TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

We have been sending out our regular quarterly notices this week to all our subscribers who are in arrears. To these we shall hope to have ready response. The heaviest Charlotte News. expense of a newspaper office, the payroll, has to be met weekly in cash, all other expenses fall due monthly, and it is impossible for us to meet our obligations promptly and give our patrons satisfactory service in the editors. all respects unless our subscribers remit for the paper in advance. The date following your name shows when your subscription expires. If you are in arrears, we would appreciate the favor of your sending in your subscription promptly.

cerning the death of General James H. Lane is credited by mistake to the Concord Tribune, when it should be credited to the Concord Times.

The rapidly extended use of electrical power in this section, which is resulting in the erection of a network of high voltage transmission lines all over the country gives rise to a clanger which has not heretofore existed here. The peculiar to the large majority of people are a deep mystery. Some method should be adopted, it seems to us, for warning the people of the danger of in any way coming into contact with the transmission lines. The law has long ago required the posting of warning signs at railroad crossings, but there are, so far as we are informed, no placards or warnings attached to any of the transmission towers or poles of any of the power companies. The death of a nine-year-old boy in Char- Charlotte Chronicle. foolhardiness touching one of climbing the iron tower, is an example of the danger of which we speak. The deplorable accident which befell a young this morning also serves to point out the crying need of a better arrangement of the light and power wires in the city with

Yeager's Opening.

Wednesday and Thursday were millinery opening days for the fall season at Yeager's and the new things in headwear at this well-known establishment in that county in all lines of business were seen by large numbers of in the last few years. Gaston is ladies not only of Gastonia but now one of the leading cotton manufrom nearby towns as well. All the newest colors are seen here, including the leather town and county. shades, copenhagen, emerald and eminence. One of the leading shapes is the stovepipe. There is a decided change this season both in the shapes and trimmings, the latter being more elaborate than usual. The fluffy ruffle is one of the latest. The Gage and Castle hats are also here in profusion. In children's hats the Skidoo and the flat effects are the most popular. Miss Benson, an expert milliner, it has a public library, good schools, is in charge and is assisted by Misses Gertrude Stowe, Ethel sewerage system, etc., and has just Kincaid and Blanche McArver. voted a bond issue of \$75,000 for the

reference to the telephone lines.



The Family Safe-Guard. 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Relieves Croup in 20 minute. Aborts Presuments in 6 hours. Begins work as soon as applied. Criminal to be without it. Sold by all drargists or 10c sailed by sail. L. Richardson, Hig. Chem., Greensboro, N. C.

PRESS COMMENT

What the Papers of the State Say About Our Gaston County Industrial Edition.

Highly Creditable.

The Gastonia Gazette has issued 36-page edition, exploiting the different features that goto make Gastoma one of the best cities in the state. The edition is beautifully il-Instrated and is highly creditable to

A Handsome Edition.

Yorkville S. C. Enquirer.

The Gastonia Gazette has issued uite a handsome industrial edition covering the city of Gastonia and the county of Gaston. The edition is in magazine form of thirty-six pages The article on page four con- publishers, but to Gastonia and aston county.

Given a Good Exhibit.

R. Presbyterian.

The Gastonia Gazette of Gastonia. N. C., has gotten out an industrial edition of Gaston county. It com-prises thirty-two pages of written matter and of cuts. We notice pictures of The Boyce Memorial church, of Captain Dilling and of Mr S. N. Boyce, with a short history of these gentlemen. The business enter-prises of Gaston county are given a

An Attractive Write-Up.

Moresville Unterprise The Gastonia Gazette comes to us this week as an industrial issue for ways of a current of electricity that hustling city. Gaston is a great county and is noted far and near for its cotton mills. The the experts on the subject, and Gazette Publishing Company have shown their progressive spirit by issuing such an attractive write-up for their county and we congratulate them upon their efforts.

Gaston Leads Them All.

Raleigh News and Observer.

Gaston county leads all counties n North Carolina in cotton mills and the textile industry. The issue of The Gastonia Gazette this week is composed of thirty-six pages and is profusely illustrated, showing the textile, mercantile and other industries of the county, the churches, the schools, the public buildings, business houses and beautiful homes and pictures of the leading men of the county. It is a splendid edition, and the story of the progress of the county is interesting and valuable.

