THE AUGUSTA SUNDAY HERALD

VOLUME XIV., No. 276. AUGUSTA, GEORGIA, SUNDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 3, 1909. DAILY AND SUNDAY, $6.00 PER YEAR.

BURTON-TAYLOR-WISE CO.

BIG CROWDS RESPONDED TO OUR GREAT SALE OF LAST FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

SUCH A RESPONSE AS THAT SIMPLY SHOWS HOW OFFERINGS BY THE BURTON-TAYLOR-WISE COMPANY ARE CONSIDERED BY THE PUBLIC. THEY KNOW THAT OUR REGULAR OFFERINGS ARE SO REMARKABLE THAT WHEN ANY CUT IS MADE, THAT BEING MET BY COMPETITION IS SIMPLY OUT OF THE QUESTION. THE SAME VALUES CONTINUE FOR MONDAY WITH MANY ADDITIONS. COME, LOOK FOR YOURSELF AND BE CONVINCED.

You Can Save Big Money On Your Sheets, Sheeting and Pillow Cases

If You Will Attend This Sale Monday.

Full Bleached Double Bed Sheeting, good smooth finish, 25c grade, at 21c
Full Width Unbleached Soft Fine Sheeting, which will bleach in a few washings, in this sale, at 19c
72x90-in. Sheets, at 39c
42x36-in. Pillow Cases, at 8c
42-in. Bleached Pillow Casing, at 9c

Some Big Pick-ups Around the House Monday

7½c Outings, at 5c
20c and 25c White Madras for Shirt Waists, Shirts and Children's dresses, in mill end lengths, at 10c
Children's 25c Union Suits, at 15c
Embroidered Scarfs and Pillow Shams, at 9c

A Perfect Harvest

In Domestics, Think of These Prices and Cotton 13 1-8c.

7½c 36-in. Sea Islands, at 5c
Graniteville unbleached Drilling, at .. 6½c
Large assortment of check homespuns, at 5c
10c unbleached Canton Flannel, at 8c

Bed Comforts

We would like to call your attention to our numerous offerings in this department.

These Comforts are filled with nice, light sanitary cottons, covered with large floral silkolines and sateens, some tacked, with wool zephyr, some stitched. Special prices: 98c, $1.49, $1.98 and $2.49.

Don't fail to see the Down Comforts offered at $4.98

They are very fine, covered with large floral Sateens, both sides. Plenty of down in them. These goods should bring $7.50, in this sale, at $4.98

New Record

For low prices on Wash Goods.

Double fold Mixed cotton Suitings.

These are good for ladies and children, wash dresses, values up to 15c, your choice of the lot at one price 7½c

Eden Cloths, a fine fabric for boy's waists, men's shirts and children's school dresses. There is no cotton fabric known that will wear and wash so well. These goods would be exceptional values at 15c, our price only 11c

Nice line of new Fall dress ginghams, at 5c
10c new dark Fall dress ginhgams, at .7½c

New Dress Goods, New Silks, New Trimmings, New Gloves, New Hosiery, New Neck Wear, New Belts, Special Values for Monday.

Ladies' and Children's Sweaters

Big Bargains, new Lot, Just Arrived, in White Wool Sweaters, Big Assortment, good Quality, at only $2.98

Ladies' Long White Coat Sweaters, good weight, double breasted coat effect, at $6.49

Children's Sweaters ..... 25c to $2.00

Art Squares and Rugs

Housekeepers can supply their wants in this line at a small cost, if they will attend this sale Monday.

9x12 Nepperhan Art Squares, good assortment of patterns and colors, Monday, at $15.98

$30.00 Axminster 9x12 Art Squares, great values, at $23.98

36x72 Axminster Rugs, should be $5.00, at $3.98

In Our New Ready-to-Wear Department

We are showing one of the greatest lines of ladies and misses tailored suits to be found in the South. All have been carefully selected from the most up-to-date manufacturers in this country and when it comes to workmanship and style they have no superiors. And at prices which expert critics have pronouced repeatedly to be decidedly the lowest in Augusta.

GEORGIA & FLORIDA CONNECTIONS ARE RAPIDLY NEARING COMPLETION

New Line Will Greatly Add To Augusta's Importance As Cotton Center and Will Open Fine Trade Territory.

Prior to his departure for Raleigh, Mr. J. M. Turner, general manager of the Georgia and Florida, gave out the statement, that by the 15th of November the Georgia and Florida would be operating trains into Augusta. This will be done by a traffic arrangement with the Augusta Southern, by which the G. & F. will operate trains into Augusta over the rails of the Augusta Southern from Keysville to Augusta.

