

WESTERN UNION CO. KELLER LECTURE DROPPED BY TRUST TO AVOID TROUBLE

AGREEMENT DELIGHTS FEDERAL OFFICIALS

Government Obtains More Than Suit Could Have Won—Independent Companies May Use Toll Lines

Washington, December 19.—Attorney General McReynolds tonight made public the details of an agreement between the Western Union Telegraph company and the telephone trust...

Wilson Approves Plan

The plan met not only the approval of the attorney general and his chief trust lawyer, C. O. Todd, and officials of the subsidiaries of the combine, but was heartily approved by President Wilson...

VICE PRESIDENT TO GO ON LECTURE PLATFORM

Marshall Will Get \$300 Per Speech—Will Tour the Middle West

Chicago, December 19.—It was announced tonight that Vice President Thomas R. Marshall has accepted an offer to give a series of lectures...

Incompetence, Favoritism and Criminal Negligence Charged by Grand Jury

Dublin, Ga., December 19.—(Special.) Some of the most sensational grand jury presentations ever brought in here were returned by the grand jury of Laurens county yesterday afternoon...

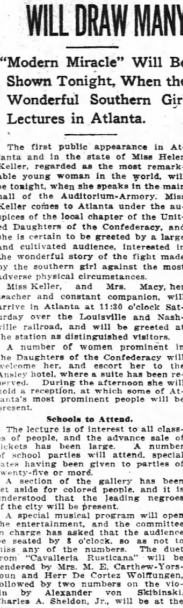
RICH NEW YORK CHURCH INSTALLS BARBER SHOP

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SHAFER'S NEW PAPER WILL BE RUN BY WOMEN

Denver, Col., December 19.—Announcement was made tonight by John C. Shafer, owner of The Rocky Mountain News, that a new paper to be published in Denver...

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Currency Reform Bill As Approved by Wilson

As Passed by Senate

BOOM IN BUSINESS SEEN BY BANKERS

Even Those Who Did Not Favor Currency Measure Promise Support—End of Agitation Means Prosperity

Leading Atlanta bankers were generally relieved when they were informed last night that the currency bill had passed the United States senate...

Measure Framed by Democratic Senate Caucus as a Substitute for House Bill Adopted by Vote of 54 to 34.

SIX G. O. P. SENATORS JOIN THE DEMOCRATS IN THE FINAL VOTE

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Weather Prophecy

Table with columns for location and weather forecast. Locations include Atlanta, Boston, Chicago, etc.

READEROMETER

Table with columns for circulation statistics. Includes 'THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION' and 'THE ATLANTA NEWS'.

Christmas Wanta

Christmas Wanta can be filled quickly and satisfactorily through Constitution Want Ads.

Index to Want Columns

Table with columns for page numbers and column numbers for various 'Want' ads.

THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION

C. F. von BERRMANN





SCHOOL WILL REOPEN; WAS CLOSED BY GOSSIP

Pretty Teachers and Busy Rides Subject of Much Sewing Club Talk.

Alleging that he wished to discipline the residents of the Mayson school district and "put a stop to the disquieting of teachers sent to that district..."

DECIDE TO MEET HERE. Salesmen of Western Electric Company to Convene.

Through the efforts of the convention bureau of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, which Fred House is secretary, the annual convention of the salesmen of the Western Electric company will be held in Atlanta for the week commencing January 12.

OWLS' CHRISTMAS TREE ON DECEMBER 26

The owls' club have set December 26 for the day on which they will have their Christmas tree for the poor children of Atlanta.

DAMAGES TO LINEMAN MAKE GEORGIA RECORD

What is considered to be the largest verdict for personal damages rendered in the history of Georgia courts was given yesterday by the court in the case of...

WOLFFUNGEN TO SING AT THE AUDITORIUM

Herr De Corse Wolffungen will be the soloist at the free organ concert Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Auditorium.

Summerville Lodges Elect.

Summerville, Ga., December 19. (Special)—The secret orders of Summerville have elected their officers for the coming year.

SCHOOL FOLK HAPPY OVER LONGER HOLIDAY

Stores Will Be Crowded With Children, for They Must Shop, Too.

Twenty-five thousand Atlanta school children greeted with a cheer the announcement Friday morning that after Friday there would be no more school until Monday, January 1.

Dr. McConnell Returns. Dr. Lincoln McConnell, pastor of the Baptist Tabernacle, returns today from a lecture tour of the middle west.

Bishop Candler at St. Paul's

Bishop W. A. Candler will preach the morning sermon at St. Paul's Methodist church at 11 o'clock and the evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

POSTOFFICE SWAMPED WITH CHRISTMAS MAIL

All Letters and Packages Should Be Mailed Today, Says Postmaster Jones.

"If you want to have your mail delivered by Christmas day mail it not later than Saturday."

Sues to Recover Child. Attorney A. W. White filed a petition of habeas corpus in superior court on Friday representing Mrs. Rose D. Knight who seeks to recover her own child who is now in the custody of Dr. W. Knight, a machinist.

MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS FOR CHILDREN

Advertisement for Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, highlighting its benefits for infants and children.