Gaston a Great County.

lotte some weeks ago, caused The Gastonia Gazette comes to us this week in the shape of an indusby his ignorantly or in a spirit of trial edition. It tells the story of the progress of Gaston county and the story is illustrated by pictures the heavily charged wires after to bear it out. Gaston is the greatest cotton milling county in the State. It is also a great mercantile county and its farmers are among the best in North Carolina. One of these days Gaston will be connected with Mecklenburg, the Metropolitan telephone lineman in Gastonia more bridges across the Catawba

Does Itself Proud.

Wilmington Messenger.

The Gastonia Gazette "does itself proud" in the publication of a Gaston County Industrial edition. It is a quarto of thirty-six pages, profuse-ly illustrated with cuts of the promiment business men of the county and of the many factories and handsome mercantile buildings. It is a handsome write-up of Gastonia and Gaston county. It shows what wonderful progress has been made facturing centers of the south. The Gazette with its industrial issue has done a good work in advertising its

At the Head of The Procession. Winston-Salem Journal.

The Gastonia Gazette this week appears in what is probably the finest dress ever worn by a weekly paper in North Carolina. It is an industrial edition for Gaston county and it does its home town and county proud. The county has 55 cotton mills in operation and two in course of construction. Gastonia is one of the widest awake little cities in the

The Best Food

The best food is that which builds up the body

and produces the most energy for the least amount of

being made from the whole grain of the wheat has the

nutrition to give the greatest sustenance and power.

The continued use of this food will give you more satis-

faction than any single article of diet you have ever

Palatable-Nutritious-Easy of Digestion and Ready to Eat

Can be served but. Put in a but oven for a few minutes; or cook in builing milk.

in provement of its streets. It is soon also to have a modern hospital. Gaston and Gastonia are progresve and The Gazette is right at the read of the procession.

Does the County Justice. Charlotte Observer.

The Gastonia Gazette appeared yesterday as a Gaston County Industrial Edition of thirty-six pages in magazine, form, giving a vast amount of statistical information about the county and each of its towns, together with sketches of individuals, histories of institutions, many pictures of persons and places and much matter of like character Gaston has fifty-eight cotton factories-more than any other county in the State-is rich in agricultural resources, is peopled by thrifty folk, including many able and propressive business men, and its towns are prosperous and growing. This special edition of The Gazette does the county justice. Gastonia. its leading town, is not surpassed in thrift and enterprise by any in the State or the piedmont region.

A Big Edition.

Kings Mountain Herald. The industrial edition of The Gastonia Gazette appeared Tuesday. The edition is 32 pages of 4 columns each and contains quite an im-portant write up of Gaston county. The paper is illustrated with many cuts and contains, many historical facts concerning Gaston's marvelous progress. Kings Mountain receives much space in the paper and among the illustrations, are several cuts of Kings Mountain churches. There is also a sketch of each of the county's officers, among which are Capt. Freno Dilling and Dr. O G. Falls. The edition will prove of much in-terest to those who are seeking information regarding Gaston county, and will be greatly prized by those Gastonians who have been for some time making a home in other parts

ARE YOUR KIDNEYS WELL?

Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Dropsy, In-flammation of the Bladder, Bad Blood and Nervous Troubles caused by Sick Kidneys.

Frost Torrence & Co. the wellknown Druggists of Gastonia know by experience that HINDIPO will cure all forms of Kidney and Nervous Troubles, and will guarantee it in all

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Cotton Receipts.

The receipts at the local platform to-day up to 1 c'clock were 106 bales. Total for the first four days of October, 450 bales. The best price to-day was 111/8

The Clara Mill school will Jenkins as teacher. This is not a branch of the city schools but is conducted under the supervision of the mill management. Recently a comfortable and commodious building has been erected for this purpose. The children of the Clara Mill operatives will have excellent school advantages.

Cures Blood, Skin Diseases, Cancer, Greatest Blood Purifer Free.

