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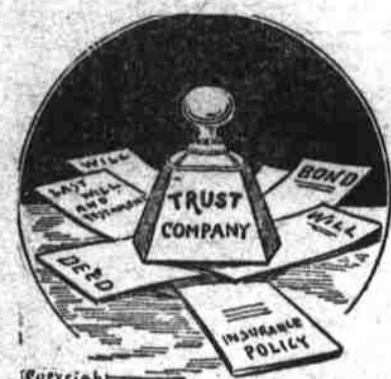
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The cornerstone of the North Car-
olina Grand Lodge Masonic Temple
was laid at Raleigh Wednesday in
the presence of thousands of masons
from all over the State.

Twenty business houses and resi-
dences in Jacksonville, Florida were
destroyed Tuesday night by fire
which swept the southern portion of
the city and inflicted a loss of \$75,-
000.

At Greensboro Wednesday
William Jennings Bryan was
addressed by a large audience of 32,000
at fair grounds. At the same time
thirty-nine injured. Ten
retained with a...

190 Lots to be Sold at Auction

Saturday Morning, October 19th,

At 10 O'clock Sharp

LOOK FOR THE SIGN ACROSS MAIN STREET

Don't Fail to Attend
This Sale

Nothing Like It

Ever Held in Gastonia

These Lots are to BE SOLD

FOR THE HIGHEST DOLLAR

Its to Your Interest

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Promptly at 10 O'clock

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Else you may miss a bargain in property
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Saturday is Always a
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And for the convenience of those who
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Arranged TO HAVE Carriages

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where the sale will be conducted.

Call at our office and get
transportation

Remember the date and hour, Saturday morning, Oct. 19th, 10 o'clock sharp

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SYNOD OF TENNESSEE.

Now in Session at Kings Moun-
tain—Delegates from Three
States Enrolled—Present Of-
ficers Re-Elected for Another
Year.

Special to the Charlotte Observer.

Kings Mountain, Oct. 16.—
The ministers and delegates of
the Tennessee Synod have been
arriving in Kings Mountain since
Monday night. At 2 o'clock
yesterday the Synod was formally
opened by a most inspiring
sermon by the president, Rev.
E. J. Sox, of Little Mountain, S.
C. Following the sermon the
holy communion was adminis-
tered, the members of St. Mat-
thew's congregation partaking
with the members of Synod.

The president then read his
report, which was a clarion call
to greater church activity.

During the year the death of
one minister has occurred, Rev.
J. N. Stirewalt, Luray, Va. Mr.
Stirewalt was a faithful pastor
and also the father of Rev. J. W.
Stirewalt, missionary of the Uni-
ted Synod, South.

The Synod has lost two pas-
tors by transfer—Rev. W. P.
Cline, to the S. C. Synod, and
Rev. Prof. W. H. Little to the
Southern Nova Scotia Synod—
and one loss, Rev. D. A. Good-
man to the Missouri Synod.

Three ministers have come in-
to the Synod—Rev. W. A. Lutz,
Statesville; Rev. P. D. Risinger,
Dallas, and Rev. C. J. Sox,
Statesville.

The election of officers result-
ed in a re-election of the old of-
ficers for another term: Rev. E.
J. Sox, president; Rev. C. K.
Bell, secretary, and Rev. Dr. R.
A. Yoder, treasurer.

Among the official visitors are:
Rev. O. B. Shearous, fraternal
delegate from the South Carolina
Synod, and Prof. J. Q. Crabtree,
Salem, Va., superintendent of the
Orphan Home of the United
Synod of the South.

A most gratifying feature
comes from the treasurer's re-
port that more than \$26,000
passed through his hands as the
beneficence of the Synod during
the past year. This breaks the
record at more than treble any
previous year.

The address of last night was
on the subject of Christian edu-
cation and was delivered by Rev.
B. D. Wessinger, of South Car-
olina.

The substantial and genial
people of Kings Mountain are en-
tertaining the Synod royally. The
music of the church service has
been specially prepared and is
most beautifully and impressively
rendered. The Lutheran
church of Kings Mountain is a
gem of beauty and the loyal peo-
ple are a happy unit in all their
work. Rev. C. K. Bell, the sec-
retary of Synod, is the popular
pastor.

