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WANTED

WANTED: Information as to the whereabouts of Alma McCaig, colored. Disappeared from her home near McAdenville New Year's night. Any information about her will be gladly received by Albert McCain, McAdenville, N. C. 22p2.

WANTED—By January first two experienced agents to solicit health and accident insurance, on salary or commission. Address or call on L. L. Todd, Gastonia, N. C. Office in Adams building. tf.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Fresh milch cow with first calf. E. P. Lineberger, R. F. D. 3. 25p 2.

FOR SALE—Two fresh milch cows. J. N. Hanna. M 4 c 4.

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FOR SALE—One horse, cheap to quick buyer. Apply to A. J. Kirby. tf.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Eight-room house, modern conveniences, 309 E. Franklin. Apply to R. C. Patrick, 202 S. Broad. T15& 22p.

FOR RENT—Good four-room house on York street. Apply to L. E. Dickson, Phone 388-5 1/2. 22p3.

FOR RENT—Dwellings at No. 114 S. Oakland St., 213 W. Franklin Av., 317 E. Third Av., W. Fourth Av. and 217 S. Oakland St. Also store room at No. 215 W. Main Av. Gastonia Insurance & Realty Co.

FOR RENT—Three large offices, second floor Long Brothers new building. Electric lights, sewerage, water in each room. Most desirable offices in the city. Long Bros. tf.

FOR RENT—Up-stairs office in Y. M. C. A. building. Apply to D. E. McConnell. tf.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LOOK for Spring and Summer opening ad in Friday's Gazette. R. T. Padgett. 22c1.

FRAMING Lumber and rough boards delivered to sidewalk in Gastonia for \$12 per thousand. This is the same lumber that Gastonia dealers sell for \$13.50. Write me your wants. W. G. McRayer, Route 2, Grover, N. C. A 1 c 12.

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1910.

Personal Mention.

—Mr. W. Y. Warren was a business visitor to Charlotte yesterday. —Mr. Bruce G. Rhyne and family were here from McCall, S. C., to spend week or two with relatives. —Mr. H. G. Winget was a business visitor to Kings Mountain yesterday afternoon. —Mayor Craig had quite a num-

Spring Weddings

WILL SOON BE WITH US AND YOU WILL WANT SOME THING WHICH WILL MAKE A DEEP AND LASTING IMPRESSION ON THE RECIPIENT AS WELL AS SPEAK HIGHLY OF THE ABILITY OF THE GIVER TO SELECT SOMETHING WITH TONE AND ELEGANCE.

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ber of cases before him in police court Monday morning. They were mostly drunks and disorderlies.

—Gaston Conclave No. 391 I. O. H. will hold its regular meeting Friday night. Several candidates for membership will be initiated.

—Thursday, the 24th, the stockholders of the Gastonia Insurance & Realty Co. will hold their annual meeting.

—Dr. Frank G. Wilson has returned from an extended visit to New York, Baltimore and other northern cities.

—Mr. Ike Schultz returned to his home in Kinston, N. C. Saturday night after a pleasant visit of several days to Mr. and Mrs. D. Lebovitz.

—Mrs. Nancy Roper is confined to her bed at her home in Belmont as the result of injuries sustained a few days ago when she fell and broke her hip.

—Mr. E. P. Wideman and Mr. S. E. Ader, city editor and circulation manager respectively of The Charlotte Chronicle, were here Friday on business.

—The February term of Gaston Superior Court begins next Monday. Following the disposal of the criminal docket the civil docket will be taken up. We are publishing this docket in today's Gazette.

—Mrs. R. T. Padgett and little daughter returned Sunday from Charlotte where they spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hicks. Mr. Padgett went over Saturday and accompanied them home.

—Mr. M. T. Parham, of the firm of M. T. Parham & Co., was able to be up town Saturday for the first time in over a month, having been confined to his home on Third avenue by a severe attack of grip.

—Miss Clara Crawford, who has charge of the millinery department of Stowe Brothers' store, Belmont, went last week to the Northern markets to purchase the spring and summer headgear for this firm.

—Mr. Eli Kendrick left yesterday morning for North Wilkesboro where he has accepted a temporary position as bookkeeper with the Deposit & Savings Bank. He will probably be gone two months or more.

—Mrs. J. B. Wylie and little daughter arrived in Gastonia Saturday from Fort Valley, Ga., where they spent ten days with relatives, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Costner, a few days before returning to their home at Charlotte.

—Page two of today's Gazette is given up entirely to matter relative to President George Washington, our first Chief Executive. It is interesting matter and our readers will find it well worth the little time that it will require in the reading.

—Mrs. Mattie Hunter, mother of Mr. J. A. Hunter, of Gastonia, is confined to her bed at her home in Belmont as the result of injuries sustained about two weeks ago in a fall. Her many friends will be glad to know that she is resting well and that her condition is improving.

—Mr. Giles L. Wilson, of Spartanburg, S. C., spent Sunday and yesterday here, having been summoned to Gastonia on account of the illness of his mother, Mrs. Mary D. Wilson, who is quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. K. Dixon, on York street. Mr. Wilson is state bank examiner for South Carolina.