If your blood is impure, thin, diseased, hot or full of humors, if you have blood poison, cancer, carbuncles, eating sores, scrofula, eczema, itching, risings and bumps, scabby, pimply skin, bone pains, catarrh, rheumatism, or any blood or skin diseases, take Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.). Soon all sores heal, aches and pains stop and the blood is made pure and rich. Druggists or by express \$1 per large bot tle, three bottles for \$2.50 or 6 bottles for \$5.00. Samples free by writing Blood Balm Co., Alanta, Ga. B. B. B. is especially advised for chronic, deep-seated cases, as it cures after all else fails. F-J18-8.

Another Big Tree.

In renewing his subscription for another year Mr. W. E. Adams, of Clover, says: "Referring to the large poplar tree of which Dr. L. N. Glenn told you a week or so ago, tell the doctor if he will come down to Clover and spend the day with me I will show him a poplar tree on H. L. Wright's farm near Clover that will measure 27 feet in circumference. It is still standing, never having been burned

New Books at Library.

Following is a list of new books recently placed in the Gastonia library: Juvenile-Little Colonel series consisting of "Little Colonel", "Little Colonel's House party," "Little Colonel's Holidays," "Little Colonel's Hero," "Little Colonel's Hero," "Little Colonel's Hero," onel's Christmas Vacation,"
"Little Colonel at Boarding "Little Colonel at Boarding School," "Little Colonel in Arizona," "Little Colonel: Maid of Honor," by Annie Fellows Johnston; "Wayeeses," by William J. Long; fiction—"Red-Headed Gill," by Owen; "Long Road," by Oxenham; "Weavers," by Parker; "Freckles," by Porter; "To Him That Hath," by Scott; "Lady of the Decoration," by Little. tion," by Little.

COTTON RECEIPTS.

Boruwlacki.

The most famous dwarf who has fourlished in the Eri. In tiles is no-Consteally Count Joseph Borowinski, whose long the-he died at the age of ninety eight years is another example of the lengevity of his kind. Boruwland stood only three feet three inches in height. This did not prevent him from marrying a beautiful woman or from mixing in the best court society of the Georgian period. He was very amiably received at Carlton House by George IV. a few weeks before that monarch's coronation. So struck was the king by this dwarf's physical grace and mental accomplishments that he remarked to Charles Mathews, who had brought the little man, "If I had a dozen sons I could not wish them a more perfect model of elegance than

Boruwlaski's last days were spent in peaceful retirement in the city of Durham. He tells us that in spite of the theory that dwarfs grow all their life he never added a quarter of an Inch to his three feet three inches. When a lady asked him for his autograph, he sent these lines:

Poland was my cradle, England is my nest,

Durham is my quiet place Where my weary bones shall rest. He had known Marie Autoinette as a child, and he was living when Queen Victoria was crowned. It is in the Church of St. Mary the Less at Durham, close to the cathedral, in which his body lies, that you read the following inscription:

"Near this spot repose the remains of Count Joseph Boruwlaski, a native of Pokucia, in the late kingdom of Poland. This extraordinary man measured no more than three feet three inches in height, but his form was well proportioned, and he possessed a more than common share of understanding and knowledge. After various changes of fortune, borne with cheerful resignation to the will of God, he closed his life in the vicinity of the cathedral on Sept. 5, 1837, in the ninety-eighth year of his age."-P. T. O. of London.

A TORNADO.

The Spiral That Connects the Earth With the Clouds. While in Kansas a few years ago

had a very clear view of a tornado. It

was about ten miles distant, passing swiftly over the prairie. It presented the appearance of a long rope about two feet in diameter. It extended from a dark, irregularly shaped cloud to the earth and was slightly curved. It was of nearly uniform thickness and leaned about thirty-five degrees from a perpendicular toward the cloud. A line drawn from where I stood to the cloud would have made an angle of about forty degrees with the earth's surface. After this ropelike projection had parted I noticed in the irregular cloud a perfectly shaped spiral of silver whiteness. It was shaped like a great auger and extended from the point where the funnel or rope had been connected with the cloud forward in the direction the cloud was moving. All around it was in wild commotion, but the spiral itself seemed to stand like a great white ribbon coiled auger shape and fixed secure. This spiral at in a nearly horizontal position, the forward end being only slightly elevated. open Monday with Miss Willie I have never met any one who has seen this spiral in the tornado cloud, but by one who came dangerously near being caught by a passing tornado I was told that the center of the whiriing funnel was as white as milk. From his statement, taken in connection with my own observations, I have formed the opinion that the center of all tornadoes is a perfectly shaped electrical spiral and that when in operation it connects the earth with the cloud. It is manifest that such a spiral would give the middle of the tornado funnel a white appearance. But it is not likely that one looking at it in its upright form would detect its spiral form. Indeed, it would have to turn itself in a most favorable position in order to reveal to the eye of the observer its spiral form.—Scientific Amer-

