

FROM A BUSINESS STANDPOINT.

On the 2nd of August an election of much importance to the taxpayers and voters of Gaston is to be held and it will decide for the present whether the county seat of Gaston shall be removed from its present location to Gastonia.

In order to discuss this question from a business standpoint, let us suppose, first, for the sake of argument, that the county seat had not yet been located and it devolved upon the voters of the county to select a point for its location.

Because Gastonia is nearer the center of population than any other town.

Because Gastonia is the largest town in the county.

Because Gastonia has more rail-road facilities and for that reason is easier of access than any other town.

Because Gastonia is the only point in the county at which the building of a system of improved public roads is likely to begin any time soon.

No then Gastonia has advantages that would entitle it to the county-seat.

But, say the opponents of removal, the county seat has been fixed and the present buildings are sufficient for the needs of the county.

It is true the county seat has been fixed, and let us admit again for the sake of argument that the present buildings are sufficient.

Now then, what would it cost to erect county buildings as good as those at Dallas? From the best information I can get, not more than one half of \$15,000.

Now we have made the above argument admitting that for argument's sake that the present county buildings are sufficient for the needs of the county.

But is this the case? Ask those who have been attending court and have been forced to stand in the aisles while witnessing the proceedings as they had a right to do.

If after investigating this matter you should find Gaston county needs a court-house and jail, removal will mean that you will have these much needed buildings situated at the point most suitable and convenient for a majority of the people sufficient to satisfy the needs of the county and free of cost to the taxpayers.

"Gastonia is the center of trade of Gaston county," said a good farmer to our hearing yesterday: "I don't want to pay tax to build roads from Dallas." He is right.

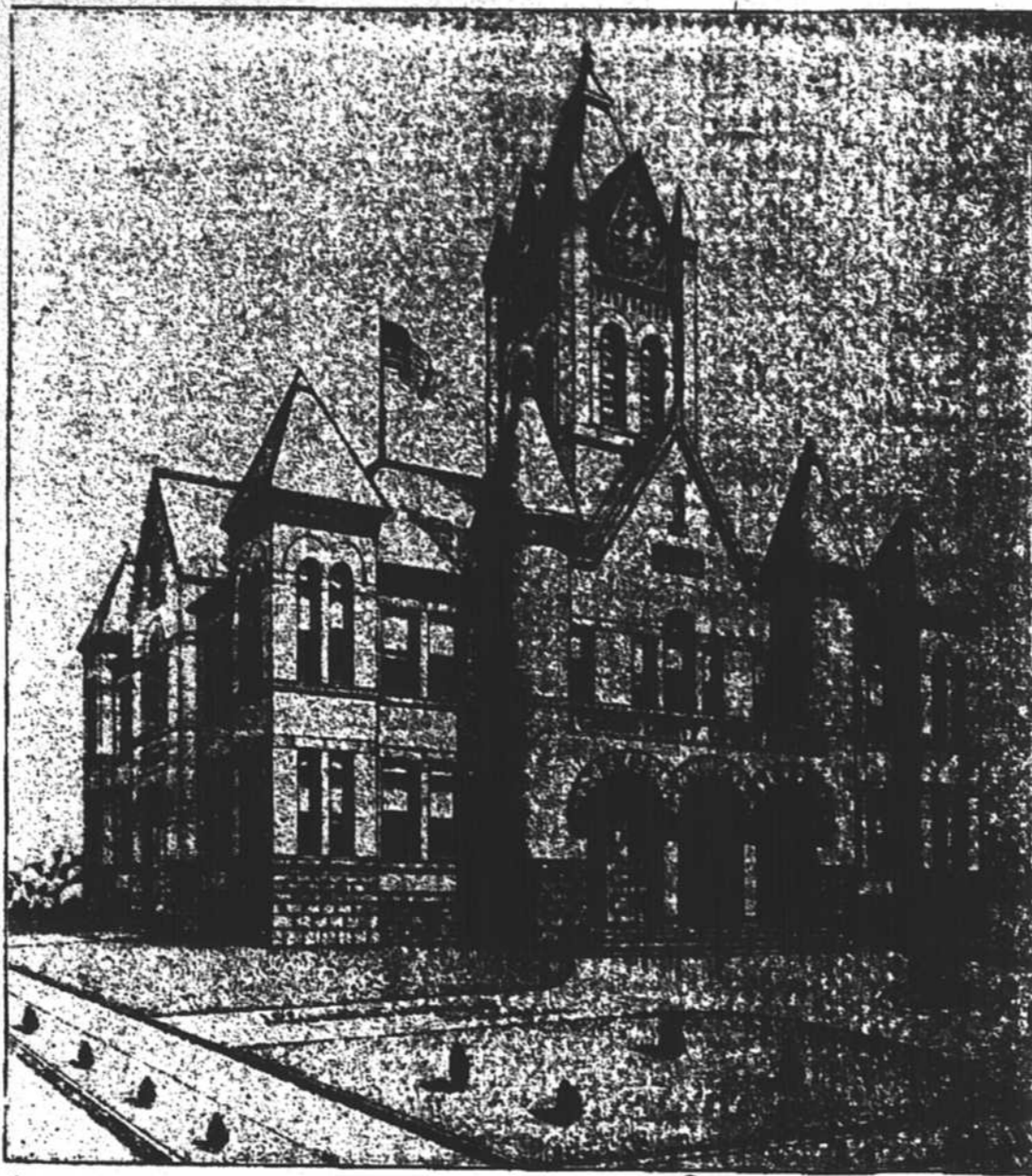
Come out on election day and vote. Be interested enough to vote one way or the other.

