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Aberdeen, N. C., August 25, 1910

Dear Sir:-

Am enclosing you check to pay for ad. Am well pleased with the results. The Gazette's readers certainly appreciate cheap lands. Will send you copy in a few days for another ad next week. Will have some "snaps" to offer.

Yours Truly,
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Money invested in advertising space in The Gazette pays big dividends. Our rates are reasonable and made known on application.

What a Big Corn Crop Means.

The present indications point to a corn crop of 3,160,000,000 bushels, or 230,000,000 bushels more than were produced last year. Possibly the crop may go to 3,800,000,000 bushels. The crop in this country has never crossed the three billion-bushels line, but all the indications point to that achievement and a record crop.

As 80 per cent of a corn crop goes to make meat, the prospect is good that both beef and pork will be abundantly produced after September and prices should be lower. But in the making of prices of beef and pork in this country another element besides corn supply enters in. Prices will be decreased in Great Britain, but the meat trust may so far as this country is concerned decline to consider or even to read the reports gathered from the corn fields. The meat trust is sheltered behind the Aldrich tariff and it applies to the rest of the Americans the famous ejaculation of the dead and gone Vanderbilt, which need not be repeated here, it being well known. Birmingham Age-Herald.

Our Cotton Goods in South America.

The Department of Commerce and Labor has a commercial agent travelling through South America investigating the cotton goods industry. The results of his investigations in Argentina, Uruguay and Paraguay have just been published in a monograph, "Cotton Goods in Latin America," by the bureau of manufacturers. These countries purchase more

than \$20,000,000 worth of cotton goods every year but buy less than \$3,000,000 worth from the United States, although in this trade the United States has the advantage of lower freight rates than European countries get.

The chief obstacle to larger sales seems to be the failure of American manufacturers and exporters to conform closely to the requirements of the market. The principal reason assigned for the comparatively small sales of American cotton goods in Argentina, which include scarcely anything beyond cotton bags, yarn and duck, is that their port trade is controlled by a few big foreign houses, which have long-established connections with European firms and in many cases are practically exporters' agents and therefore not interested in American cottons except when they cannot obtain goods of the same quality as cheap elsewhere.

Farmers and Telephones.

Manufacturers Record. Indicative of the rapid extension of the telephone throughout farm regions of the whole country is the statement from the Western Electric Co. of New York that within the last 20 months it has sold a quarter of a million of rural telephones. This is said to be an unprecedented figure for rural telephone sales. It illustrates how rapidly the farmers of the country are utilizing the telephone, and emphasizes a paper by Mr. M. S. Allen, the Atlanta representative of the company, which is published on another page of this issue.

Saved From Awful Peril.

"I never felt so near my grave," writes Lewis Chamblin, of Manchester, Ohio, R. R. No. 2, "as when a frightful cough and lung trouble pulled me down to 115 pounds in spite of many remedies and the best doctors. And that I am alive today is due solely to Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. Now I weigh 160 pounds and can work hard. It also cured my four children of croup." Infallible for Coughs and Colds, its the most certain remedy for LaGrippe, Asthma, desperate lung trouble and all bronchial affections, 50c and \$1.00. A trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all Druggists.

So far this year there have been 50,287 deaths from cholera in Russia.

From Sickness to "Excellent Health"

So says Mrs. Chas. Lyon, Peoria, Ill.: "I found in your Foley Kidney Pills a prompt and speedy cure for backache and kidney trouble which bothered me for many months. I am now enjoying excellent health which I owe to Foley Kidney Pills." J. H. Kennedy & Co.

James B. Allison, the Asheville man recently sentenced to be electrocuted February 24th for the murder of Floyd McGee, was landed in the State penitentiary at Raleigh Friday night by Sheriff Hunter of Buncombe county. Allison made an unsuccessful attempt last Thursday to commit suicide by cutting his throat. He declared he would never go to Raleigh.

Acute or Chronic—Which?

No matter if your kidney trouble is acute or chronic Foley's Kidney Remedy will reach your case. Mr. Claude Brown, Reynoldsville, Ill., writes us that he suffered many months with kidney complaint which baffled all treatment. At last he tried Foley's Kidney Remedy and a few large bottles effected a complete cure. He says, "It has been of inestimable value to me." J. H. Kennedy & Co.

Prof. William James, of Harvard University, one of America's foremost philosophers, died Friday at his summer home at Chocorua, N. Y. He was a brother of Henry James, the noted English author.

