on Wednesday and placed under arrest Mr. G. B. Johnson, of Pulaski, who is charged with cheating and swindling. Mr. Johnson accompanied the officer back to Tift Thursday morning where a preliminary hearing will be held. It is charged that Mr. Johnson gave a check for fifty-two dollars on the Bank of Polk and when the check was presented there was no funds to meet the check, in fact it is said that Mr. Johnson had never had an account with the Bank of Polk. Mr. Johnson was seen by a News reporter and stated that he had never drawn a check on the Bank of Polk. Mr. Johnson, who has been a prominent citizen of this county all his life, purchased some farm property in Tift county last spring, which explains why he was transacting business in that section.

## ATTENTION, DEMOCRATS.

Big line Wool Knit Goods, Sweaters, Searls, Shawls, Boates, Aviation Hoods and Caps. Statesboro Mercantile Co.

One price, plain figures. THE RACKET STORE.

A meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee is hereby called to meet at Statesboro, Georgia, at 11 o'clock, in the court house on Saturday, the 18th instant.

C. H. PARRISH, Chairman.

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

# First National Bank

STATESBORO, GEORGIA

At Close of Business Oct. 2, 1911:

## RESOURCES.

Loans	.....	\$20,637 41
Overdrafts	.....	1,282 01
Real Estate	.....	13,000 00
United States Bonds	.....	10,000 00
Furniture and Fixtures	.....	2,232 34
5 Per Cent. Fund	.....	500 00
Cash and Surplus	.....	54,918 11
		\$812,569 86

## LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	.....	\$25,000 00
Surplus and Profit	.....	34,377 35
Circulation	.....	10,000 00
Bills Payable	.....	40,000 00
Deposits	.....	203,192 55

CAPITAL, \$25,000.00

SURPLUS, \$20,000.00

Brooks Simmons, Pres.

J. E. McCroan, Cash.

Directors: F. P. Register, M. G. Brannen, J. B. Rushing, F. E. Heflin.

H. Simmons, W. W. Williams, Brooks Simmons

## NEGRO COTTON PICKERS TRY FLIM FLAM GAME.

Mr. William Rogers of Undine, returned from Savannah Thursday afternoon where he went looking for cotton pickers. He secured the promise of several negroes to accompany him home, all of them asking advances, of course, as usual they set in to flim flam the farmers who try to get them out into the country. To work they kept jumping Mr. Rogers until when he reached Dover he had only four, the last one having escaped just below Haledonville, where he jumped from the moving train. He left his well filled suit case on the train, and Mr. Rogers thought perhaps he had left some valuables in it. When it was opened a lot of brick bats rolled out of it. Fortunately, however, this particular con had obtained only a small sum in addition to his ticket. He was working the game all right, and it was lucky that no more was invested in him.

## CASTLEBURY WANTED AT METTER.

J. S. Castleberry, a slick all round scoundrel who has been working in this section as an insurance agent, is under arrest in Savannah, charged with floating a worthless note on Mikell Bros. in exchange for booze and cash. The note was to be cashed by one of the banks at Vidalia, the bank in question answered over long distance phone that there was nothing doing and Castleberry was placed under arrest. When the paper reached Metter telling an account of the arrest of Castleberry, Mr. G. L. Williams, cashier of the Citizens Bank, swore out a warrant for him, he also having touched Mr. Williams for ten dollars on a worthless check drawn on the Vidalia bank.

## Tax Collector's Rounds.

I will be at the following places to collect tax and register: Thursday, Nov. 16, court ground, 48 Dist., 8 a. m.; Miller's store, 10 a. m.; Morris store, 11 a. m.; Thompson's store, 12 m.; Brooklet, Tyler & Mikell's at night.

Friday, Nov. 17th, Knight Bros. 8 a. m.; Shilton, 10 a. m.; Hubert, 12 m.; S. A. Williams, 3 p. m.; Jake Fitch place, 4:30 p. m.; Bill Cowart at night.

Saturday, Nov. 18, Esda School house 8 a. m.; court ground 1:30 p. m.; 11 a. m.; J. W. Bennett's 3 p. m.; Ben Hodges, 4:30 p. m.

Sunday, Nov. 19th, C. D. Rushing, 10 a. m.; Shelton Anderson's, 12 m.; court ground 44 Dist., 2 p. m.; old court ground, 3:30 p. m.; General Lewis' at night.

Tuesday, Nov. 21st, Adabelle, 8 a. m.; Josiah Everett's, 10 a. m.; Bedford Everett's, 12 m.; Pulaski, 2 p. m.; Parish, 3:30; Madison Warren's at night.