You would like to see the court-house come to Gastonia, of course. But if you stay at home on election day you are voting to keep that very thing from coming to pass.

From the pages of our paper this week we have the court-house looking upon the jury. Now let us say, "Jury look upon the court-house. Do you like it?"

John H. Carr, of Durham, N. C., was announced as the Commissioner at the University, the best man in Southern Class of '07.

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DESIGN FOR A COURT-HOUSE, BY J. P. EISENTRAUT, DES MOINES, IOWA. ARCHITECT'S ESTIMATE OF COST, \$10,000.

A perfect gem of architectural beauty, symmetry, and convenience. Size 64x76 feet. On first-floor are four offices 20x24 feet and one 14x18, four vaults, lobby 24x36, with vestibules, hallways, &c.

On second floor are four offices 12x24, two 18x18, and one 12x18, and a court-room 46x50. In place of having these small offices, the court-room could be enlarged to 50x64.

And the architect will guarantee that it can be built for \$10,000. Mr. Eisenraut is the architect whose designs were accepted for the beautiful new A. R. P. Church at King's Mountain.

AS TO MR. LOVE. Mr. R. C. G. Love will vote "Against Removal" on August 3rd.

Why? Because he thinks Gastonia ought not to pay anything extra for the court-house and that if she will wait a short time the court-house will come to Gastonia without her paying a cent beside her portion of the county taxes.

Mr. Love has openly expressed these sentiments—willing for the court-house to come if the county will foot the whole bill.

What do the tax-payers he so kindly advised last week think of that?

With \$15,000 Gastonia could build a far better court-house and jail than the county now owns.

Up to the time of going to press no square yard and no answer has been made to the three questions addressed in last week's issue to Mr. E. L. Wilson.

To win, the cause of removal must be supported at the polls by a majority of the qualified voters of the county.

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FOR REMOVAL. Gastonia Township, July 20.

While THE GAZETTE has stood up for removal the best it knew how all through this contest, it has not denied the other side a hearing.

"I had just as soon pay tax to build a court-house and jail in Gastonia as in Dallas," was a remark we heard yesterday from a farmer who takes a practical view of the removal question.

Why not be well? Sick stomach comes from poor food, poor nourishment; means poor health, poor comfort.

But unless we are doctors, we never see our stomach. We only feel it. We would feel it less if we took Shaker Digestive Cordial.

Shaker Digestive Cordial makes your stomach digest all the nourishing food you eat, relieves all the symptoms of indigestion, acts as a tonic and soon makes you well and strong again.

At drugists. Trial bottle 10 cents. Rice's Goose Grease Lintment cures all sores and pains. We guarantee it. J. K. Curry & Co.

New York Racket.

MID-SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE!

To clear up our Summer Goods and make room for our Fall and Winter Stock

From July 15th to Sept. 1st

I offer my ENTIRE STOCK of Summer Dress Goods—such as Wash Lawns, Satteens, Percales, Barred and Lace Stripe Muslins at greatly reduced prices.

Table listing various fabrics and their prices, including Colored Lawns, Dress Gingham, and Summer Satteens.

25 Per Cent Off.

For this Special Time I offer my Stock of Clothing at a discount of 25 per cent. This puts our

Table showing price reductions on men's suits, with columns for original price, new price, and low price.

Now For The Boys.

Table listing boys' knee pant suits and special bargains in men's fine dress pants.

Big Bargains in COTTONADES, JEANS and CASSIMERS to close out.

Shoes, Shoes, Shoes.

Table listing various styles of shoes and their prices, including Ladies Oxfords, Misses Oxfords, and Men's Ox Blood Shoes.

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The New York Racket.

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30 lbs. Granulated Sugar, \$1.00. 24 " Light Brown Sugar, 1.00. Good Flour that will make Good Bread at \$2.60.

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Turkey and Greece.

Turkey seems to have gotten the better of Greece in the recent war and the Sultan is much elated over his triumph. But the Point that should interest housekeepers is not how to get the better of Greece, but how and where to obtain the BEST GREASE, for their bread and for other cooking purposes.

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