RUCKER REQUESTS ORDERED PAID AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

Judge W. D. Ellis, on Friday, ordered that the money bequeathed in the will of the late Mrs. Mary J. Rucker, who left an estate valued at over \$100,000, be paid as soon as possible.

Powell had not missed though both persons are now dead, and that the bequest should go to the children of Mrs. Lena Hooper Powell.

XMAS RATES Reduced over N. C. & S. L. Ry. and W. & A. R. R. Apply any agent.

open soon and avail itself of the will and according to the court ruling it will not be necessary for the administrator of the estate to remove the funds from the trustee's custody.

GIFTS For Men

A collection that responds to your farthest wish in quality, variety and price---

50c—to—\$100

is a scale of prices that covers every contingency and offers the greatest possibilities for quick and satisfactory selection.

Eiseman Bros., INC. 11-13-15-17 Whitehall

Only 4 Shopping Days Left!

JACKSON HILL PLANS ITS ENTERTAINMENT

The annual Christmas entertainment of the primary department of the Jackson Hill Sunday school will be held at 8:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the new school building.

MATRON FOR THE JAIL ASKED BY MANY WOMEN

The Atlanta Equal Suffrage association, supported by many of the leading civic organizations and clubs of the city, is endeavoring to have a matron appointed for the Fulton county jail.



The Wintry Way of An Overcoat

A good many of the folks who face the wintry wind today are making up their minds on an important subject. Men are saying to themselves: "If we're going to have winter, after all, I shall do myself the honor of a handsome overcoat."

Women are thinking: "What a splendid idea to buy a smart fur-trimmed coat for the 'big man of the family,' or to give one of great good warmth to another who needs it."

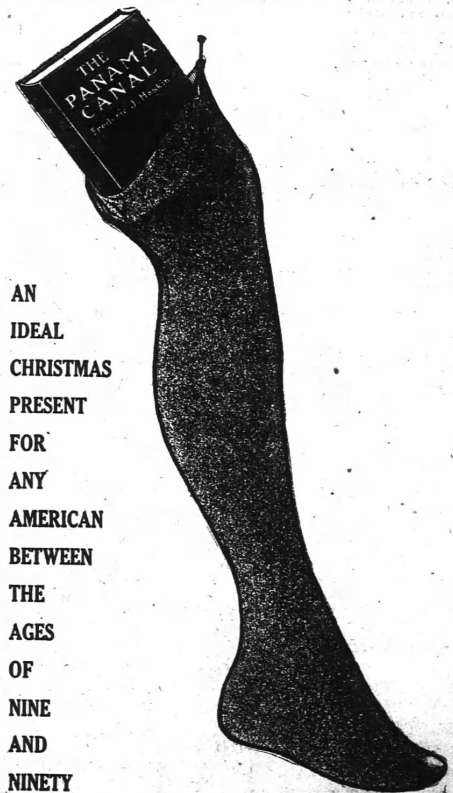
We would say to these deep thinkers that the Muse Coat department is inclined to your service, and offers just these sort of Coats—all true to your Christmas thought—all true to the name of Muse. We're always glad to show them. We very nearly always do sell them when we show them.

It's the Muse Overcoat way to get sold, and then to stick to its owner.

It's good to own one of these, and there's a price to fit your investment somewhere from

\$15 to \$65

Geo. Muse Clothing Co.



AN IDEAL CHRISTMAS PRESENT FOR ANY AMERICAN BETWEEN THE AGES OF NINE AND NINETY

Useful. Cheap. Handsome. The most accurate and best selling book on the Panama Canal. See coupon in this issue.





**MORE POWER OVER RAILROADS WANTED**

**Interstate Commerce Commission Recommends Further Action by Government to Guard Public.**

Washington, December 19.—Emphasizing the necessity for further action by the federal government to provide greater safety for travelers and employees upon American railroads, the Interstate Commerce Commission, in its annual report, submitted to congress today, makes numerous recommendations for additional powers over the physical construction and "ratting" of the roads. The commission also recommends that it be given authority to supervise the issue of railroad securities and some measure of control over the capitalization.

Conditions disclosed by the commission's investigation of railroad accidents during the year, and the attention which the commission believes ought to be the subject of immediate legislation. Seventy-six accidents investigated costed thirty-one collisions and twenty-five derailments, caused the death of 213 and the injury of 1,829 persons. Commenting upon these facts, the report says:

**Employee Laziness a Blame.**—The commission again is compelled to note the exceedingly high percentage of train accidents due to dereliction of duty on the part of employees. Fifty-six of the accidents investigated during the year, or nearly 14 per cent of the whole number, were caused by mistakes of employees. These mistakes were the same as those noted by the commission in its last annual report, namely: the failure to give signals; improper flagging; failure to observe the rules; improper checking of train registers; misunderstanding of the meaning of the main track on time of superior train; block operator allowing a superior occupied block dispatcher to give an order or signal; improper use of the block switch left open in face of an order; and failure to give the proper signal to identify train that was met.

