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At the Close of Business, Friday, December 13th, 1907.	
RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts,	\$132,769.05
Furniture and Fixtures,	3,383.27
Real Estate,	510.00
Expense,	164.08
CASH AND DUE FROM BANKS,	109,147.56
	\$245,973.96
LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock,	\$50,000.00
Undivided Profits,	8,918.30
Re-Discounts,	8,000.00
Accrued Interest due Depositors,	120.74
DEPOSITS,	178,934.83
	\$245,973.96
COMPARATIVE STATEMENT:	
December 13th, 1904, Deposits,	\$108,126.94
December 13th, 1905, " "	143,958.99
December 13th, 1907, " "	178,934.83

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CAPTAIN W. M. HAMMOND.

A Tribute to a North Carolinian Who Was Honored in Georgia, His Adopted State.

[The following tribute to a former North Carolinian was sent to us by a subscriber in Georgia with the request that it be reproduced in The Robesonian. Some of Captain Hammond's relatives live in Robeson County.—Editor's Note.]

Reverend Alex W. Brier in The Atlanta Journal. Capt. W. M. Hammond is dead. He passed away at his home here early last Sunday morning. In his death Thomasville loses one of her foremost citizens, Georgia one of her most brilliant lawyer, and the South one of her most devoted sons.

He was a native of North Carolina—that cradle in which so many distinguished Georgians have been rocked—and while he was devoted to his beautiful south Georgia home he never forgot the hill country where his kindred slept. Following a request written some time ago and found among his papers after his death, his body was taken back to the Old North State to sleep within its soil close to the sacred dust of his father and mother buried there long years ago.

Capt. Hammond was wonderfully blessed with a bright mind, but he did not let that keep him from a life of great activity. Indeed, he was a tireless worker almost up to the day of his death. At an early age he entered the University of North Carolina and, realizing that there is no royal road to learning, he buckled down to hard study and was rewarded by winning the first honor in his class, receiving the highest mark that had been won by any of the scholars of that famous institution up to that time. The habit of application acquired at college never deserted him. It clung to him through life and enabled him to grapple with difficult problems, to find solutions where less active men would have fallen back in failure. He stored his mind with the best thoughts of the great writers and was thus enabled to converse with ease and beauty upon any subject and to speak with great power before judge or jury, from the hustings or from the platform, and in all these relations he shone as a star of the first magnitude. His eloquence was persuasive; his logic convincing, his satire when occasion called it forth was as keen as the thrust of a rapier, his sentences were as stately as the flow of a mighty river and his imagery was as glowing as the sunset skies of his Southern home.

Capt. Hammond was an old-fashioned ante bellum gentleman. He carried about with him at all times that beautiful grace, courtesy, that was so common before the war, but that is so rare in this rushing age in which the majority of men, if they have ever learned how, have forgotten to be polite. He despised all littleness, and anything that smacked of bigotry he could not tolerate. He was a student of human nature and his heart was filled with a sympathy for all classes of men. I think I have never seen a man with as many men from different walks of life to call him friend. When his dead body, robbed for its last resting place, was laid out in his beautiful home, I watched with swelling heart the stream of people who came to pay their last tribute of love and respect to a man whom they had claimed as a friend in life.

Upon the porch and within the house, sorrow written on their faces, stood lawyers and preachers, tradesmen and farmers. Poor men, clad in humble garments, stood side by side with men whose wealth ran up into the millions, all grieving for the man who had been their friend.

His love for the South and for the Confederacy was true and strong and yet there was no bitterness in his heart for those

He Got What He Needed.
"Nine years ago it looked as if my time had come," says Mr. C. Farthing, of Mill Creek, Ind. Ter. "I was so run down that life hung on a very slender thread. It was then my druggist recommended Electric Bitters. I bought a bottle and I got what I needed—strength. I had one foot on the grave, but Electric Bitters put it back on the turf again, and I've been well ever since." Sold under guarantee at all drug stores.—50 cents.

who wore the blue. Among the most sincere mourners who gathered about his bier were men who had been soldiers in the federal army. Their sorrow seemed as deep as that of the little band of Confederate veterans who, some shuffling on the uncertain feet of age, came with bare heads and sorrowing hearts to honor the memory of a man they had known and loved in life and with whom they had suffered and fought during the dark days of the civil war.

