

THE GAZETTE.

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TERMS TO SUBSCRIBERS: ONE COPY FREE BY MAIL TO ANY PART OF THE STATE.

ADVERTISING: All advertisements should be signed by the advertiser.

TRADE MARKS: A bulletin relating to the susceptibility of the different varieties of strawberries.

Why not grow these strawberries at home for the home market? It can be done.

It is the season now for fall planting. In this county the danger from frosts is not great.

But is strawberry-growing as important as other industries?

A Concord man sold two 10-month old pigs for \$20. They were not razor-backs.

And Congress is to be requested to pay Mr. McKinley's physicians \$100,000.

Whether the reported shortage in the cotton crop will correspondingly affect the price of that staple remains to be seen.

To what extent the oil mill trust is controlling the price of cotton seed we are unable to say.

The Nicholson hotel at Chester was almost completely destroyed by fire.

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SALE CONTRACTS.

St. Louis from Suburban, the agreement not to work to be completed by December 1st.

Present to adjournment of Oct. 7th, the board of county commissioners was called to order in their office at Dallas last Thursday morning.

On the plans and specifications filed by Spooner & Spooner, of Gastonia for the brick and wood work and roof.

The plans and specifications filed by the Fauly Jail Building and Manufacturing Company, of St. Louis.

The Fauly Company were declared the successful bidders. The contract awarded covers the completion of the old walls, the woodwork, roofing, cells, steam heat, waterworks, sewerage, and fire-proofing.

Water is to be supplied for sewerage, drainage, and bathing purposes, by a hand force pump.

The work is to be completed by December 15th. The company offered to give a \$5,000 bond, if necessary, to complete the work by November 15th.

MONDAY'S PROCEEDINGS, OCT. 14. Present to adjournment of Oct. 10th the board was called to order Monday morning by John M. Gaston, chairman pro tem.

The following accounts were audited and allowed: Jno. K. Kline, transportation of \$11.25.

Mr. John Craig Mason, of Statesville is visiting his old home at Dallas, guest of his brother, O. F. Mason, Esq.

Rev. J. L. Yippeness is making considerable additions and repairs to his residence, which about double its room capacity.

Mr. Miss Holland, of Dallas, and Nettie Abernathy, near Mt. Holly, were married at the bride's home last Sunday.

A new indexing system for the county records has been adopted by Mr. M. A. Carpenter, Register of Deeds.

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COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Present to adjournment of Oct. 14th, the board of county commissioners was called to order in their office at Dallas last Thursday morning.

The following District Committees were appointed: G. M. Shivers in No. 11 white, River Bend township vice M. D. Bantin, deceased.

A. B. Flowers, vice Green Stone, resigned, No. 14 white, Gastonia township.

Hiram Barrs and A. M. Jones, vice J. E. Harrison and J. McElhally, resigned, in No. 4 colored, Gastonia.

R. K. Davenport is appointed commissioner to sell school property at Mt. Holly, select new site, and erect school house of two rooms to cost two hundred and sixty dollars.

Application for restoration of Kettie School district is granted. It was numbered 13, Dallas township, J. A. Friday, Livy Choungler, and I. A. Thornburg, were appointed committee.

Following accounts were audited and ordered paid: Thos. Wilson, one day, \$2.00, mileage \$0 cents.

THOS. WILSON, chm. F. B. BARKIN, Sec.

BEASEMER ITEMS. Mrs. E. Walker of Brown Summit, N. C. is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis, of Winstons, N. C. are visiting friends in town.

There is one man who should have a fellow feeling for Job the Biblical character, for he has had about the same number of afflictions.

Woods of Princes Will Restored. Several Beasemer City ladies visited Gastonia recently on the occasion of the grand opening of Young's millinery.

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ROOSEVELT TAKES GUESTS TO DINE.

All who are in his office at Meal Time are Invited—The President With Members of the Board of Education at Washington on Cor. Philadelphia Road.

If President Roosevelt keeps up his present practice he will be known in history as the great American entertainer.

These meals are not formal affairs. The guests go in and take just lunch. The Roosevelt menu is simple.

One prominent visitor last week said before he left: "Mrs. Roosevelt ought to send me a bill for board."

Mr. Roosevelt is a charming host, and is never refused, even when the President is invited to the dining room at the head of a half dozen guests.

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WE ARE READY!

OUR FALL STOCK has been rolling in on every train for the last month. We are loaded down with all the good things of the season.

Our millinery opening was a great success. Had on exhibit over one hundred of the prettiest hats ever shown in this city.

Come to see us. You will find us attentive and anxious to please you.

We are going to make a noise this season because we have a right to. We have the goods, we have the prices, and we are going to sell them.

THOMSON COMPANY.

If You Can Find an Excuse

for paying the Gastonia Book Store what you owe, please do so.

Now don't take up the idea that we are needing money, we didn't say it.

With best wishes, W. F. MARSHALL & CO.

WOOD'S SEEDS

FOR FALL SOWING. T. W. Wood & Sons Fall Catalogue, issued in August.

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We have one carload of nice well selected Horses and Mules coming in from Tennessee next Wednesday.

FURNITURE

E. M. ANDREWS for Furniture and Housefurnishings. We carry a full line of Kitchen Safes, China Closets, Cupboards, Wardrobes, Book Cases, Bedsteads, Tables, Sideboards, odd Dressers in poplar, and plain and quartered oak.

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HAVE YOU A PICTURE YOU WANT FRAMED?

BRING IT TO US. We Make Picture Frames... Our mouldings are all new and of the latest patterns.

VALE'S STUDIO, GASTONIA, N. C.

"The Medicine of My Household." From the President of the North Carolina Railroad Co.