The proposed line of the Georgia and Florida, is from Augusta to Madison, Fla. With the exception of one or two short links and the construction of a bridge over the Altamaha river, the line is complete up to Keysville. The direction of the line is nearly directly south, and the length about 255 miles. It will put Augusta in direct communication, with a section of Georgia, that is rich in farm lands, and offering many opportunities to the industry builder, Heretofore communication iwth the country along the line of the Georgfia and Florida, has only been reached by a very circuitous route, and over narrow gauge roads that were very inadequate. The only outlet for this section of the country has been the seaport towns of Georgia and Florida.

With the opening of the Georgia and Florida into Augusta, Augusta will be the preferred market for the products of this territory. Augusta will also be the base of supplies for the people along the line of the G. & F. and with the inauguration of a passenger service into Augusta, people from as far south as Valdosta will come to Augusta to do their trading.

NEW COTTON FOR AUGUSTA.

The section of territory traversed by the G. & F. yearly produces a very large amount of a very good grade of cotton. This cotton has been previously sold on other markets. By the latter part of November the bulk of this movement will be coming into Augusta and Augusta's cotton receipts will be baterially increased for the year 1909-10.

The equipment of the Georgia and Florida is all new. At present the line is operating eighteen engines (freight and passenger) of the latest model, eighteen modern passnger coaches, and six hundred and forty-five freight cars (box and flats.) This equipment is all of the very latest and improved model.

From Augusta to Keysville, in Burke county, a distance of about twenty miles the Georgia and Florida will temporarily use the Augusta Southern tracks. Sometime in the near future the line will be built into Augusta from St. Clair, a town in Burke county, to Augusta, a distance of about twenty-four miles. It is the ambition of the officials to complete this line as early as possible and operate trains into Augusta over their own rails by the first of the year.

From Keysville south to Madison, the terminus of the line, the road is complete with one or two exceptions. The link between Vidalia and Hazelhurst is complete with the exception of bridging the Altamaha river. The rails have all been laid up to the river, and a large force is engaged on constructing the bridge.

WILL SHORTEN LINE SOMEWHAT.

At present the line of the Georgia and Florida to the South is from Augusta to Keysville, Keysville to Normantown and from Normantown south. There is now under construction a line between Normantown and Swainsboro. When this line is completed, the line from Normantown to Millen will be used as a branch line, and the main line of the road will be from Normantown to Swainsboro, the link between Midville and Summit being abandoned.

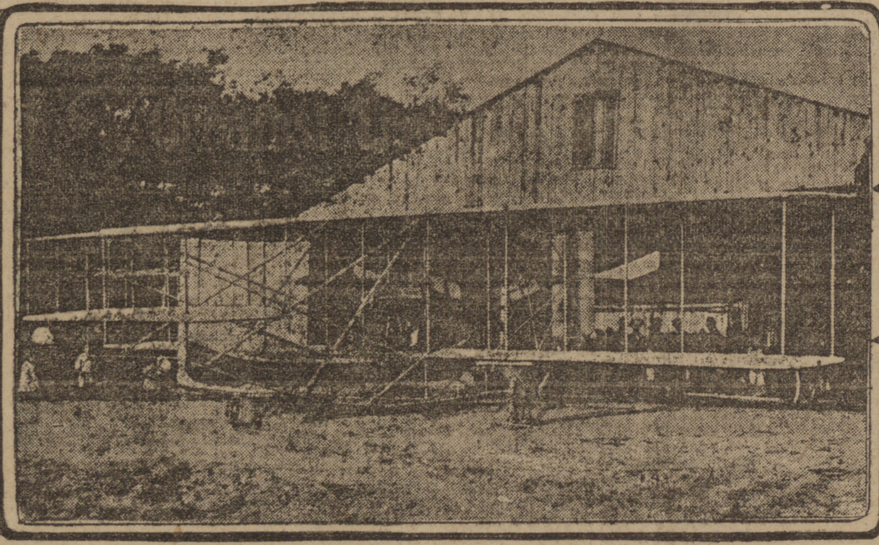
The general offices of the Georgia and Florida are on the fifth floor f the Leonard building, and will be situated there until it becomes necessary to enlarge them. The office force arrived in Augusta in the first of the week, and, the majority of the time this week has been taken up in arranging the offices, and straightening out the files and rate books.

The offices have now been fully equipped, and every thing is in its place. Monday morning, the offices will be open for the transaction of business. The offices will be equipped with a private telegraph service connecting them with their entire line.

"We are very glad to get back to Augusta," said Mr. Turner, the general manager. "We regretted very much leaving Douglas, as the people there have been very kind, but it was necessary for the removal of the offices, if we were to operate into Augusta. The cost of living in Douglas is fully as high as it is in Augusta, and at the same time the accommodations are very limited. We will give the people of Augusta a very good train service, and do everything possible for the interest of the town."

—Miss Mamie Murray, of Knoxville(Tenn., who has been visiting Mrs. Lyda Verdery on Greene street, left yesterday for Atlanta.