The dead man was a breadless boy when the war came on. With the laurels of his alma mater still clinging about his brow he turned his back upon his home and his loved ones and went forth, at his country's call to battle for her rights. He served with the same faithfulness in the army that characterized him at college and it was not long before he was given a place upon the staff of his general.

His father's family had refused to Thomas county, where he had purchased considerable property. At the close of the war the young soldier-lawyer came here to look after it. He fell in love with the place and has made it his home ever since. When that awful period of the reconstruction came on he was one of the leading spirits to throw off the yoke of the scalla and to restore peace and prosperity to the State in which he had come to live. The legislature was made up of negroes. The representatives from the proud old county of Thomas were negroes and they with others like them were fast bringing the commonwealth into disgrace along with her sister States of the South that had made up the Southern Confederacy. One of Captain Hammond's old slaves came out for the legislature with another negro. He and another young white man, both full of determination, entered the race against the negroes. The young lawyer was a brilliant campaigner and his speeches put new life into the whites. Supported by such men as John Triplett, Robert Mitchell and many others of like character the fight was whipped and the county was redeemed from the reign of the carpet-bagger who came after the fighting was over and the real soldiers had returned to their homes.

The name of Captain Hammond soon became a terror to the adventurers who flocked to the South. He went everywhere in this section defending those who were being illegally oppressed and in this way he made friends for himself in all parts of south Georgia. He has stood for many years among the leaders of the bar in this section and hardly a case of any prominence appeared in which he was not on one side or the other.

He knew that his end was approaching, but he did not fear to meet the enemy he had faced more than once before upon the tested field. He made all his preparations to leave, even to the conduct of his funeral, and then he calmly awaited the end. I saw him just three days before the final attack came upon him. He was up and sitting out in the balmy sunshine of the early spring. I could see that he was weaker than usual, but he was the soul of courtesy, and when a lady friend came in to see him and asked for a drink of water he would not let her get it by herself, insisting upon bringing it to her, and then taking the glass back after she had finished.

Although he was a member of another denomination, he proved in more ways than one that he was my friend, and it was a genuine pleasure when I could spend a little while in the company of this brilliant, cultured gentleman.

He will be sadly missed by the general public, by the legal fraternity, by the old soldiers to whom he was sincerely attached, by the Northern visitors, for many of whom he acted as legal adviser, and especially by those who were bound to him by ties of kindred. His home life was beautiful, and that, after all, is the truest test of a man's real

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character. He loved roses and all other flowers, and his garden was a bower of wisteria in the early spring, to be followed later on by the most gorgeous roses in which he took great pleasure. There, with those he loved the best, he spent all of his spare time, and with beautiful hospitality welcomed the friends who came to enjoy his society.

His death was peaceful and beautiful, coming like a glorious sunset at the close of a stormy day. The new week was just coming in when his soul left its earthly prison and went out into the eternal world, where wars are unknown, trials never come and sorrows never sweep across the soul.

His body is resting in his native State, but his influence is still living in Thomasville, and it will live for years to come. A man like W. M. Hammond can never die. He lives on as long as time continues and men are left to transmit the thoughts and deeds of the great men to those who come after them.

His name lives in many hearts, the hearts—

"Of those who trust with holy men of old,
Not all the story here begun is told.
So the life spirit, waiting to be freed,
On life's leaf with tranquil eye shall read.
By the pale glimmer of the torch reversed,
Not faint, but the end of volume first."

THE STATE HOSPITAL.

To Erect Tubercular Ward—Conditions Throughout the Institute Were Never Better.

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The board of directors of the State Hospital met here today. Present: J. P. Caldwell, president; and Directors J. A. McMillan, A. A. Shuford, I. I. Davis, A. E. Tate, James K. Norfield and C. H. Armfield.