**All Violations a Blame.**—All of the mistakes noted above are violations of the rules and regulations which have been easily understood by men of ordinary intelligence. The evidence is that in the majority of cases the men who are responsible for the safe movement of trains, the men who are in charge of the operation of the roads, are ignorant of the rules which they are to observe. Many of the accidents are caused by the failure of the men to observe the rules which they are to observe. The commission is of the opinion that the men who are responsible for the safe movement of trains, the men who are in charge of the operation of the roads, are ignorant of the rules which they are to observe.

**Santa Pays an Early Visit and Gets Caught**



All day long where the hurrying feet of thousands of Christmas shoppers go swiftly on Peachtree street sits the "Blind Man of the Viaduct." He sits and grins from his little red hand organ the merriest tunes in the world, and despite the fact that he cannot see the happy faces of those who pass him, his own face is always wrinkled with kindly lines, for ever and anon some prosperous business man or some rosy-cheeked, chubby-faced youngster is dropping a nickel or a dime in his little tin box.

Yesterday the "Blind Man of the Viaduct" gave Santa Claus the surprise of his life. A real live Santa Claus walked up to him and dropped a dime in his tin box. The blind man said, "Thank you, Mr. Santa Claus."

"How in the world did you know that I was Santa Claus?" asked the surprised St. Nick. "You can't see, can you?"

"No, I can't see," said the blind man, "but when you give the little boys and girls their Christmas presents, they don't see you, do they?"

"When I come they are always fast asleep."

"But when they wake up they know that you brought the toys and things, don't they?"

"Of course."

"I am like the little boys and girls," said the blind man. "I can't see Santa Claus, but I know when he comes."

**Men and Religion Bulletin No. 89**

**Christian Civilization Against Liquor Degradation**

**"He will lift up an ensign to the nations--and they shall come swiftly"---Isaiah 5:26**

Throughout the known world there is evidence of the spirit of God at work.

Everywhere in all nations men and women are rising up to fight against evil.

In nothing is this more manifest than in the fight against the liquor trade.

The Iron Chancellor, Bismarck, said: "If the workmen's protective code could be extended to protection against the drink evil, a great part of the social question would be solved at once."

The Emperor William of Germany has said: "If you educate the people to give up alcohol--if you stand for these principles, my people will be raised morally. This is a work in which I beg you to participate."

Casimir Perier, former President of France, is a leader in the fight against alcohol in that country.

M. Georges Clemenceau, Ex-Minister of State of France, has written: "Alcohol takes more or less time to kill its victim, but it very quickly makes of him an individual of poor quality. . . . The destiny of that people which is unable to react against a moral and physical degeneration accepted in exchange for a degrading pleasure is sealed."

The Belgian Minister of Justice has stated: "You will never solve the social question until you have vanquished alcoholism. Because of it all reforms are doomed beforehand to sterility."

Leader of the Belgian Social Democracy, Emile Vandervelde, said: "Frankly, I see no reason for waiting for the morrow of the social revolution before we stop poisoning ourselves."

Victor Adler, leader of Austrian Social Democracy, has said: "I hold the fight against alcoholism to be one of the most important parts of my personal work."

The English Licensing Bill of 1908 would have closed between thirty and thirty-two thousand drinking places.

The House of Commons adopted it by a vote of 350 to 113.

Every member of the Labor Party voted for it.

The House of Lords defeated it. 130 of these noble men, peers of the realm, voting on the bill, were either brewers or shareholders in brewing and distilling enterprises.

You have heard it said: "Beer drinking is harmless--particularly as it is done in Germany."

Dr. Emil Muensterberg says: "FIFTY THOUSAND INSANE ARE IN GERMAN ASYLUMS YEARLY WHOSE SICKNESS CAN BE TRACED BACK TO ALCOHOL."

Munich is the greatest of brewing and beer drinking centers in that great country.

At its October fest: "The first week a drunken attendant was fatally stabbed. Some days afterwards, two people were injured in the same way."

"The last Sunday--in a single beer booth, the Bauerni, no less than forty-eight persons were wounded, among them two policemen."

"The Sanitary Corps were obliged to order more beds since the drunken women handed over to them were so numerous."

"In all, 363 cases of wounds--143 of sudden sickness. Of these, 116 were women."

In a signed statement, 800 professors and physicians of Germany declare: "Drinking customs bring degeneracy, poverty, sickness, vice, crime, madness and death--"

"Thousands die yearly because of the drunkenness of others--"

"We recall the many accidents--the endless cases of assault and murder--"

"WE REMEMBER THE UNNUMBERED FAMILIES WHO HAVE BEEN MALTREATED BY DRUNKEN FATHERS."

"We recall the hundreds of thousands born sick and wretched because of drunkenness."

Dr. von Bunge is professor of Physiological Chemistry in the University of Basel.

He says: "Such horrors as a great modern joint stock brewery perpetrates are unrivaled in the whole world's history. Men in past centuries were made chattel slaves. But the slaves kept their health. Men have been killed by thousands. But the children of the murdered remained strong. Now they make slaves of them and murder them at the same time."

"They kill them with their children and children's children."

Your Prohibition Law is only a part of a world movement against this curse.