MR. ED HOFFMAN DEAD.

Well-to-do Citizen of the County
Dies of Typhoid Fever—Buried
Wednesday at Sandy Plains.

Mr. Ed Hoffman, a well-to-do
farmer and merchant of the
Union neighborhood, died Tues-
day at his home from typhoid
fever following an illness of 19
days. The funeral was held
Wednesday at Sandy Plains
Baptist church, Rev. G. A.
Sparrow, pastor of Union Pres-
byterian church, conducting the
services. Deceased was in the
thirty-first year of his age.

Mr. Hoffman is survived by
his wife, who was Miss Mary
Brison, and two children. He
also leaves the following broth-
ers: Mr. Miles Hoffman, of
Colorado, and Mr. Alonzo Hoff-
man, of Gaston county; two
half-brothers, Mr. George Hoff-
man, of Georgia, and Mr.
Charles Hoffman, of this county;
one sister, Mrs. Robert McGin-
nis, of the Union neighborhood.
He is also survived by his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H.
Hoffman. The deceased con-
ducted a mercantile business
near Sandy Plains and was also
engaged in farming. He had
numerous friends in the county
who regret to hear of his death.

STOP THE STRENUOUS LIFE.

Weakens the Tissues and Lessens
Organic Vitality.

The stress and strain of the
strenuous life in both city and
country tends towards stomach
troubles.

Five people suffer to-day where
one did ten years ago with sick
headache, dizziness, flatulence,
distress after eating, specks be-
fore the eyes, bloating, nervous-
ness, sleeplessness and the many
other symptoms of indigestion.

All who are suffering with
stomach troubles, and that means
at least two out of three in Gas-
tonia and other towns, should
use Mi-o-na stomach tablets.
Nothing else is as safe, yet ef-
fective; nothing else can be so
thoroughly relied upon to relieve
all troubles from indigestion as
Mi-o-na.

It is not a mere digestive taken
after the food is eaten, but a
true tonic, stimulant and
strengthening for the muscular
walls of the stomach, increasing
the flow of digestive fluids and
putting the stomach into such
condition that it does the work
Nature expects of it.

So reliable is Mi-o-na in its
curative action that J. H. Ken-
edy & Co., with every 50-cent
box they sell give a guarantee to
refund the money unless the
remedy does all that is claimed
for it.

Steven Price, a white boy, fell
from a moving train near Greens-
boro Wednesday morning and was
run over and killed by another train
which was passing.

One man was killed, six persons
dangerously injured and 25 others
slightly hurt when an electric car
went over a 20-foot embankment in
Cincinnati, Ohio, Wednesday.

The Gazette for first-class printing.

MR. McDOWELL RESIGNS.

Gastonia Man Who Recently
Went to Concord Relinquishes
Management of Bala Cotton
Mills.

The following from Wednes-
day's Concord Tribune will be
of interest to many Gastonians:
"A meeting of the directors
of the Bala Cotton Mills was
held in this city last Monday
night, when the resignation of
Mr. J. H. McDowell was tender-
ed and accepted as general man-
ager of that concern. The res-
ignation of Mr. McDowell was
voluntary, having decided to
give up the duties devolving up-
on him out there. He has not
yet decided what he will do or
where he will go.

"Mr. J. D. Bosomean, an ex-
perienced cotton mill man of
Burlington, has been given the
position as general manager of
the mill and is here now getting
acquainted with the work and
the people, making ready to
take full charge when Mr. Mc-
Dowell leaves a few weeks
hence. Mr. Bosomean is a man
of family, and will occupy the
home now occupied by his pre-
decessor at the Bala Mills."

LUCIA LOCALS.

Evangelist Edmundson Holds
Successful Revival—A Mar-
riage—Farmers Holding Their
Cotton for Better Prices.

Lucia, Oct. 17.—Evangelist
Edmundson, of Raleigh, closed
a ten days meeting yesterday at
the new Baptist church at Lucia
with twenty-three additions to
the church, 14 baptisms and nine
by letter. Mr. Edmundson is
one of North Carolina's greatest
evangelists and did some good
preaching and work while here.
We certainly enjoyed having
him with us. His daughter,
Miss Kathleen, was with him to
help with the singing. She has
a sweet voice and did some
beautiful singing.

