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WANTED BOARDERS—Apply to E. E. Sandifer, Grier Building.

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FOR SALE at a bargain, brand-new Franklin Typewriter. Easy payment. Address X, care Gazette.

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D. R. A. FISHER, Veterinary Surgeon, will be at Craig & Wilson's stables for the treatment of diseased and lame stock every Wednesday for the next few months.

LAND FOR RENT—First-class cotton and corn land eight miles south of Concord; two and four-horse tracts. Apply by letter to J. N. Ingram, Concord, N. C.

GET COUPONS—while they last at Williams Furniture Company's. You have a chance to get a handsome \$40.00 combination book case and writing desk.

CABBAGE PLANTS—Early Jersey Wakefield and Charleston Wakefield. First shipment expected this week. Give me your orders at once.

TRI-WEEKLY New York World and The Gastonia Gazette one year for \$2. A saving to you of 50 cents. The World gives you all foreign and national news (almost as good as a daily) and The Gazette gives you all the news of the county and State news condensed, twice a week.

FRIDAY, JAN. 25, 1907.

Gastonia Produce Market.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Chickens, Eggs, Butter, Turnips, Onions, Corn, Sweet Potatoes, Peas, Peavine Hay.

Gastonia Cotton.

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Notices of New Advertisements. Baltimore Racket Store—Great sensational sale. Swan-Slater Co.—Now for the very best.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

The convict force is now at work grading the public roads near Belmont.

Will Chapman, charged with stealing \$21.60 from Davis' market, was tried before Mayor Dixon Tuesday afternoon and bound over to court under a bond of \$50.

The Gaston Loan & Trust Company has sold a lot in Park Place to Mr. R. L. McAlister. The lot has a frontage on Marietta street of 62 1/2 feet.

Mr. Thomas B. Young and Miss Ada Williams, of Gastonia, were married Saturday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock in the parlor of the Tryon Street Methodist manse by the pastor, Rev. H. K. Boyer.

A petition is in circulation asking the Legislature to give Gaston a uniform bird law. This would call for the repeal of the law enacted two years ago prohibiting hunting in Cherryville, Gastonia and Crowders Mountain townships.

Prof. Jean Napoleon Ingram, of Cabarrus county and Charlotte, is in town. He arrived yesterday from Kings Mountain and Bessemer City where he delivered his lecture on "Hawaii".

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. M. L. Smith, of Clover, S. C. is a business visitor in town today.

Mr. J. E. Huffstetler, of Lowell, is a business visitor in town today.

Dr. J. M. Hunter, the specialist of Rock Hill, S. C., was in town on business Wednesday.

Mr. R. L. DeVinney, of Yorkville, S. C., is a business visitor in town today.

Mrs. J. R. Davidson, of Charlotte, is the guest of Mrs. T. F. Lucas on South Narrow Gauge street.

Mrs. Pearson Caldwell returned home Wednesday from a visit of several days to her mother, Mrs. Fannie LeGrande, at Charlotte.

Mr. Fred Riddle, of Union, has accepted a position with Morris Brothers and will go to work February 1st.

Miss Carrie Adams, of Rock Hill, S. C., is the guest this week of Misses Lydia and Rosebud Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Oates Sprinkle, of Charlotte, were the guests yesterday of Miss Mabel Craig.

Mr. Edgar Long, of The Gastonia News, left last night for Due West, S. C., to spend several days with friends.

Mr. Emory L. Wilson, of Charlotte, spent yesterday in town on business connected with the bottling works.

Mr. George L. Dooley, of Charlotte, was in town Wednesday to attend the poultry show.

Messrs. B. C. Best and A. B. George, of Bessemer City, were among the fanciers who attended the poultry show Wednesday.

Mr. D. S. Thornburg, of Cherryville, is in town this week attending the poultry show.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Glenn were among the Gastonians who attended the play in Charlotte Tuesday.

Rev. E. P. Lindsay, of Tennessee, is the guest of Rev. A. T. Lindsay at Linwood College.

Miss Fannie Sater, of Halifax, is the guest of Miss Edith Adams.

Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Forbis, of Kings Mountain, were in town Wednesday to attend the poultry show.

Among the visitors in town this week to attend the poultry show were Messrs B. S. Davis and John P. Green, of Charlotte, both of whom had some fine birds on exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Farris, of Kings Mountain, were among the visitors in town Wednesday.

Among the shoppers in town Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Rhyne, of Mt. Holly.

Messrs G. M. Gullick, of Belmont, and H. F. Forbes, of Crowders Creek, were in town Wednesday.

Dr. P. A. Pressley, of Greenville, S. C., was in town Wednesday en route to Clover, S. C., to visit friends.

Mesdames D. A. and H. N. Garrison and M. I. Sholar, of Bessemer City, were shoppers in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Rankin, of Mount Holly, were visitors in town Wednesday.

Mr. Luther Baber, of Yorkville, was in town Wednesday en route to Charlotte on business.

Mr. R. H. Merritt, of McAdenville, was in town yesterday to attend the poultry show. Mrs. R. H. Merritt and children, of McAdenville, are visiting Mrs. Merritt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Powell, of Raleigh.

Rev. James Moore, of Southside, was a visitor in town yesterday afternoon, en route to Bessemer City to visit his father, Mr. J. D. Moore.

Mr. F. D. Sampson, of the Southern Power Company, was in town yesterday inspecting the work here.

Judge W. A. Hoke, of the Supreme Court, was in town this morning en route to his home at Lincolnton, after a visit to the family of Governor Hoke Smith in Atlanta. Judge Hoke and Governor Smith are cousins.

Mesdames M. L. Smith and E. K. Hardin, of Clover, S. C., were the guests Tuesday of Mrs. G. W. Ragan.

Supt. Joe S. Wray went to Raleigh Wednesday on business and to attend the sessions of the Legislature for a few days. He is expected to return to-morrow.

Representative A. G. Mangum will return to-night from Raleigh where he is in attendance, on the sessions of the Legislature. He will return to Raleigh Sunday.

Mr. C. W. Spencer, who has been building the court house in Windsor, is spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Spencer. Mr. Spencer will go from here to Millboro, where he has several new contracts.

CALL FOR MASS MEETING.

In compliance with a petition from the citizens of the town of Gastonia, the Citizens Executive Committee requests the citizens of Gastonia to assemble themselves in mass meeting at the city hall Monday, Jan. 28, 1907 at 9 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of discussing and devising plans for the improvement of the streets and to attend to any other matters that may claim attention.

J. LEE ROBINSON, Secretary Citizens Executive Committee. This Jan. 25th, 1907.

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FOR A MASS MEETING.

Citizens Executive Committee Asked to Call One for Monday Night—Town's Needs to be Discussed.

A petition was placed in circulation yesterday—and there was no trouble to get signers for it—requesting the Citizens Executive Committee to issue a call for a mass meeting to be held in the city hall Monday night, January 28th, "for the purpose," to quote from the petition, "of discussing and devising plans for the improvement of the streets and attending to other matters that may come before the meeting." Elsewhere in to-day's issue will be found a call from the committee for such a meeting. It is desired that the attendance be large.

The bill of fare, as presented in the petition, names specifically only one topic for discussion—street improvements, but it is certain that several other topics of vital importance will be presented for consideration. Gastonia has other crying needs also—larger school facilities, a better and safer water system, a new depot in a different location and other things.

Recently there has been some dissatisfaction among citizens on account of the alleged impurity of the city's water and this should and doubtless will come in for its share of serious consideration at this meeting. That the city officials are doing everything possible with the means and equipment at hand to give the city the best water they can, there is no doubt. Nor is there doubt, on the other hand, that the town needs and should have a better and safer water system than the one now in use. A discussion of ways and means whereby this can be obtained will prove one of the interesting features of this meeting doubtless.

It is to be hoped that all public-spirited citizens will be present.

MR. JENKINS RECEIVER.

Appointed by Judge Allen to Take Charge of Vermont and Whetstone Mills—Assets Sufficient to Pay All Indebtedness.