When your Chief of Police and the Force close locker clubs that are violating this law--

When juries, as in Savannah yesterday, convict men of violating this law--

They, with you, are only obeying God's call. Everywhere His children are moving forward.

**PEYTON MADE HEAD OF THE N., C. & ST. L.**

Chief Engineer of Construction of the Louisville and Nashville Road to Take Office on April 1.

Nashville, Tenn., December 19.—John Howe Peyton, chief engineer of construction of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, was today elected president of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad, effective April 1, 1914, to succeed John W. Thomas, Jr., deceased.

Effective the same date Mr. Peyton succeeds Mr. Thomas as a director.

The delay is due to the road's charter provision that a president or director must be a bona fide stockholder for at least ninety days. For the interim Major E. C. Lewis, chairman of the board, was elected president.

Mr. Peyton was elected general manager of the road effective January 1. He has been prominent in the construction of the new Lewisburg and Northville railroads, Louisville and St. Louis, and has been assistant to President John W. Thomas, of the Louisville and Nashville.

**Local Official Pleaded.**—The news of the election of John Howe Peyton as president of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad, and of Major E. C. Lewis, president, was generally welcomed in local railroad circles. Major J. M. Collins, division superintendent of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad, and Major Lewis, both men, particularly with Major Lewis, who has been connected with the road many years.

Major Lewis is one of the best known citizens of Nashville. He declared, having been prominently connected with nearly all public enterprises during the last twenty years. His work in connection with the extension of the road, which he was virtual head some years ago, will be long remembered.

Mr. Peyton is a younger man than Major Lewis and not altogether so well known, but he is a railroad man of experience and proved efficiency."

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**Exquisite Bracelet Watches in Platinum and Diamonds**

This Platinum, engraved expansion bracelet watch, studded with fine diamonds, is an exquisite creation. The movement is an extra fine one with full fifteen jewels. It is a splendid value at \$500.

We have others in Platinum at a wide range of prices.

Solid Gold bracelet watches range in price from \$20 up. In Gold Filled, \$750 upward.

More than a hundred bracelet watches in stock from which to make selections.

Bracelet watches will unquestionably continue to grow in favor. They make ideal gifts.

Visit the store and let us show you our stock, or write for 160-page illustrated catalogue and booklet, "Facts About Diamonds."

**MAIER & BERKELE, Inc.**  
Gold and Silverware  
Established 1827 31-33 Whitehall Street Atlanta, Ga.

**300 WOMEN ENFORCE LAW AGAINST SPITTING**

Pittsburg, December 19.—Two hundred women members of the Women's Health League, were today stationed in the principal streets of Pittsburg with the aim of enforcing the anti-spitting ordinance. Mrs. J. Stover and Miss An. caused the leading club women to join in the effort.

The anti-spitting ordinance was passed several years ago and has been in force on every block in the city, but

it has not been possible to do more than prepare an outline of the plan for the great task of valuing the railroad property.

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**WANTS GOVERNMENT TO PROTECT RADIUM**

Baltimore Md., December 19.—Dr. Howard Kelly, a Baltimore surgeon, is convinced that it is the imperative duty of the federal government for the public health to have the radium law, which is the aim of enforcing the anti-spitting ordinance. Mrs. J. Stover and Miss An. caused the leading club women to join in the effort.

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**CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT**  
Cures Croup, Colds, Coughs  
The only in the world, containing the purest extract of the finest Scotch whisky, and being the only cough remedy that is safe for children.

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE MEN AND RELIGION FORWARD MOVEMENT**

# Society

## "Last Call" at Seven Thirty At the Piedmont Driving Club

The "last call" for dinner at the Driving club tonight will be made at 7:30 o'clock, and anybody not arriving at that time may fare badly, according to statements made yesterday by members of the board of management of the Piedmont Driving Club.

The truth is, there are to be several surprises on the menu tonight—certain dishes which if not served at the moment will lose their flavor, and if they are kept "hot" waiting for late guests, they will get dry, and be generally disappointing.


Behind the menu, which should be generally disappointing, there are many people who do not mind dining on "cold" or "warm" dishes, delighted

with the fact that they have even gone so far as to bring to Atlanta the most delicious and beautiful of young women, to begin their dinner party, and finish up by dancing. They wish to begin their dinner party, and finish up by dancing. They wish to begin their dinner party, and finish up by dancing.

**McBurney's Dinner.**  
Mr. William McBurney entertained his guests at dinner last evening at his home on Peachtree street. The guests, who were seated around a table exquisitely decorated with Killarney roses, chose filled a tall silver vase on the center of the table, and showed here and there between the folds of an artistic arrangement of red-tinted ribbons.

**Mrs. Childs' Tea.**  
Mrs. Letty Childs entertained at 5 o'clock, tea yesterday at the Piedmont Driving Club, and the occasion was one hundred ladies to meet Mrs. Jesse Childs.

**Miss King's Bridge Party.**  
Miss King entertained at a party yesterday afternoon at her home on Peachtree street for Miss Christine Barnard, of San Francisco, Miss T. J. Ferguson, of Washington, and Miss Louise King, who has just returned from school in Washington, D. C. for the holidays.