The plans for a tubercular ward for female patients were examined and approved. This ward is to consist of a wooden building of one story, 22x47 feet, to be erected at the end of the south wing of the main building. It is to accommodate twenty-five female patients and is not to exceed \$2,500 in cost. Work will begin on it at a very early date.

Information was given the board by the superintendent in regard to the nurses' building authorized last week by the State Hospital Commission. This building is to be erected on the front grounds, to be of brick, two stories, and to accommodate seventy-five nurses, thus relieving the female department of the Hospital by so much and giving room to as many patients as there will be nurses who will vacate. The cost of the building will be \$20,675.

The report of the superintendent, Dr. John McCampbell, showed that at the beginning of the present quarter there were present 1,128 patients; that the demand for room for both men and women patients persists; that the health of the inmates of the house is good.

Elections for the term of one year were had as follows: President of the board, J. P. Caldwell; executive committee, I. I. Davis, C. H. Armfield, A. A. Shuford; steward, F. M. Scroggins; matron, Mrs. C. A. Marsh; all these being re-elections.

The wards were examined and found in perfect condition. Conditions of all kinds throughout the institution were never better.

It was a matter of interest to learn that of the four patients who recently escaped and all of whom were promptly returned, two have acknowledged that they were glad to get back and it is believed that the other two are also.

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THE GREAT ENEMY.

Whiskey Has Destroyed Many Homes and Taken Many Lives and is the Cause of More Evil Than All Other Intemperances Combined.

Editor of The Robesonian:

Seeing the many words of the advocates of prohibition through the columns of The Robesonian, I venture to write a word or two in this direction, hoping that some one who may have a mind to vote for the continuation of whiskey may refrain and vote against it.

Many homes have been destroyed by it, many lives taken. It is the cause of more evil than all other intemperances combined.

"Whiskey cuts down youth in its vigor, manhood in its strength, and age in its weakness. It breaks the father's heart, bereaves the doting mother, extinguishes natural affections, blots out attachment and blights parental hope. It brings premature age in sorrow to the grave. It produces weakness, not strength; death, not life. It makes wives widows, children orphans, fathers fiends, and all paupers. It feeds rheumatism, nurses gout, welcomes epidemics, imparts pestilence, and embraces consumption. It covers the land with misery, idleness and crime. It engenders controversies, fosters quarrels and cherishes riots. It crowds the penitentiaries and furnishes victims for the gallows. It is the blood of the gambler, the prop of the highwayman and the midnight incendiary. It countenances the liar, respects the thief, and esteems the blasphemer. It violates obligations, it defrauds benevolence, hates love, scorns virtue and innocence. It invites the father to butcher his helpless children, and his offspring to grind the paternalist axe.

It bribes witnesses, nurses perjury, defiles the jury box, and stains the judicial ermine. It bribes voters, corrupts elections, pollutes our institutions, and endangers government. It degrades the citizens, debases legislators, dishonors the statesman, and disarms the patriot. It brings them shame, not honor; misery, not happiness; and with the mad violence of a fiend calmly surveys its frightful desolation, and unsatisfied with the havoc, it poisons felicity, kills peace, ruins morals, wipes out national honor, and curses at the world, and laughs at its ruins. It does that and more. It murders the soul. It is the son of all villainy, the father of all crimes, and the mother of all abominations. The devil's best friend and God's worst enemy.

W. T. Moody
Barnesville, N. C. April 6th, 1908.

The trustees of the University have been asked by the heirs of ex-Governor D. I. Swain to refund about \$5,000 loaned the University by Governor Swain during and after the Civil war. The trustees decided that they have no way to pay the claim and that the proper remedy would be to present the claim to the Legislature.

Two English immigrants just arrived in this country were on Monday placed by the State Department of Agriculture with J. A. Westbrook at Mount Olive, extensive trucker. The department has just received notice of a number of others on their way to this country, all farmers and gardeners.

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