Information was received in Gastonia this morning from Charlotte to the effect that Judge O. H. Allen has appointed Mr. L. L. Jenkins, president of the First National Bank of Gastonia, temporary receiver for the Vermont Mills and the Whetstone Cotton Company, of Bessemer City. This was done upon application of the creditors of these two mills. Mr. Jenkins will take charge at once.

It is learned from parties who are in close touch with these concerns and who have investigated the status of their affairs that the assets of each mill are amply sufficient to liquidate all indebtedness.

To Mr. and Mrs. Scott Greene, of Charlotte, Wednesday January 23, 1907, a daughter.

Congressman E. Y. Webb requests The Gazette to state that all persons desiring free vegetable seed can secure same by writing to him at Washington.

NOTICE.

The J. D. Moore Chapter, Children of the Confederacy, will meet at the home of Mrs. S. N. Boyce Saturday afternoon, Jan. 26, at 3 o'clock.

JENNIE PRGRAM, Secretary.

At the home of Mr. S. N. Boyce on York street yesterday afternoon, both the Tuesday Afternoon Club and the Friendly Matrons met.

The first was entertained by Mrs. E. H. Tuttle and the latter by Mrs. Boyce. The guests were first ushered into the dining room where they were served fruit punch, after which they were shown into the parlor where a game of progressive trail was played.

Mrs. F. G. Wilson and Mrs. T. L. Craig tied for the prize and, after cutting, Mrs. Craig was winner. Refreshments of ices and salads were served. In addition to the members of the club the following guests were present: Mesdames R. L. Clark, H. M. Eddleman, J. L. Bryan, J. P. Culp, Mary Moore Morrow, Elmer Spencer, J. Y. Miller, R. C. Warren, G. W. Wilson, F. G. Wilson, J. A. Hall, E. C. Wilson, D. E. McConnell, L. H. Long, Misses Nell Smyre, Bessie Horton, Berta Duff, and Maude Brown, of Concord, and Mrs. W. M. Boyce.

FOR MAYOR.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for election to the office of Mayor of Gastonia, subject to the action of the regular city primary.

C. B. ARMSTRONG

CAPT. R. C. G. LOVE DEAD.

End Came Suddenly at Brunswick, Ga., Wednesday—Funeral and Burial This Afternoon—Was a Pioneer in the Cotton Manufacturing Industry Here and an Influential Citizen.

Shocking and unexpected was the news received in Gastonia Wednesday morning, and passed from one to another on the streets, to the effect that Capt. R. C. G. Love, one of the town's oldest and most highly respected citizens, had expired suddenly at Brunswick, Ga., whither he and Mrs. Love had gone on Friday previous to visit their daughter, Mrs. C. S. Tait, before going to Florida where it was their intention to spend the remainder of the winter. The end came early Wednesday morning soon after he arose for the day and while he was engaged in dressing. Death was due probably to heart disease. Friends who saw and talked with Captain Love Friday, the day he left Gastonia, little dreamed that he was but five days removed from the great divide between time and eternity. He was then apparently in his usual good health and, to all external appearances, still had a long lease on life. He had suffered some from an asthmatic affection, however, and it is probable that this had some part in causing death.

Captain Love, known to the older citizens and his especial friends as Grier Love, had for twenty years been closely identified with Gastonia and its growth and was a familiar figure on the streets, being known to almost everyone. As a pioneer in the cotton manufacturing industry—the industry which has made Gaston famous—he organized, in conjunction with the late Capt. J. D. Moore and Mr. George A. Gray, the Gastonia Cotton Manufacturing Company and built the town's first cotton factory, the Old Mill No. 1. He had since been largely interested in this mill, which was later enlarged, and was at the time of his death actively engaged with his sons, Messrs. John F. and Robert A. Love, in looking after the interests of this mill and the Avon Mill.

Several years ago Captain Love purchased the Lincoln Mills but disposed of his holdings there, acquiring an interest in the Daniel Manufacturing Company at Lincolnton which he still retains. He was thoroughly familiar with the cotton manufacturing business in all its branches and every enterprise of the kind in which he had a managing interest proved successful.