**Baker's Cocoa**  
IS GOOD COCOA

Of fine quality, made from carefully selected high-grade cocoa beans, skilfully blended, prepared by a perfect mechanical process, without the use of chemicals or dyes. It contains no added potash, possesses a delicious natural flavor, and is of great food value.

Booklet of Choice Recipes sent free  
**Walter Baker & Co. Ltd.**  
Established 1870 DORCHESTER, MASS.

## Announcement

To expedite your shopping, and for the convenience of the trading public, Our stores will be open until 9:30 THIS EVENING

Especial facilities inaugurated for prompt and efficient service.

Shoes, Gloves, Handkerchiefs and Christmas Fancy Goods

# Keely Company

## Mrs. Foster Compiles Reader, Proceeds Go to Aid Education

Mrs. S. W. Foster, regent of the Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution, has compiled and published a readable book which she calls a "Revolutionary Reader," containing, as it does, reminiscences of the war, and which have been handed down since revolutionary days, and which in many instances have not been published.

Mrs. Foster has dedicated the book to the Daughters of the American Revolution and the proceeds of the sale will go to the educational fund which the Georgia daughters devote each year to educating Georgia boys and girls.

Lucien Lamar Knight, Georgia's biographer, and Professor James T. Derry, the noted Georgia historian, have endorsed Mrs. Foster's book, the publication of which she has given much thought and labor. Many of the stories she has heard, and heard recounted from persons who were present at various places that have seen the revolutionary landmarks and the scenes of the war, and which she has gathered from the files of the Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution, and which she has gathered from the files of the Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution.

**Christmas Dance.**  
Miss Katherine Darby will give a dance at her home on Avery drive Saturday evening, the 27th.

**Mrs. Floyd to Entertain.**  
Mrs. B. H. Floyd will entertain at a party at her home on Atlanta street on the afternoon of the 24th.

**Child Welfare Committee.**  
The child welfare committee of the Women's club will meet Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at the club building, 200 Peachtree street.

**For Misses Hardy.**  
Misses Ruby and Junia Hardy, of Dalton, are being delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. S. C. Cowan, at the Georgia Hotel.

**For Visitors.**  
Master Robert Carter, has as his guests the Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Carter, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Carter, who will be the guests of the hostess at this afternoon at the Porphyrt.

**The Yale Glee Club.**  
The coming of the Yale Glee Club to Atlanta on Christmas night for a concert and a dance at the Georgia Hotel will be followed by a dance at the Georgia Hotel.

**Endowment Committee.**  
Mrs. Z. J. Fitzpatrick, president of the Georgia Federation of Women's club, will be the guest of honor at the endowment committee of the Georgia Hotel.

**Bridge Tea.**  
Miss Helen Dargatzis gave a party yesterday at her home in the Georgian Hotel, and the occasion was one hundred ladies to meet Mrs. Jesse Childs.

**Escaped With Diamonds.**  
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**KAPPA SIGMAS MEET TO REORGANIZE CLUB**  
Members of the Kappa Sigmas fraternity, living in and near Atlanta, met at the Georgia Hotel yesterday afternoon to reorganize the local chapter of the fraternal organization.

**JUDGE FITZ PLEASUED WITH CITY ELECTION**  
Judge A. W. Fitz of Cartersville, made the statement yesterday that the city election held at Cartersville was not a victory for his opponents, as reported, but that he was largely defeated at the election.

**GOTHAM LAND BRINGS \$307 A SQUARE FOOT**  
New York, December 19.—A new record in the history of New York is established in a transaction just completed at Fifth avenue and Forty-second street. The price was \$2,500,000 for a tract of 100 acres of land, which is situated in the heart of the city.

**SATURDAY LAST DAY FOR TECH ENROLLMENT**  
President K. G. Matheson, of Georgia State University, has announced that the last day for enrollment in the technical department of the university is Saturday, December 20.

**CHRISTMAS DINNER FOR POOR NEGRO CHILDREN**  
The First Congregational church, corner Third and Peachtree streets, will give a Christmas dinner for poor negro children of the church. The dinner will be held at the church on Saturday, December 20.

**SMOKE ORDINANCE SENT BACK BY WOODWARD**  
Mayor Woodward on Friday sent back to council the ordinance passed by council last Monday and proposed by the city manager, which would have prohibited the sale of opium in the city.

**HULSEY GETS AS RESULT OF SHOTGUN ACCIDENT**  
G. C. Hulsey, the young farmer of Faithburn, on the left side of the city, was injured by the accidental discharge of a shotgun, which he was using to hunt for quail in a field near his home.

**ANY MUSELION WILL TELL YOU TO BUY A USED PLANE OF GOOD MAKE RATHER THAN A POOR NEW ONE. ADVERTISE FOR ONE IN A CONSTITUTION WAD 5007.**

## SUIT MAY BE BROUGHT IN COUNTY OF DAMAGE

In a number of damage cases against the Central of Georgia Power company, which were handed down by the supreme court yesterday, the constitutionality of the statute allowing the injured party in damage suits to bring suit in the county wherein the injury occurred was affirmed.

