



# CONGRESSMAN EDWIN C. BURLEIGH of Augusta.

**“THE** Governor”—you know him? Perhaps you think you do,  
 For he's a man of easy access, with a heart that's kind and true;  
 But he's had his high ambitions and his worthy ends and aim  
 And he's fought his way unaided, to the upper hall of fame.  
 He has won by perseverance; by the knack of doing things;  
 By the zeal of his devotion to the higher reasonings;  
 By the art of close attention to the people, small and great;  
 And by honest consecration to the service of the State—  
 For no request's by him neglected and no duty left undone  
 And he's hustling for the People, from the dawn to set of sun.

In the higher sense, a statesman is a man, of vision clear,  
 Who sees the Future, from the Present, and knows when to hope or fear;  
 Who, unshaken by the tempests, stands erect—a Northern Pine—  
 So, the Governor is constant; so he stands, thru storm and shine.