



Augusta Coca-Cola  
Bottling Company 1902



Augusta Wagon



Augusta Coca-Cola Today

# History

J. M Rainwater and John E. Reed, two former Coca-Cola employees from Atlanta, took Augusta by storm in 1902. The Coca-Cola phenomenon was just the beginning to sweep the nation and within three years production had increased from 50 dozen bottles a day to 800 dozen a day.

Rainwater and Reed made a true success of the company and in 1916 sold the company to Crawford Johnson of Birmingham. This was the step that eventually led to the formation of Coca-Cola Bottling Company United, Inc., the company that Johnson's family still owns and operates today.

Augusta Coca-Cola Bottling Company, owned and operated by Coca-Cola Bottling Company United, Inc., operates in 18 Georgia and South Carolina counties marketing non-alcoholic beverages. Today, the company is located at 1901 North Leg Road where the company has made it's home since 1978.

Augusta Coca-Cola and it's 200+ employees are proud of our continued support of many civic and charitable organizations serving our communities.