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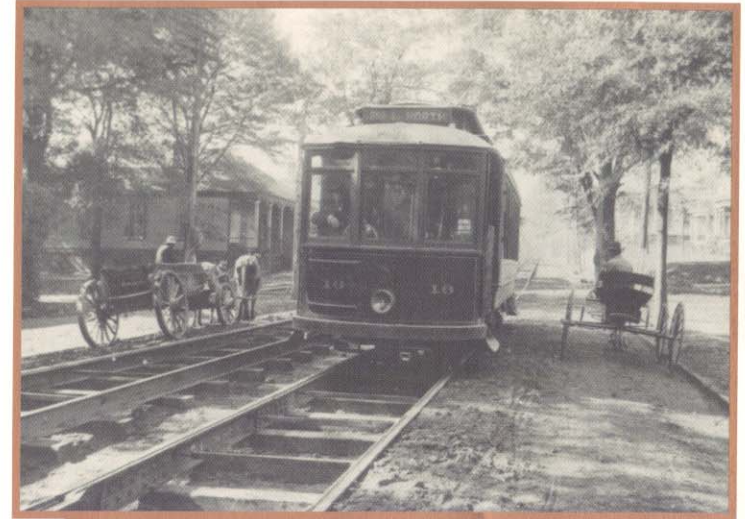
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Police

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IN 1900, THE CITY ANNEXED JUST OVER A HALF-ACRE OF LAND, INCREASING THE SIZE OF THE CITY TO 3.447 SQUARE MILES. BY COMPARISON, MERIDIAN TODAY ENCOMPASSES 46 SQUARE MILES. ABOVE, IN 1900, THE TROLLEY CAR COMING DOWN 8TH STREET (AT 28TH AVENUE) WAS AN EXCELLENT MODE OF TRANSPORTATION. TODAY (BELOW), CARS RULE THE STREETS.