The cases were not all identical and some of them directed changes in the statute above affirmed. Mrs. Stubble, a Newton county farmer, Mrs. Stubble is the owner of 522 acres of land at the corner of the Yellow and Albany rivers. He alleged that the dam of the Central of Georgia Power company, which was in the neighborhood of his place and caused it to breed malaria, doing great damage to the health of his family and to his property.

## GRAY CAR DOOR CO. HAS STATE CHARTER

In the publication of an article from Calhoun in reference to the state president of the Gray Car Door company of Atlanta, has by state winding in the state of Georgia to W. J. Gray, who is a well-known and highly respected citizen of Atlanta, stated Friday that the statement made that they had turned over to the company, which was incorporated in Georgia, and which was incorporated in Georgia, and which was incorporated in Georgia.

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A Beautiful IRIDESCENT FOOTED BON-BON Given Away SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20th C. D. Kenny Co.

## THE DURHAM JEWELRY CO. CHRISTMAS OFFERTINGS

For a Christmas gift the Diamond outranks them all. It's a real lasting gift. It's a gift that means something and is always increasing in value.

## Singing Canaries Splendid for Christmas

Genuine singers with a Hastings guarantee back of them, \$2.75 each. Delivered day before Christmas if desired.

## Flowering Plants

Modestly priced, yet most acceptable as a Christmas remembrance. In 6-inch pots, deliciously fragrant and in full bloom.

## HASTINGS 16 West Mitchell Street

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SOCIAL ITEMS

children will be the guests of General... Mrs. Helen Patterson, of Stanton, Ga., who is the guest of Miss Corrie... Mrs. W. F. Dykes will return Tuesday...

STATE CHAMBER FUND ASSURED IN ATLANTA

Whirlwind Campaign Raises \$8,000, and Rest of \$12,500 Will Come After Holidays.

Redoubtable Bob McWhorter Will Vie With Jack Stalton for the Honors.

Great preparations are being made for the eleventh annual dinner of the Chi Psi Alumni association, which is to be held tonight at the Georgian Terrace...

TRUCKING IN GEORGIA THEME OF MEETING

Atlanta, Ga., December 19.—(Special.) The annual meeting of the Georgia State Horticultural society, which is to be held at the State College of Agriculture...

Low Death Rate.

Roma, Ga., December 19.—(Special.) Lendale, the mill village, 8 miles from Roma, with a population of 4,000 people, has a remarkably low death rate...

West Point Schools Close.

West Point, Ga., December 19.—(Special.)—The fall term of the West Point public school closed today for the winter holidays...

LUSITANIA

MAURETANIA, FEB. 1. LONDON PARIS BRISTOL. TICKETS... MAURETANIA, FEB. 1. LONDON PARIS BRISTOL. TICKETS...

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Our many lines of stock have been carefully arranged, with your convenience in mind.

New Orleans to Bremen

'65 One Class (10) Steamships. Regular service just established.

NORTH GERMAN LLOYD

Shipping line from Bremen. S. S. "Albatross" Dec. 22. S. S. "Albatross" Dec. 22.

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See Our Three Window Displays. There is no reason for you to dread your Christmas shopping.

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TRAINS DAILY

BETWEEN MACON AND ATLANTA. Leave Macon. Leave Atlanta.

Table with 2 columns: Leave Macon, Leave Atlanta. Rows for 8:00 a.m., 9:47 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 4:00 p.m., 6:00 p.m., 6:18 p.m.

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A dignified Christmas present that costs little money and will be much appreciated.

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The Girl of Dreams

MON., TUES., WED., THUR. SEATS NOW SELLING. The Quaker Girl with Victor Morley.

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THE WEEK LYRIC MEET

HAPPY BOONING. The Great Song of the Week.

THE GREAT SONG OF THE WEEK

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Just what I want!

That's what the children say, every time they see it. It is toothsome, wholesome, healthful. The very sweet that's best to eat—



ALAGA SYRUP

Nothing adds more to the enjoyment of waffles and battercakes than ALAGA. It makes wonderful gingercakes, puddings and candies. It is Nature's best sweet.

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ANGELUS PLAYER \$25

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72 NORTH BROAD STREET

Deal Jackson, Georgia's Famous First Bale Negro, Dies Suddenly at Albany

Albany, Ga., December 19.—(Special.) Deal L. Johnson, known throughout the south as the "first bale man of Georgia," and one of the most prominent negroes in this section of the state, died in Albany this morning at the age of 45.

Senio Lodge Officers.

Senio, Ga., December 19.—(Special.) A. C. Jones, president of the Senio Lodge, No. 1, of the O. E. S. Fraternity, has announced the following officers for the ensuing year.

Fielder Announces.

Cedarhurst, Ga., December 19.—(Special.) Colonel W. K. Fielder, a member of the Cedarhurst Lodge, No. 1, of the O. E. S. Fraternity, has announced the following officers for the ensuing year.

SUDDEN DEATH COMES TO WEST POINT MAN

West Point, Ga., December 19.—(Special.)—R. E. Reeves, 41, clerk in the credit office of the West Point, was found dead in his room this morning at the West Point Hotel. He was apparently to retire and was partially undressed, some of the bedding being on the floor about his feet.

