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AUGUSTA AND THE FLOOD.

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Associated Charities Did Great fork in Ameliorating the Suffering ad Caring For the Poor-Some hange in the City Government ooking to Protection From Such inisters Proposed.

the Editor of The Observer: hardships of the flood in Augusta been immensely mitigated and the lion of the poor has been immensely ameliorated by the work of the Associat-

d Charities. Through it the work of all the charitable organizations has been ystematized and it has helped to pre-cent duplication of work, and sho pre-ent omission of work. Mr. W. M. Rowland is president of the smociated Charities, which is made up of representatives from the different tharitable organizations, 25 in number. Insides the president it has three vice residents and a paid secretary. Mr. T. Hickmao is first vice president; Mrs. harles Phining, a very prominent woman ries Phining, a very prominent woman In Augusta in every way, is second vice president and Mrz. Eugene Verdery is

third wice president. The Associated Charities has directed all the work of relief done in the city, and has made expenditures infinitely more efficient than could have been done by the different organizations represented in its membership. The work is still going and the results of the flood are fai from being yet gone, yet this organizais looking after the people who need

trated Than Now.

The board of the Associated Charities is made up of the most prominent business men in all lines of business in Augusta, thus insuring good business management of all its affairs. The idea of associating the currency famine, it was generally and correlating charity work is growing very rapidly. In times of the flood here the necessity of some system among the charity organizations to keep their work from overlapping became very apparent. War or other calamity creates reforms. There is a movement here among the best business and manufacturing element to take some steps to prevent a recurrence of the flood disaster. It seems to be taken for granted that the regular city anything. In this statement there is no and folly of the system of basing reflection against the different members notes upon bonds.

of the city government, bu the very form of city government leads the members away from such subjects as protecting of about \$9,500,000 in bonds in Janthe city against floods and other dissaters.

There has been formed a sort of general commission from rmorgst the best busi- in the banks and call rates of one the general commission. If the report in- the great mass received for current in his throat. dicates a good and feasible plan, steps redemption. All of this mass of notes, will be taken to give the special com- of course, is not in actual circulawill be taken to give the of Legislature mission authority by act of Legislature or otherwise to handle the subject offi-turned from Washington for current Detroit Free Press.

Some advocate the plan of building a big levee like the one which protects New Orleans from the overflow from the Mississippi river. Some are advocating the plan of raising the level of the City Augusta by about eight feet as was done in Galveston after the flood and in Chicago after the fire there, but judg-ment upon these different items is held in abeyance pending the work of the of two per cent. bonds to carry on If special commission which will investigate and report upon the subject.

The reports published can give no adeidea of the damage done by the guate idea of the damage done by the flood. All over the submerged part of the city every form of bilge pump and vestors because of their low return railway station has been totally ruined country again upon a paper basis. uct on a vacant lot. Any protection that leaders maintain that the limitation would be effective against such calamity would be cheap for the city at any cost. ing capital would be a check to this Augusta, Ga., Sept. 12th. A.



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Special to The Observer.

ture.

China Grove, Sept. 12 .- Rev. W. B. ing the channels of circulation. While Goble and Mr. F. W. Bost, two of the retirement of notes is small, be-China Grove's prominent citizens, cause it involves the voluntary action have just secured a patent which of the banks which have issued them. make them known and talked of the world over. After many years of the notes are sent in by other than the labor and study they have perfected issuing banks in order to exchange house and indicates the room which all the technicalities of the subject, the burglar is attempting to enter, and that retirement as here used means at the same time makes a photograph of the burglar. It is also so arranged that in case an attempt is made to banks, while redemption means only enter the house while the occupants that the notes come in from outside are away the date and hour the at- sources to be exchanged for lawful tempt was made is registered.

These gentlemen have organized the banks to be again issued to the pub-Monarch Burglar Alarm Company lic. with Rev. W. B. Goble, president, and Monarch and as soon as the necessary arrange- a drug upon the market, bank notes Mr. Goble will retire from the 626,039 on December 30th, 1907, to a here.

the new enterprise. Mr. J. N. Dayvault, formerly of Dayvault Bros., will be manager for of silves notes for public dues. Only State of North Carolina and will by the transfer of clerks from other part of the State to put the alarm on has Secretary Cortelyou been able to the market.

Trollinger-Clarke, at Salisbury. Correspondence of The Observer.

Salisbury, Sept. 12 .-- Marriage Il-cense was issued this afternoon to Mr. John E. Trollinger and Miss Frances Willard Clarke, of East This is a runaway wedding. the bride having left her adopted home last night to marry the man of her choice.

RECOMPENSE.

New York Sun.

I've whacked them and I've kniled them and Fye kicked and cuffed them good; Fye rasped them and betrayed them at

Co'umbia Record.

general election this fail.

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every point I could; Twe muddled up the fountain of their

pure Democracy--But they're very good to me; yes, very

I've led them from the paths their fathers

trod so long and well; I've turned their gaze from heaven and faced them straight to hell! I've stripped them for my profit, of their boasied decency—

be swamped with bank paper to an

From the period when the panic F. W. Bost, secretary and treasurer, was over and money began to become fresh north and northeast winds. Bost, who for a number of years has law to pay gold or greenbacks for east winds increasing in force. news to look after the office work of to vitlate its cash resources in much north and northeast winds. the same manner as they became vitiated in 1893 by the steady influx leave in a few days for the eastern bureaus to the redemption division fair, light variable winds, make head against this torrent of

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