Born Dec. 15, 1840, at the old Love home-place on Crowders Creek in the lower section of the county, he moved at the age of 19 to a farm west of Gastonia near the present location of the Arlington Mill. He married at this age Miss Rhyne, a daughter of Mr. Moses Rhyne and a sister of Mr. Daniel Rhyne, of Lincolnton, and Mr. A. P. Rhyne, of Mount Holly, who survives him. From his farm Captain Love moved to Woodlawn, near the present site of the town of Mount Holly, where he engaged in the general merchandise business for ten years or more. He then engaged in the general merchandise business at Kings Mountain for several years, coming to Gastonia in 1888 to engage in cotton manufacturing.

One of the few men now living who came to Gastonia in its infancy, Captain Love had a large part in the building up of the town and much credit is due him for his share in making Gastonia what it is today. He never sought public office or honors of any kind but was ever zealous for and watchful over the best interests of the town. Some 12 years ago he served as mayor, filling out the unexpired term of Esquire Bradley. He was an ardent advocate of temperance legislation and to his efforts is largely due the fact that Gastonia and Gaston county are free from the whiskey selling evil.

Surviving the deceased are his wife, who was with him at the time of his death; one brother, Mr. A. J. Love, of Wills Point, Texas; and the following children—Prof. James Lee Love, of Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.; Mr. Edgar Love, of Lincolnton; Mr. John F. Love

Dear Charley:—

The box of cigars is coming your way. I had tried so many things and the cold was bad—almost pneumonia. I took the bottle and rubbed my chest two nights and two mornings. It fixed me and I pay the wager. Hereafter you will hear me singing the praises of Gowan's Pneumonia Cure. I bought one fifty cent bottle. I am writing wife to-day to be sure to keep it in the house.

So Long,

JACK.

and Mr. Robert A. Love, of Gastonia; Mrs. C. S. Tait, of Brunswick, Ga., and Mrs. W. W. Glenn, of Gastonia.

THE FUNERAL.

Funeral exercises over the body of Captain Love were held in the First Presbyterian church this afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment is being made in Oakwood Cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. R. C. Anderson, pastor of this church, and Rev. Dr. J. C. Galloway, pastor of the A. R. P. church, of which Capt. Love was a member. Nearly all the business houses of the town are closed until 4 o'clock out of respect to the memory of the deceased. Both the factories of the Gastonia Cotton Manufacturing Company the Avon Mills are closed for the day. An immense crowd was present at the funeral, the church being entirely inadequate to accommodate all who came. A large number of out-of-town friends were present.

The body, accompanied by Mr. John F. Love and Mr. Edgar Love, sons of the deceased, and his wife arrived from Brunswick at 10:38 o'clock this morning on the C. & N. W. and was taken to the late residence on Oakland avenue.

Following is a list of the pall-bearers: Honorary—J. E. Page, J. O. Holland, B. G. Bradley, S. F. Stewart, C. E. Adams and Ed Whitesides; active—J. F. Thomson, J. R. Baber, J. P. Reid, W. T. Rankin, V. E. Long, Frost Torrence, J. K. Dixon and J. H. Kennedy.

NOTICE.

The regular meeting of the Daughters of the Confederacy which was to be held this afternoon has been postponed on account of the funeral of Mr. R. C. G. Love, but will be held promptly at 2 o'clock Tuesday. Every member is requested to be present.

MRS. E. H. TUTTLE, Recording Secretary.

Some Deals in Dirt.

The Gastonia Insurance & Realty Co. has sold a house and lot on Third street to Mrs. W. R. Ford. The company has also purchased 435 feet on Fourth street near York. Mr. E. L. Little has sold his house and lot on Oakland avenue to Mr. Sam Smith. The deal was made Wednesday.

Miss Shelton Wells Dead.

Many Gastonians will hear with regret of the death of Miss Shelton Wells, which occurred Wednesday, the 16th, at the home of her brother in Newberry, S. C. Death followed a sickness of only four days. The deceased was well known to many Gastonians, having lived here a number of years. She was for a long time housekeeper at the Falls House under the management of Mr. J. L. Falls and later kept house for Mr. G. W. Ragan. For the past several years she had spent her summers with a sister, Mrs. Fannie Alexander, at Lincolnton, and her winters in Newberry with her brother. Miss Wells was in Gastonia last October, being the guest for a day of Mrs. R. M. Reid.