OFFICIAL SLOGAN ADOPTED BY ROME

Roma, Ga., December 19.—(Special.)—Rome, just another way of saying Rome, has adopted the slogan "Rome, Rome, Rome" as its official slogan.

Best Lump Coal \$4.75

"Piedmont Coal Co., 1023."

Sports of the Day

EDITED BY Dick Jemison

OGETHORPE GOAL AHEAD IN SIGHT

Friends of Edwin Peeples Give Him Farewell Dinner

ATTORNEYS WILL FILE SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEFS

CLASS FOOTBALL AT GRANT FIELD

Sophomores Play Freshmen and Seniors Meet Juniors—First Game at 1:30 O'Clock.

The third round of games in the class football league is scheduled for this afternoon at Grant field...

POST-SEASON GAME NOT PLAYED

Only Three Company "C" Players Show Up—Practice Game Takes Place of Match Affair.

The post-season game of basketball which was booked to be played last night between Company C and the Governor's Horse Guard was not played.

WOLGAST SHARED BY CHARLIE WHITE

Exhibition of Clever Boxing Is Given in Ten-Round No-Decision Contest Held at Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Wis., December 19.—Charlie White, brilliant boxer and hard left, shared Ed Wolgast of Cadillac, Michigan, their ten-round no-decision boxing contest held at the Milwaukee Athletic Club.

Plan to End Campaign by Putting on Extra Steam

Only Lack \$38,547 of the Total Amount.

With the goal in sight the general campaign committee for Ogethorpe university will enter on the final leg of the big race today. All but \$38,547 of Atlanta's \$250,000 has been raised, and the general committee is going out early to make a whirlwind rush and collect the sum of \$12,000.

ELLIS AND BINNS WIN IN B. H. S. CONTESTS

Medals Awarded Them for Speeches at Christmas Exercises.

With an enthusiastic audience present, the Ogethorpe High School held its Christmas exercises at Telfer Hall Friday morning, beginning at 11 o'clock.

HIGH COURT AFFIRMS ROME LOCKER DECISION

Defendant Has Right to Jury Trial Before Injunction Made Permanent, However.

In the case of Hart Watkins et al. v. C. J. Wilkinson, known as the Rome locker club case, the supreme court yesterday affirmed the decision of the lower court upholding the right of the club to secure injunctions against members and locker clubs at "blind tigers".

Both Sides in Frank Case Claim Willful Distortion of Facts by Other.

Attorneys for Lee M. Frank declared Friday that they were preparing a supplementary brief to be presented to the supreme court calling the attention of the court to portions of Solicitor Hugh Downey's argument and brief which they declare to be glaring misstatements and misrepresentations.

It is asserted that the solicitor misrepresents the time when the suit was taken out of the clerk by Frank the morning after the murder of Mrs. Frank. The solicitor claims that this suit was a "wretched misrepresentation" while the defense holds that this action was taken by the solicitor before the trial and was taken up and subjected to criticism on the part of the defendant's lawyer.

GAME'S BEST CATCHER IS BILLY KILLIFER

Manager Dooin, of Phillips, Says He's Better Than Jimmy Archer.

Des Moines, December 19.—The best catcher in the world is not Charles E. Dooin, manager of the Des Moines Nationals, says Billy Killifer, his young backstop.

CROSS-COUNTRY RUN BY TECH STUDENTS

Four Teams Contest in Annual Race This Afternoon—Many Attractive Prizes.

The cross-country run which will be held this afternoon by the students at the Georgia Institute of Technology has never been conducted at the school as an individual performance of the best runner in the city.

AUGUSTA QUARTET TO PLAY LOCALS

Strong Young Men's Christian Association Five to Meet the A. C. Quintet Tonight.

The Augusta Young Men's Christian Association quartet, consisting of four members, will play their first local contest at the Atlanta Athletic club tonight.

WOMAN KNOCKED DOWN STAIRS BY MACON CHIEF

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"SILENT LEGION" WARS ON LIQUOR IN SAVANNAH

Beer and Whisky Is Secured From Over Fifty Saloons as Evidence.

Savannah, Ga., December 19.—(Special)—While on his way back from the generalship of W. B. Stubbs, today he was accompanied by a large force of men in the form of liquor traffic in Savannah.

AGED WOMAN KILLED BY CENTRAL TRAIN

Mrs. Mary Aldridge, of Dugdown, Ga., Meets Death on Railroad Track.

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Elberfeld and Pelicans Disagree on Contracts; May Mean Open Breach

New Orleans, December 19.—(Special)—Whether Kid Elberfeld plays with the Pelicans in 1914 or not hinges entirely on whether the new Orleans management can come to terms on salary with the player.

FRENCHMEN CRY "FAKE" AS JOHNSON BATTLES

Paris, December 19.—Jack Johnson, heavyweight champion, and "Hating" Jim Johnson, of Galveston, Texas, are in a new pugilist match in a ten-round contest over tonight, which ended in a draw.

SOCCEUR LEAGUE Georgia State League Plays Opening Games Today.

