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IMPORTANT NOTICE. The publishers desire to call to the attention of all Gazette subscribers the fact that the paper is now operated strictly on a cash-in-advance basis...

FRIDAY, JANUARY 28, 1910.

Again has the angel of death invaded the ranks of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian ministry and removed therefrom one of its princely and able men in the person of Rev. Dr. James Boyce.

The Gazette has received the January number of the Bulletin of the University of South Carolina which is devoted entirely to the subject of good roads.

The Man Who Wants to Borrow Money

and the man who wants a safe place to keep his money, a place where he can leave it with the certainty of getting all or any part of it at any time, are both appreciated patrons at this bank.

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK GASTONIA, N. C. R. P. Rankin, Pres. A. G. Myers, Cashier

Beautiful Floors Old English Floor Wax. If you have a hard wood floor in your house, by all means bring out that rich, subdued lustre, which is given only by Old English Floor Wax.

Bright and Clean Floors Brightener. It is so easy and so inexpensive to keep any kind of finished floor surface as bright and clean as new if you occasionally rub it over with Brightener.

NEW MILLS OF THE SOUTH. Large Number of New Cotton Factories Under Way—Remarkable Increase of An Important Industry.

The Same Old Story. Yorkville, S. C., Enquirer. The Gastonia News has suspended publication, and the sheriff has seized the plant and fixtures for rent and other debts.

\$25 for One Egg. Charlotte Observer. Those housewives who are complaining because their grocers charge them from 30 to 40 cents a dozen for eggs will stand aghast when they read of a reward of \$25 being offered for the recovery of one hen egg.

Gastonia Cotton. These figures represent the prices: paid to wagons, Janu. 28th: Good middling .14 1-4c Strict middling .14 1-8c Middling .14c Cotton seed .45c

AMAZON COTTON MILL. This mill, which will be one of the J. W. Cannon group, is under construction at Thomasville, N. C., and will have \$5,000 spindles on yarns.

Winston-Salem, N. C. It is assured and will have 5,000 spindles and 200 looms. E. L. SHUFORD MFG. CO. This mill is proposed at Lawton, Okla., by E. L. Shuford, of Hickory, N. C., with 10,000 spindles and 300 looms.

GLENCOE COTTON MILLS. This mill has been recently incorporated at Columbia, S. C., with an authorized capital stock of \$200,000 by T. H. Wannamaker and others.

ALICE COTTON MILLS. E. H. Shanklin who for many years was superintendent of the Easley Cotton Mills organized this mill. It is now under construction and will have 13,000 spindles and 325 looms.

REPUBLIC COTTON MILLS. This mill is under construction at Great Falls, S. C., and will have 25,000 spindles and 650 looms on print cloths.

CENTRAL TEXTILE CO. This mill is proposed and will probably be built at Memphis, Tenn., to make bag goods. It will have 25,000 spindles, 800 looms and be managed by W. H. Carter.

GRANITE MFG. CO. This company has purchased 800 looms, which are to be installed in a mill-building which has been erected at Marble Falls, Tex., for several years.

LONE STAR COTTON MILLS. The stock for this mill has been subscribed at McKinney, Tex., J. Berry Burris is president and it is proposed to have 5,000 spindles and 200 looms.

At other places, notably Lowndsville, S. C., Bladenboro, N. C., and Jackson, Ga., mill projects are taking shape and will probably be incorporated at an early date.

DEATH AT MOUNT HOLLY.

Mr. L. D. Johnston Passes Away at Advanced Age—Was Confederate Veteran.

A special from Rock Hill, S. C., to The Charlotte Observer of this morning says: "Mr. L. J. Johnston, the venerable father of Mr. E. B. Johnston of this city, died Tuesday morning at his home in Mount Holly, N. C., after an illness of four months."

The deceased was thrice married, his first wife being Miss Lucretia Kimbrell of Fort Mill; his second Miss Martha Kimbrell, also of Fort Mill, and his third, who survives him, Miss Laura Thrower of Pineville.

Watterson on Taft.

Louisville Courier-Journal. For the first time in the history of the country a President of the United States has openly proclaimed himself the friend of thieves and the enemy of honest men.

Poor old, dignified, fat-witted James Buchanan, who, standing by the extremists of Democracy, let the country drift into war, seems the only parallel to the good-natured indifferentialist now occupying the chief magistracy.

WHO IS YOUR FINANCIAL PHYSICIAN? You should take your banker into your confidence and let him advise you in your financial matters. The FIRST NATIONAL BANK, through its experienced officers is competent to do this, and will gladly consult with you whether you desire to open an account or not.

The First National Bank Gastonia, N. C. Gaston County's Oldest and Largest Bank. L. L. JENKINS, Pres. S. N. BOYCE, Cashier. J. LEE ROBINSON R. R. RAY Vice Presidents.

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NOTICE! To Taxpayers

Notice is hereby given to the tax payers that I will be at the city hall in Gastonia for the purpose of collecting taxes on Saturday, January 29th and on each Saturday during the months of February, namely the 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th.

All parties who have not paid their privilege taxes for the year will please mail money for same to me at once and I will forward their licenses to them.

Every tax payer who has not yet paid his taxes is urged to settle at once.

T. E. SHUFORD SHERIFF

For The Remainder Of This Week

Our specials will be Damask Towels and Table Damask, made at the Spencer Mountain Mills in this county.

20X41 Damask Towels, 15 cent value at 10c. 64-inch Table Damask, 50c value at 39c a yd.

See our window display and dont fail to take advantage of this opportunity.

The Thomson Merc. Co. Gastonia, N. C.