Wednesday, Nov. 22 Metter, 7 a. m.; Josh Lanier's, 12 m.; A. A. Turner's, 2 p. m.; court ground 1320 Dist., 4 p. m.; J. M. Minney's at night.

Thursday, Nov. 23rd, Portal, 8 a. m.; court ground 46 Dist., 10:30 a. m.; Oliver Finch's, 12 m.; Jim Mixon's, 2 p. m.; Mallard's Mill, 4 p. m.; M. E. Canon's at night.

Friday, Nov. 24th, court ground 1575 Dist., 8 a. m.; Clito, 10 a. m.; Zoar, 12 m.

C. W. ZETTEROWER.

T. C. B. C.

## For County Superintendent of Education.

Georgia—Bulloch County. To the voters of said county: By reason of some irregularity in the last election in the matter of selecting a school superintendent for this county, it has become necessary for another election to be had for this purpose. At the request of my friends I hereby announce as a candidate for this office, to be voted on at the primary for the selection of a governor on Dec. 7, 1911. I shall appreciate the support of the voters of this county and if elected promise a faithful administration of the duties of the office.

This Nov. 11, 1911. B. R. OLLIFF.

## For County Superintendent of Education.

I take this method of announcing myself a candidate for the office of county superintendent of education, subject to a Democratic primary if one is held. Feeling that I am prepared to discharge the duties of the office in a fair competent manner, I will appreciate the support of my fellow citizens.

Respectfully, JAMES H. ST. CLAIR.

JOHNSON-THAIN.

On Sunday afternoon, the 29th inst., at the home of the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson, near Metter, Miss Carey Johnson and Mr. T. P. Thain were united in marriage, Judge M. Y. Parish officiating. The marriage was a quiet affair, only a few of the intimate friends of the contracting parties being present. The News joins their many friends in extending congratulations.

**Notice.**

All persons owing me for guano will be charged interest from Nov. 1st, if not paid by the 15th of November.

W. L. STREET, Statesboro, Ga.

## Hog Strayed.

Strayed from my home, two miles east of Statesboro, on the 5th of Nov., one black hog, white spotted pig, with smooth crop in right ear and split in left ear. Finder will please notify H. D. MOORE, Statesboro, Ga., Route 3, Box 2.

DRS. PRICKETT & BRADSHAW

Graduated veterinary surgeons, physicians and dentists, from Dublin, Ga., will be in Statesboro every Saturday. Parties needing services can find us at the Statesboro Drug and Wagon Company's Stables.

**Residence for Sale.**

My home on North Main street. A very desirable location, being offered at reasonable price and easy terms. See me at once if you want to buy.

S. L. MOORE.

## Strayed.

From Pulaski, with buggy harness on, black mare mule, weight about 1,000 pounds. Any information as to her whereabouts will be rewarded.

D. B. DONALDSON, Statesboro, Ga., R. F. D. 5.

## Money to Loan.

I make five year farm loans at six and seven per cent interest.

R. LEE MOORE.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Zetterower spent a day or two in Augusta during the first of the week.

# SEA ISLAND BANK

Statesboro, Ga.

Capital and Surplus, \$80,000.00

The first consideration of the Officers and Directors of this bank, is the security of the funds entrusted to our care by depositors. Our past record is an absolute guarantee of sound and safe banking methods. On this evidence of stability and strength, we respectfully ask for your banking business.



## FALL SHOES

With the approach of Fall the necessity for heavier shoes is apparent.

At the same time fall shoes must possess a distinct style in harmony with the season. Our new fall shoes not only possess these merits, and add to your general appearance, but will give you a high degree of comfort. Come in now, select your fall shoes, and be ready for the change in weather.

# THE RACKET STORE

**Fine Colt For Sale.**

The undersigned has a fine colt which he will sell cheap. Colt is about seventeen months old, and is well grown for age. Weight between 600 and 700 pounds.

JIM HARVEY, Pulaski, Ga., R. F. D. 1.

**Lost Note.**

The undersigned lost a note on Nov. 1, amount of same is \$16.50, not certain where; the note was made by Luther McElven to J. J. Martin. Finder please return to the undersigned and oblige.

n-11-21 LUTHER McELVEN.

I carry in stock kiln dried, dressed Lumber at reasonable prices. A. J. Franklin.

For further particulars apply at this office.

GEO. T. GROOVER      GEORGE RAWLS

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Building Supplies, Tinware, and Crockery, Farming Implements. Agents for Vulcan and Gantt Plows, Avery Stalk Cutters, Leadbetter One Seed Planters

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