PREPARE THIS YOURSELF.

For those who have any form of blood disorders; who want new, rich blood and plenty of it, try this:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime. Any good pharmacy can supply the ingredients at small cost.

This is the prescription which, when made up, is called "The Vegetable Treatment;" by others, the "Cyclone Blood Purifier." It acts gently and certainly does wonders for some people who are sickly, weak and out of sorts, and is known to relieve serious, long standing cases of rheumatism and chronic headache quickly. Make some up and try it. J25-F8 22.

A young white woman, aged 20, a daughter of Nan Stevenson, committed suicide in High Point Wednesday by taking carbolic acid. It is said that the suicide was the result of a quarrel with her mother.

Great Reduction ON Men's and Boys' CLOTHING. We have just finished taking stock and find we have left on hand quite a number of odd suits—one or two of a kind—which we are going to sell at once. This means a saving of twenty five to fifty per cent on every purchase. MEN'S SUITS. One Lot Single and Double Breasted Men's suits sold everywhere at \$5.00 and \$6.50. One Lot—all colors—some all wool—cheap at DOUBLE the money. One Lot—all wool Worsteds, Cheviots, Kerseys—some Strouse & Bros. Famous "High Art Clothing" \$12.50 and \$15.00. GOING AT \$10.00. BOY'S SUITS. We have the largest assortment of BOY'S SUITS & OVERCOATS in this section. They are bought right and we will make you the right price if you call and see them. Space does not permit us to describe them. They are in price from 98 cents to \$7.00. We still have on hand some "Great Values" in MEN'S RAIN-COATS—OVERCOATS AND RUBBER COATS. If you will be convinced ask to see them. MAIL ORDERS SOLICITED. J. M. BELK CO. Phone Orders Receive Prompt Attention. GASTONIA, N. C.

FACTS ABOUT FURNITURE FOR FARMERS. The Farmer needs Furniture just the same as other people. Furniture of the right kind—and that's the kind we sell—adds comfort and cheer to the farm home; it furnishes that indefinable something which gives that "home atmosphere" which is so desirable. Our immense stock includes everything needful for the Farmer's home—we've taken particular pains to make it so. And this is not all. We have so arranged it that the Farmer who wants FURNITURE and has not the ready cash to pay for it now can get the goods now and can say for it when his crop is marketed. We Trust the Farmers. And make it easy for them to buy FURNITURE. You get CASH PRICES and time to pay in both. See Us About it To-Day. E. L. Little Furniture Co. GASTONIA, N. C. We have just received two carloads of Furniture and one carload of stoves.

Its an ill wind that blows no good. The high cost of living must be deterring a great many people from living double lives.

Did you ever notice that the meanest people always have the longest memories?

We Will Buy. Clara Mill stock, 1.10. Ozark Mill stock. Trenton Mill stock. Arlington Mill stock. Gastonia Insurance & Realty Co. We Will Sell. 32 shares Stanley Cotton Mills. Two buildings on Main street. Ten and half acres land on Franklin Avenue, east end. One vacant lot, 100x178, on Second street. One vacant lot, 70x200, on Fourth street. One lot on Marietta St. 75x250. One Mill site and water power, 157 acres, fine timber land, six miles from Southern road, power for eight to ten thousand spindles. Engineer's report on file, from J. I. Sirrene, Greenville, S. C. One Mill site and water power for eight thousand spindles, 25 acres land, six miles from Southern road. One residence on York street, six rooms. If you want to buy or sell, come to see us. Office Citizen Bank building. SOUTHERN SECURITIES & TRUST COMPANY. GASTONIA, N. C.



Your Eyes Ready? Now that the Holidays are over and the New Year beginning, we must get down to serious things again. The first and most important item—your eyes. How about them? Are they in good shape for another year's hard work? Hadn't you better have us make a careful and complete test and if glasses are needed, have them fixed at once? Torrence-Morris Co. Jewelers & Opticians.