A Stamp Menagerie.

A very complete menagerie may be formed from a collection of postage stamps having animals, birds and fish as the central figures. The animals represented are lion, tiger, elephant, giraffe, jaguar, camel, hippopotamus, buffalo, bear, leopard, dog, kangaroo, dear, horse, cow, flama, goat, monkey, donkey, beaver, duckbill, seal, sable, gorilla, cobra, crocodile, tortoise. The fowl family is represented by the peacock, owl, heron, eagle, parrot, turkey, snipe, swan, goose, quail, dove, hula-bird, emu, pheasant, lyre bird, apteryx, torea. Of fish there are but two-the cod and carp. The insect kingdom has one representative in the butterfly, nestling in the colffure of former Queen Liliuokalani.-Frank J. Stillman in St. Nich-

Willie was an only child, whose parents lived on a farm. He often grew very lonely and longed for a playmate. One day he asked his mamma why she didn't get him a little brother. Mether replied, "Willie, bables are too much trouble to 'fend." "Say, mamma, if you'll plant him, I'll hoe him."-Lippin-

All Sad. He It always makes me feel sad when I play the plano. She-Ah, in sympathy with your sudience, I sup-

pose.—Philadelphia Inquirer. Presumption is our natural and original disease.-Montaigne.

Not Living. "Hello, Jinks! I hear you are living

in a boarding house." "You heard wrong. I'm boarding in a boarding house."-Washington Her-

It is a maxim with me that no man was ever written out of a reputation but by himself,-Bentley.

Nowadays. First American Child-Here I am ten She-Be frank with me. He-I can't. My name is James.-Harvard Lamyears old, and my parents actually obsecond American Child—The truth is that parents nowadays are getting

INHUMAN TORTURES.

Career of the Famous Count Joseph The Old English Custom of Burning Women Alive,

The horrible punishment of burning women alive seems to have existed in Saxon England, but perhaps only in the case of slaves. Under the Norman rulers any woman, hand or free, who killed her husband was burned affre. and the same punishment for this crime and also for hi h treason and even for colling and other minor offenses continued or arang from time to time through the sages and third periods until it was abouthed by not of parliament in 1700, the last actual execution of this kind having, however, taken piace six years earlier. The whipping of women for various offenses continued even later. Public whipping was not abandoned until 1817, and cases of private whipping ocentred as late as 1820.

There can be no doubt, we think, that the savage human instinct of cruelty had something to do with the barbarous punishments above mentioned. As the old Roman public longed for the carnage of the circus, as the Spanish populace crowded to the auto-da-fe in the flourishing days of the inquisition, so the lower (perhaps not only the lower) strata of English nationality took delight in witness-ing tortures which in all probability were devised and kept up partly for their entertainment. Judge Jeffreys in sentencing a woman to be whipped is reported to have said:

"Hangman, I charge you to pay particular attention to this lady. Scourge her till her blood runs down. It is Christmas time, a cold time for madam to strip. See that you burn her shoulders thoroughly."-Cornhill Magazine.

SAVING MONEY.

Getting the First Thousand Dollars and What It Teaches.

"Get the first \$1,000. After that mon-ey making is easy." This is the old time sage advice of the hard headed, self made man. That axiom has set many men to saving. They fix upon that sum as the glittering, faroff herald of a fortune some time to be made. To a man on a small salary-a salary. say, out of which something can be saved weekly without too much deprivation-the advice is good. There is something in it that acts as a stimulus to economy. And who will deny that economy is a good thing or that any truth that lights the way to it should not be known?

