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THE NEW WEAVE MILL.

The Building Finished and the Machinery Being Placed—To Accommodate Five Hundred Looms—About One Hundred and Seventy-Five Hands to Be Employed.

Ere long the new weave mill of the Odell Manufacturing Co. will be a real thing and will be turning off every day hundreds of yards of cloth. The building is now finished and hands are busy putting in the machinery.

This is mill No. 5 and stands to the rear of the present row. It is a large building with a dimension of 127 feet by 230 feet. It is a two-story building with a tower. At the south end of the building is the engine and boiler rooms, and also the slasher room. The remainder of the large building is one room and will be filled entirely with looms. Five hundred looms will be placed in it, giving ample room for aisles. These will be in the upper story of the building, the lower one to be used as a large storage room.

The dimensions of the boiler room, which will contain two 100-horse power boilers, are 28 by 30 feet. In the engine room, with dimensions of 30 by 40 feet, will be placed a 200-horse power Corliss engine. To the east of the engine room will be found the slasher room where improved machinery has been purchased—one for sizing white material, the other one for colored. This room measures 30 by 80 feet.

This five hundred lot of Knowles & Crompton looms that will be placed in this large new building, which Supt. Coble will place in the hands of Mr. E. D. McCollum, means that about 175 more people will be given employment on that hill, which with an average of five to the family, will necessitate the renting of thirty-five houses.

With this addition Mr. Robt. F. Coble, superintendent of the five mills, will have under his care 1,840 looms which is more than any other superintendent in our State has. There are some companies in the State that have more looms but all are not under the supervision of one man.

As a preventive against fire a large pump has been placed near the building, which when circumstances admit, will throw a stream of ten inches in diameter. This pump is never used only in case of fire and at least fifty pounds of steam is always on at every hour from the time it once starts, including Sundays. Three such pumps as these are on the grounds remaining idle only in case of a fire. Should a fire occur three streams of ten inches in diameter each would be turned on at once, besides the aid of hydrants, fourteen being on the grounds.

Pythians Take Notice!

All members of Concord Lodge No. 51 Knights of Pythias are requested to meet in Castle Hall tonight at 8 o'clock promptly.

Business of importance that will interest every member will be transacted tonight.

C. L. WHITE, C. C.

The Bicycle Negro Caught.

Quite a long while ago a negro purchased from Swink & White a bicycle and gave a mortgage for the payment, a part of the mortgage being on a crop he had on the McCubbins land in Rowan county. When giving the mortgage he gave his name as John Harris. By some means the sellers found that there was something wrong about the matter and they had Aleck Hartsell, who has a reputation for recovering bicycles, to investigate the matter. The negro was found but his right name was Lije Bost and not John Harris, and no crop belongs to him on the McCubbins land. He was brought here to jail Thursday night. Mr. Hartsell found him near Saw, in Rowan county.

James Deaton Dies Suddenly.

On Thursday evening shortly after 6 o'clock, Jas. Deaton, of this place, who was working for the Queen City Printing Company in Charlotte, died at his home on Brevard street. He died shortly after reaching his home and was well when he left his work that afternoon. His mother, Mrs. M. G. Deaton, and sister, Miss Jessie Deaton, of this place, were visiting at his home. He leaves a wife and one child. He has two brothers living—Mr. Harry Deaton, now editing the Mooresville Record-Times, and Julian Deaton, who is employed in Birmingham.

In Caton's Hall Tonight.

Tonight the Concord band will furnish music in Caton's hall while the good ladies, old and young, will have prepared ices, creams, sherbets, etc., for the people who attend. It is expected that a good crowd will turn out and the band will carry out its part of the program. The doors will open at 6 o'clock on account of the younger children. The music will commence at 8 o'clock. Come out and help the cause.

Four Marshalls from Concord.

Concord will be represented at the coming State Fair with four of our young men. They are Messrs. Joe and Frank Cannon, and Earl and Luther Brown. They have accepted the invitation.

—Mr. Luther Saunders and family and their visitors, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Payne, are spending the afternoon in Charlotte. Mr. Payne, who is visiting Mr. Saunders, is the ex-treasurer of Buncombe county.

ROBBED THE GRAVE.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying Electric Bitters, and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim. No one should fail to try them. Only 50cts., guaranteed, at Fetzer's Drug Store.

Working on the New Railroad.

Messrs. B. E. Parish, J. T. Dry and E. C. Parish, of this county, are at work in South Carolina on the grading of a new railroad. The new road runs from Orr's crossing, on the S. W. & C. railroad, twenty miles south of Spartanburg, to Lockhart's Shoals on the Broad river. The road will be about fifteen miles long when completed.

"City of Rome" Strikes an Iceberg.

The recent collision of the "City of Rome" with an iceberg brings forcibly to mind one of the many dangers to which transatlantic navigation is exposed. The weather was foggy and a rain had just ceased falling when an iceberg was sighted near at hand, and the ship was slowed down to quarter speed. Shortly after this a massive berg loomed up over the bow of the liner and before the engines could be reversed she struck, and her bow lifted several feet, the vessel finally sliding back into the water again.

Fortunately she sustained no damage beneath the waterline, the only marks of the encounter being her crushed figurehead and a bent bobstay.—Ex.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. S. J. Lowe, of Charlotte, is here today.

—Mr. Jno. W. Cook went up to Greensboro this morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Odell spent today in Charlotte.

—Mr. J. L. Crowell went to Lexington on a business trip.

□—Mr. Jas. L. Kendall, of Gastonia, arrived here last night.

—Mrs. E. C. Barnhardt went over to Charlotte this morning.

—Mr. Percy Jones, of Norfolk, arrived here this morning.

—Miss Fannie Stricker is spending the afternoon in Charlotte.

—Rev. C. J. Woodson, of Gatesville, N. C. is registered at the Morris hotel today.

—Dr. Robt. S. Young went over to Charlotte this morning. He will return this evening.

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