The Georgia State League soccer league opened its season last night and will be started on Saturday, when the first game will be played.

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Cordele Schools Close.

Cordele, Ga., December 19.—(Special)—The schools here were closed today to observe the Christmas holidays.

NORTH AND HIGGINS SIGNED BY PELICANS

New Orleans, December 19.—(Special)—Official announcement was made Wednesday by Secretary Heinemann that North and Higgins, members of the Pelicans, have been purchased for the 1914 season.

M'LOUGHLIN HEADS LIST OF TENNIS PLAYERS

New York, December 19.—R. D. Wrenn, president of the United States Tennis Association, today announced the list of players who will take part in the annual meeting of the association held here tonight.

WALSH BOYS SIGN Semi-Pro Players Are Now Regular Crackers.

The Walsh brothers, the two semi-professional players, have signed to Manager Billy Smith by Mike Dooin, who has signed them to regular contracts.

Piedmont The Cigarette of Quality. You will be quick to appreciate the goodness of Piedmont when you smoke them. And because they are so good—they are the biggest selling cigarette in America.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY. POLARINE. Pololine maintains a correct lubricating body, under all motor conditions. Under high speed and intense heat, every moving part gets its proper supply and quality of fuel.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY FARES SOUTHERN RAILWAY. ALABAMA, FLORIDA, GEORGIA, KENTUCKY, NORTH AND SOUTH CAROLINA, TENNESSEE, VIRGINIA, WASHINGTON, D. C., AND CINCINNATI, OHIO.

Dr. McConell Lecture. Dr. McConell lectures on "The Science of the Human Mind" at the Georgia Institute of Technology.

FREE BOOKLET TELLING MEN HOW TO OBTAIN HEALTH AND STRENGTH. BIRMINGHAM ATHLETIC CLUB.

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That Option Made New Low Ground for the Movement—The Market Closed Easy, 6 to 13 Points Off.

Table with columns: Range in New York Cotton, Open, High, Low, Close, Prev. Close.

Closed easy.

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Table listing various bonds with columns: U. S. ref. reg. registered, U. S. 4s, U. S. 4s coupon, etc.

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MEXICAN REBELS CAPTURE GUAYMAS

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ATLANTA GUY HELD BY MOBILE POLICE

Williams Claimed to Be White Slave. Mobile, Ala., December 19.—(Special)

N. O., M. & C. RAILROAD IN RECEIVER'S HANDS

Mobile, Ala., December 19.—The New Orleans, Mobile and Chicago railroad...

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FUNERAL NOTICES

CONVERSE—The funeral of the Rev. Dr. Converse...

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MURPHY TICKET WINS IN ORDINARY COURT

The contest over the Stone Mountain majority election was concluded by Judge James H. McMurtry...

PRESIDENT VISITS OFFICE FOR FIRST TIME IN WEEK

Washington, December 19.—President Wilson came to his office today for the first time since he was taken ill more than a week ago.

WILL SETTLE QUESTION OF BOUNDARY IN LONDON

Florence, Italy, December 19.—The international commission for the demarcation of the Albanian frontier today...

AUTOIST GETS ONE YEAR FOR KILLING 4-YEAR-OLD

Milwaukee, Wis., December 19.—A Milwaukee man, 48 years old, and wealthy, was today found guilty of murder in the fourth degree...

Mobile, Ala., December 19.—(Special) Harry M. Davis, giving his home as Birmingham and Mrs. F. B. Weaver, aged 15, given her home address as Atlanta, Ga., were arrested here...

That "Vice Squad" Just "Wid Shadow Him, He Tells Jett. Night Chief E. L. Jett sat at his desk at police headquarters early last night...

Bell Ivy Walks Into Police Headquarters to Ask the Why and Wherefore of It All

Night Chief E. L. Jett sat at his desk at police headquarters early last night enmeshed in a maze of crime reports that told beyond dispute that...

OFFICER IMPRISONED FOR ZABERN INCIDENT

Strasburg, December 19.—A sentence of forty-five days imprisonment was pronounced by a court today for the arrest of Officer Von Forster...

BOY'S TRAPEZE CAUSE OF ACCIDENTAL DEATH

Erie, Pa., December 19.—A trapeze which had set up in the air in the Chestnut Childs, aged 17, a sentence of forty-five days imprisonment...

HEMPHILL AND GONZALES LOSE NEWSPAPER SUIT

Greensboro, N. C., December 19.—The United States district court today dismissed the suit of J. C. Hemphill and Ambrose E. Gonzales...

BECKER'S MOTHER DIES IGNORANT OF HIS FATE

New York, December 19.—The mother of a man who was shot and killed in the Bronx last week, died today...

From the police files of other independent companies served by exchange with the Bell Telephone Company...

YUAN WOULD DISSOLVE CHINESE PARLIAMENT

Peking, December 19.—A mandate issued by President Yuan Shi Kai today expresses full approval of a petition...

SAYS SHAREHOLDERS WILL BE BENEFITED

Officials do not believe that either the American Telephone and Telegraph company or the Postal Telegraph and Cable company...

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