—We are requested to call the attention of all members of the Young Men's Christian Association to the business meeting which is to be held in the library on Thursday evening of this week at 7:30 o'clock. It is very important to have a full attendance of the members of the association, as several matters of very great

importance must be settled at this meeting.

—Capt. N. G. Todd has moved his family from Mount Holly to Gastonia and is occupying one of the Wilson cottages on Willow street. Mr. Todd is in charge of the county's free-labor road-grading gang and has just completed the work of grading the Rhyne Mount Holly road. He has commenced the work of grading the road which connects the Gastonia-Lowell macadam road with Spencer Mountain. This road is about two and a half miles in length.

—We are carrying in this issue two formal announcements of candidates for Sheriff in addition to those which appeared in last issue. Mr. J. Madison Kendrick, at present Deputy Sheriff, and Mr. J. D. B. McLean, of Gastonia, announce themselves as candidates for the Sheriff's office. Both of these gentlemen are well-known throughout the county, Mr. Kendrick having been Deputy Sheriff for several years and Mr. McLean being a native of the South Point section. Mr. McLean has made his home in Gastonia, however, for the past ten years or more.

—The following item is from today's Charlotte Observer: "At noon yesterday and at public outcry the valuable farm belonging to the estate of the late Rev. J. S. A. Hunter, lying on the south side of the Providence road about 5 miles from the city, was purchased by Mr. J. C. Reid whose farm lies on the opposite side of the highway. The farm comprises about 90 acres of valuable land in good cultivation. The highest bidder was Mr. Reid at \$50.51." Rev. Mr. Hunter, it will be recalled, died here some months ago after having served a number of years as a missionary of the A. R. P. church in Mexico.

—Sometime ago it was announced that Rev. J. J. Beach would, after the first of March, devote all his time to East Baptist church at Gastonia, the Bessemer City congregation having extended a call to E. L. Weston. The latter declined the call and the Bessemer congregation, feeling unable because of the unsettled conditions there to call a pastor for full time, appointed a committee to ask the East Baptist church to agree for Mr. Beach to continue to give them two Sundays each month for the next few months, or through the spring and summer. This was agreed to and Mr. Beach will continue to preach at Bessemer the second and fourth Sundays of each month.

A full line of Wall Paper at the Gastonia Furniture Co.

A dastardly crime was committed at Burlington Sunday morning early when Will and Robert Lee Burch, brothers, attempted to rob their uncle, Charles Bradshaw. They attacked him with knives but were frightened away before they could accomplish their purpose. The boys live at Spray and were visiting Bradshaw. They knew he had a hundred dollars in his pockets. They both escaped.

A special from Washington to this morning's Charlotte Observer says that, after a hard fight and a heated discussion before the committee on commerce yesterday Senator Simmons secured the adoption of an amendment to the House river and harbor bill providing for \$615,000 for the eight-foot project from Wilmington to Fayetteville. One hundred thousand dollars of this sum is made immediately available and the Secretary of War is authorized to make a contract or contracts for the amount needed to secure the desired depth.

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The De Kovens are the best representatives of the ever popular male quartette now before the public. Year after year they have returned to the lyceum circuits in response to steadily growing demand and in all this time no change whatever has been made in the personnel of the organization. As a result, ensemble work of a rare degree of excellence has been obtained. Individually, each is an excellent singer in his class and a skilled musician. Ivan H. Blackman, the second tenor, is manager of the company. The others are Howard L. Baxter, first tenor and cornetist, Clifford A. Foote, baritone, and John J. Odbert, basso. The soprano soloist is Miss Anna Florence Smith who has been meeting with much success this season.

The program will be given in three parts with different costumes. A special feature will be a group of the old familiar songs rendered in the memorable De Koven style that has stirred many a big Southern audience to an enthusiastic demonstration. The famous sextette from "Lucia" arranged for the five voices will be another attractive number. The musical series will be varied with the readings by Miss Smith who is generally regarded as one of the most talented young women under the lyceum management.

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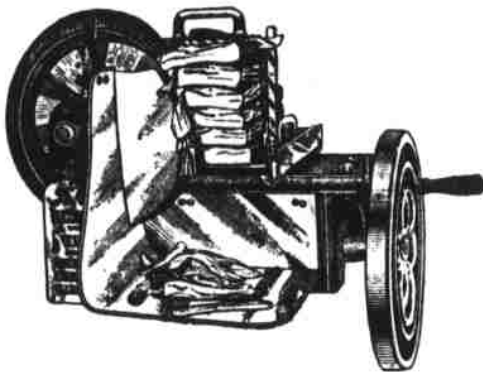
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In Mecklenburg Superior Court yesterday Cobb Withers, a young negro, was convicted of murder in the first degree and will likely be sentenced to death in the electric chair. The trial and conviction consumed only one day. He shot and killed John O'Leary, another negro, over a card game.

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Gastonia Cotton.

These figures represent the prices: paid to wagons, February 22nd: Good middling 14 1-2 Strict middling 14 3-8 Middling 14 1-4 Cotton seed 30c