Many men, therefore, have been buoyed up in their economies by the belief that the first \$1,000 is the hardest to get and that afterward all the rest would be easy and the good things of the world that follow a bounteons supply of money would be within easy reach. It is a pity that the man who invented that saying could not also have told us with equal advantage how to turn the \$1,000 over and make two of it. It takes a long time to make a wage earner see that "money works." His idea of making money is to work for it himself. It never occurs to him that money works much easier than he can and without any of the hardships he himself experiences—that is to say, until he has got the first \$1,000. That usually makes a young man feel like a financier, and he talks wisely of investments,-Denver Republican.

Just Keep On.

When today's difficulties overshadow yesterday's triumphs and obscure the bright visions of tomorrow, when plans upset and whole years of effort seem to crystallize into a single hour of concentrated bitterness, when little annoyances eat into the mind very quickly and corrode the power to view things calmly, when the jolts of misfortune threaten to jar loose the judgment from its moorings, remember that in every business, in every career, there are valleys to cross, as well as hills to scale; that every mountain range of hope is broken by chasms of discouragement through which run torrent streams of despair! To quit in the chasm is to fail. See always in your mind's eye those sunny summits of success! Don't quit in the chasm! Keep on!-System.

A Bonanza. A certain western congressman has

had disastrous experience in gold mine speculations. One day a number of colleagues were discussing the subject of speculation when one of them said to the western member: "Tom, as an expert, give us a definition of the term 'bonanza.' "

"A 'bonanza,' " replied the western man, with emphasis, "is a hole in the ground owned by a champion liar."-

Alexander the Great.

Alexander succeeded to the throne of Macedonia in his twenty-first year. He dled at the age of thirty-two. Thus in the space of about twelve years the young soldler had brought the Greek states into submission, crushed Darius and his million of Persians and crossed the Indus and defeated the Indian king Porus. Alexander was not merely a brutal conqueror, but tried to weld the various countries into a solid empire.

No Use For Them. "Come, Willie; get up!" said an indulgent father to his son the other morning. "Remember, the early bird catches the worm."

"What do I care for worms?" replied Willie, "Mother won't let me go fish-

Wiggles - I bear Bjenks has been very ill. Is he out of danger yet? Waggles-Well, he's convalescent, but he won't be out of danger until that pretty nurse who has been taking care

of him has gone away. And Then He Ran. "Did any man ever tell you," asked Mr. Henpeck as he edged toward the door, "that you were the sweetest and most beautiful woman in the world?"

"No," replied his wife. "Gee! Men are honester than I thought they were."-Chicago Record-Herald.

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Kick the Printer



In the city of Brooklyn, N. Y., there has been for many years a conspieuous signboard outside an office which reads, "KICK THE PRINTER."

Bibulous persons sometimes go inside to carry out the apparent request, but they discover that the printer is a gentleman by the name of Kick.

In every town there are persons who, if they do not actually feel like kicking the printer-the newspaper man-at any rate do a lot of kicking at the way he conducts his paper. Please DON'T kick

the printer; he is doing the best he can. And what he does

for the town and community, despite his occasional mistakes, may be a great deal more than the kickers themselves are doing. Did THAT ever occur to you?

We are all neighbors in this town. What helps one helps the others. What hurts one hurts the others. Every community is a mutual benefit association, whether organized or just running wild. The printer is a charter member. If you had no printer-no newspaper-how would you

like that? Do you know what happens to towns that don't support a newspaper? Nothing happens. Nothing ever happens in a town like that. As soon as things begin to happen in a town the newspaper comes along and tells about

The newspaper boosts the town. It records progress and offers suggestions, by the editor or the readers, as to further progress. Every copy of every issue advertises the town. This is all free advertisement. It costs the town nothing. It costs the people nothing. It is a part of the

In view of this fact, which nobody can dispute, it is much better to pat the printer on the shoulder now and then or to speak kindly of him than to kick him.

NO; DON'T KICK THE PRINTER.

If You Want Gaston County News Subscribe for The Gazer If You Want Neat, Up-to-Date Stationery see us-we Print