Mr. Will Pryor and Miss Bala
Allen were married Sunday at
7:30 p. m., Rev. W. M. Borling,
the M. E. pastor, officiating.

Mr. Bob Black has a fine boy
and Mr. R. B. Lee a fine girl.
The farmers are very busy
gathering in their crops and
preparing to sow their grain.
There have been a few corn
huskings in the community.
Cotton is dropping off. Our
farmers are holding their cotton
for better prices.

Case Continued.

The damage suit of Charles
R. Morrow against the Southern
Railway for \$25,000, which was
scheduled for trial this week at
Spartanburg, was continued till
the next term of court on ac-
count of the absence of the at-
torney for the plaintiff, Messrs.
T. N. Williams, C. M. Nolen,
Roe McLaughen and Mac Pear-
son returned Wednesday from
Spartanburg, having gone down
to testify in the case. Morrow,
it will be remembered, lost both
his legs in an accident here two
or three years ago.

FAIR WEEK ATTRACTIONS.

Great Big Treats Are in Store
For Charlotte People and Visi-
tors.

Correspondence of The Gazette.

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 17.—
Great big treats are in store for
the people of Charlotte and visi-
tors of the fair next week. Miss
Helen Byron in "Peggy From
Paris" will be the attraction at
the Academy of Music Monday
night and Miss Florence Davis
in "A Question of Husbands"
the three nights following. Miss
Davis is one of the most ad-
mired actresses that visits
Charlotte. She has in her per-
sonality a combination of effec-
tive forces. The announcement
of her three nights engagement
next week will be read with in-
terest throughout this section.

The fair management will
provide other attractions both
in the city and at the grounds.
As the time draws near the list
of horses that will participate in
the races becomes more attrac-
tive. Secretary Creswell and
Manager W. S. Orr are attend-
ing the Greensboro and Raleigh
faires securing fast horses and
indications point to a complete
and high-class booking of
pacers, trotters and runners.

The detailed exhibits of the
fair in themselves will attract
crowds and the greatest enthusi-
asm. The splendid portrayal
of the county's resources by the
exhibits of farmers, merchants
and manufacturing industries
were never of such a variety as
they will be this year. The
people of Charlotte are prepar-
ing to accord the best possible
entertainment for the thousands
confidently expected.

The only true constipation
cure must begin its soothing,
healing action when it enters
the month. Hollister's Rocky
Mountain Tea restores the
whole system to a healthy, nor-
mal condition. 35 cents, Tea
or Tablets.

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Born

To Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bab-
ington on Thursday, October 10,
a daughter.

Death at Mount Holly.

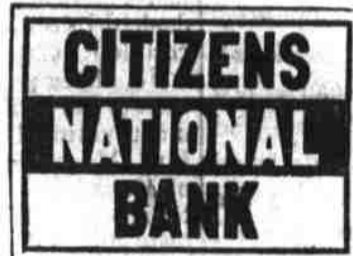
Mrs. A. F. Jones died at her
home at Mount Holly Sunday
evening at 7:15 o'clock after a
two-months' illness of typhoid
fever with complications.
Mrs. Jones was about 45 years
of age and was a most excellent
woman, who looked well to the
ways of her household and showed
a heartfelt interest in the
education and spiritual welfare
of her boys, of whom there were
six. Five of these and their father
survive her, in the home
made so desolate by her absence.
In the town and the church she
will be sadly missed. The funeral
was held from the Methodist
church near Lowesville and the
interment was made in the
graveyard there.

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R. P. Rankin,
President

A. G. Myers,
Cashier.

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Is the only word that adequately describes our stock in
every department for the fall season of 1907. Our stock is
larger, more complete and more varied than in any previous
season since we have been in business in Gastonia. A look
through our store will convince even the skeptical of the
truth of this statement.

The Newest Weaves

In Dress Goods and accessories are here as well as all the
newest things in Embroideries, Novelties, Trimmings, Rib-
bons, Millinery and Coats.

We are prepared to take care of the trade on tailored
garments in our custom department. Our made-to-order
garments have a reputation for fit and satisfaction of which
we are proud.

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Winter headwear you should visit our Millinery parlors. The
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Present for the Fall Bride.

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