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NOTICE.

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My12cINN All persons are hereby forbidden to harbor of employ my son, Richard Goodwine Williams, aged 16 years, who left home Wednesday, March 8th. When last heard of was in Gas-tonia. Any information as to his present whereabouts will be gladly received. I will pay all expenses incorred in his arrest and return to me. R. F. D. No. 3 Gastonia, N. C. AdeLNN. at hom

on the boat.

There are eleven of us here NOTICE OF TOWN ELECTION.

NOTICE OF TOWN ELECTION. Notice is given hereby of an elec-tion to be held at the Town Hall in Gastonia on the first Monday in May, 1905, (Monday, May Ist) for the purpose of electing a mayor, five al-derman and five school commission-ers for the said Town of Gastonia. T. H. White is appointed registrar for said election and is required to be at the Town Hall in Gastonia for four consecutive Saturdays next pre-ceeding the said election between the hours of 7 a. m. and 7 p. m. for the purpose of registering all persons so entitled.

so suttiled. By order of the board of alderman. J. E. DIXON, Mayor. E. C. PROBAN, Clerk. This the 14th day of March, 1805. Mylelmo

A \$500 REWARD A reward of \$500 will be paid for the capture, with evidence to convict, of the thiel or thieves who broke the of the thief or thieves who broke the lock and robbed the sale of the Mc-Aden Mills on Saturday night, the 4th inst. Also a reward of \$30 and no questions asked for the return of notes and other papers belonging to and mills and a large pocket book containing mill and bank stocks with the name of R. R. Ray printed thereon. These papers are of no value except to the owners and will doubtless be thrown away by the thief who committed the robbery. McAdem Mills, McAdem Mills, McAdem Mills,

sleeping across one end of the room and brother in the other. We had some soup and dump-lings for supper. I did not aleep very well, partly because of the discomfort, but mostly, I guess, because I was then tak-ing the fever. When we got on the boat we could make our beds up and feel like we were at home.

At night our boat tied up by the side of the canal, along with many other boats, and there was generally a great chatter and noise among these boatmen, so it was rather hard to sleep even

There are eleven of us here living in one home—Mr. and Mr. Blalock (two of our mission-airies), my older brother and his five children, and my younger brother and his wife. We have a house full, but we are the only foreigners within two days jour-mey from here. We had to send a four days journey for a doctor last week for Mrs. Blalock. No other foreigners ever lived here, so the people are very curious other foreigners ever lived here, so the people are very curious and come in great crowds to see us. Every day there come twenty, thirty, or more women, "to see," as they say. Some ask to hear, and I try to tell them of Jesus who died for them. Some have come time, and says to have come time and again to bear, and I trust they may at the Last Day be numbered with God's own chosen children; yea,

God's own chosen children; yea, I believe one, at least, already has her mame written in the Lamb's Book of Life." It is a comfort to know 1 am remembered in your father's prayer. Give him my Christain regards and good wishes. Write me egsin when you have the time. I love to feel I have friends back in North Carolina, even though. I haven't seen them. Address my letter as you see the heading of this letter and it will come all right. Your China Friend, ATTIE T. BOETICE.

getting ready to plant cotton. Mr. W. A. Falls "Squire," this summer had all of his hay

pressed and baled. He finds a ready market for the baled hay in Gastonia. The latter gentleman is a cousin of the former. Both have the same mitials. "Dock" and "Squire" are among our best farmers. Squire are among our best farmers. Squire is an elder in Pisgah A. R. P. church, if we mistake not, while Dock is a private member, or as the

preachers say a "layman" of the ame church.

Saturday last the Pisgah base ball team reorganized for this season. They played a few times on Piagab ball ground near Mr. E. A. Morrow. No games were played, they met to practice. If the senson holds warm and ground is not too wet the

the edifice about July 15th. A Matter of Health There is a quality in Royal **Baking Powder which makes** the food more digestible and

wholesome. This peculiarity of Royal has been noted by physicians, and they accordingly endorse and recommend it.

corn planting?

negotiations in progress at this time so far as I am aware, and I believe my information to be complete. I am not desirous of discussing the general question of peace; for, owing to the com-plete absures of negotiations or preliminaries toward negoti-ations, that question car only be academic and without practi-cable b caring. "The statements that I have conferred with M. Del Came at corn planting? We again strge the farmers to live up to the pledge, and win the fight against the cotton spec-ulators. The farmer has every-thing to gain and nothing to lose. The young ladies of Linwood will debate April 10th. The query is—"Resolved, That the Railroads of the United States Should be Owned aud Operated by the Federal Government." We are informed that Rev. J. A. Hoyle will organize a Baptist church at Loray and Atlington the first Sabbath in May. Capt. J. D. Moore and others have bought a lot near Mr. Will L

"The statements that I have conferred with M. Del Casse at his residence are false and are calculated to confuse a situation which is perfectly plain. There is no representative of Japan antihorized at this time to discuss peace or forethadowing in the slightest what conditions the Japanese government might bought a lot near Mr. Will I. Bradley's. The church will be erected mid-way between the two mills. Work will commence on

in the slightest what conditions the Japanese government might consider if the negotiations as-numed a practical stage. On the contrary, Japan is now en-gaged is conducting a military compaign, and she will un-reservedly proceed with that im-portant work." It can be added that the in-troduction of the foregoing dis-patch, as well as the portion quoted, was submitted to Dr. Mortono, who approved every word. It was similarly sub-mitted to the Poreign Office, where it was approved through-out. Therefore the dispatch on be accepted as being in the highest degree authoritative.

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The vort Time. The story of the plans and benefactions of Andrew Car-negie in the new field of practi-cal benevelence which is now obliefly interesting him, as told in the Times of yesterday, was probably read with varying emotions by a great many dif-ferent classes of our readers. What was most likely to im-press the average reader was the reason given by Mr. Carnegie for his increased interest in small colleges—that the demand for libraries had reduced itself to about an average of one a day.

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