Wilbur Wright's Aeroplane Ready For Flight



Airship of Wilbur Wright, in which the plucky American aviator encircled the Statue of Liberty, shown just outside its shed on Governors' Island, New York Harbor. At the base the aerial craft is seen, the canoe which Wright provided himself for use in the event of a collapse of his machine which might plunge him into the water.

MRS. W. ANDERSON, OF HARLEM, DEAD

Special to The Herald.

HARLEM, Ga.—Mrs. Walter Anderson, aged about 37 years, died at her home near Harlem Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. She leaves a husband and a two-day-old infant, and a large circle of relatives to mourn her death. The remains were carried to Bonesville, Ga., on Saturday morning for burial.

HARLEM WILL HAVE A NEW BANK SOON

Special to The Herald.

HARLEM, Ga.—A mass meeting will be held in Harlem on Monday afternoon looking to the establishment of anther bank in Harlem. Already a sufficient amount has been pledged to make the establishment of the new bank a surity.

FRENCH NATION DYING RAPIDLY

Only Half Million Births Last Year, Population decreasing Nearly Twenty Thousand.

PARIS—Must we lose both power and prestige because of our rapidly decreasing population? The birth for the past year have been only 500,000. Sixty years ago France registered for the year, 1,018,900 borths.

Compare these figures with those of Germany. While the population of France decreased by 19,832 during the last year, that of Germany increased by 822,620 births. President Levasseur, of the College of France, says the cause of our decreasing population is threefold. First, the prevailing taste for comfort and quiet in the home; second, the decline of religious sentiment, which is alarming throughout France, even among the peasant and servant classes; third, an unwholesome dread of poverty and the cost of bringing up large families.

On the other hand, French people are long-lived. I have just assisted at the birthday celebration of a lady who is 100 years old. She not only sang the songs of her youth for the assembled guests, but opened the cotillion with much dash and spirit.

HON. JNO. T. MOORE MAYOR OF MACON

Was Elected Over Mr. A. L. Miller After One of the Warmest Campaigns in Macon's History.

Special to The Herald.

MACON, Ga.—John T. Moore was elected mayor of Macon Saturday by a majorityof two hundred and ninety-one votes, thereby defeating Mr. A. L. Miller. The race was one of the warmest campaign struggles known in the history of Macon. The voting was very heavy and the result was in doubt until the polls closed at six-thirty Saturday afternoon.

The race was particularly interesting as Mr. Miller, who is the present incumbent defeated Mr. Moore two years ago in the race for mayor. The campaign has been waging for weeks and both sides put in hard and excellent work for their respective candidates.

WAR ON OVER WHITE PLAGUE IN SOUTH CAROLINA

Dr. Routzahn Conducting Campaign of Health in Palmetto State.

Special to The Herald.

COLUMBIA, S. C.—Director E. G. Routzahn, of the American Tuberculosis exhibition, the man who did so eflective a work against the great white plague in Augusta some months ago, is now planning, with Columbia, Charleston and Charlotte as bases of operations.

Dr. Routzahn will put in five or six months with his travelling exhibition in this state. The definite announcements for South Carolina will be made next week.

THREE GEORGIA MEN SHOT IN SIX HANDED BATTLE

One Dead, One Dying and Another Fatally Hurt As Result of Family Quarrel.

SHERIFF POSSE HUNTING SHOOTERS

Men Are Heavily Armed and Trouble is Feared When Sheriff's Party Reaches Them.

MOULTRIE, Ga.—At the old homestead of the late Nathan Flowers in the lower part of the county, Bert Williams is dead, Wright Flowers is dying and it is believed William Flowers is fatally hurt Saturday night, as the result of a terrific six handed battle with rifles and pistols, news of which reached here Saturday.

Sheriff Boyd and a big posse of deputies is on the trail of John Hart and his sons, who are charged with the shooting, and who are at large, fully armed. It is alleged they took Williams and the Flower brothers by surprise and that because of this all these casualties in the battle were one-sided, the Harts, father and sons, ranging against the three men who were shot.

The trouble occurred over a dispute about the division of the estate of Nathan Flowers. He died, leaving no children and since his death John Hart, who married a neice, has been living on the home place with Mrs. Flowers. The Flowers boys are nephews while williams married a neice. Since Nathan Flowers death there has been a wrangle over the estate it is alleged and trouble had been feared.

It is statd that the six men met at the homestead and the quarrel was renewed, the shooting ending the dispute.

It is alleged that the Harts were better armed than their opponents in the fight and some of the bullets were fired while the defeated party was in flight since it is said that two of them received fatal wounds in the back.

No word had been received since the sheriff and his posse left here, but it is feared trouble will follow the attempt to catpure the Harts.