Won't Need a Crutch.

When Editor J. P. Soesman, of Cornelius, N. C., bruised his leg badly, it started an ugly sore. Many salves and ointments proved worthless. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve healed it thoroughly. Nothing is so prompt and sure for Ulcers, Bolls, Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Corns, Sores, Pimples, Eczema or Piles. 25c at all Druggists.

S. Walter Tise, aged 35, for twenty-two years manager of the Western Union Telegraph Co.'s office at Winston-Salem, committed suicide Friday afternoon by shooting himself. No cause is known for his rash act.

Took All His Money.

Often all a man earns goes to doctors or for medicines, to cure a Stomach, Liver or Kidney trouble that Dr. King's New Life Pills would quickly cure at slight cost. Best for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Bilioousness, Constipation, Jaundice, Malaria and Debility. 25c at all Druggists.

John Young, who was serving as a juror in the civil section of Superior Court at Lexington, attempted to commit suicide last Thursday by shooting himself. He is very dangerously wounded and it is thought he will die.

They Have a Definite Purpose.

Foley Kidney Pills give quick relief in cases of kidney and bladder ailments. Mrs. Rose Glaser, Terre Haute, Ind., tells the result in her case. "After suffering for many years from a serious case of kidney trouble and spending much money for so called cures, I found Foley Kidney Pills the only medicine that gave me a permanent cure. I am again able to be up and attend to my work. I shall never hesitate to recommend them." J. H. Kennedy & Co.

Physicians and parents all over the country are becoming alarmed over the spread of infantile paralysis. It seems to be prevalent all over the country, from Washington to Seattle, in which 50 or more fatal cases have been reported.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS.

Tonic in quality and action, quick in results. For backache, headache, dizziness, nervousness, urinary irregularities and rheumatism. J. H. Kennedy & Co.

North Carolina Farming.

Raleigh Cor. Manufacturers Record. The Messrs Wilkinson of Belhaven inform The Manufacturers Record that several square miles of their swamp land have been put in the first stage of preparation for cultivation. The forest having been felled and the trees and stumps left to be set on fire in the very early spring, the area has been planted in corn, each grain placed in a hole made with a sharp stick, and so luxuriant is the growth that there is no sign of any trees or stumps. From this strange planting a heavy crop will come.

For Quick Relief From Hay Fever.

Asthma and summer bronchitis, take Foley's Honey and Tar. It quickly relieves the discomfort and suffering and the annoying symptoms disappear. It soothes and heals the inflamed air passages of the head, throat and bronchial tubes. It contains no opiates and no harmful drugs. Refuse substitutes. J. H. Kennedy & Co.

Webster's Weekly says that in the campaign leading to Butler's landing Morehead as State chairman, Morehead's clerk sent out 100,000 pieces of literature and 100,000 letters. Uncle Sam paid the postage bill.

To keep your health sound; to avoid the ills of advancing years; to conserve your physical forces for a ripe and healthful old age, guard your kidneys by taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. J. H. Kennedy & Co.

The creation of an army of 40,000 notaries public was authorized by the postoffice department Thursday in accordance with the legislation enacted during the past session of Congress. All carriers of the rural free delivery mail service are now required to execute vouchers for United States pensioners residing on their routes, for which service they will receive 25 cents for each voucher executed.

President Helps Orphans.

Hundreds of orphans have been helped by the President of the Industrial and Orphan's Home at Macon, Ga., who writes: "We have used Electric Bitters in this Institution for nine years. It has proved a most excellent medicine for Stomach Liver and Kidney troubles. We regard it as one of the best family medicines on earth." It invigorates all vital organs, purifies the blood, aids digestion, creates appetite. To strengthen and build up pale, thin, weak children or rundown people it has no equal. Best for female complaints. Only 50c. at all Druggists.

Candidate McNinch Passes Around the Cigars.

Charlotte Observer. Kings Mountain, Aug. 24.—Cigars are plentiful today and people are smoking cigars who usually confine themselves to a pipe or cigarettes, and some few are smoking who have not enjoyed the pleasure for weeks past. Candidate S. S. McNinch was in town this morning en route to El Bethel, where he has an appointment today and while here handed out cigars promiscuously, giving some two apiece.

Five men were killed and two injured when two heavy freights on the Missouri Pacific collided head-on near Blackwater, Mo., Friday.

A GOOD REASON.

Gastonia People Can Tell You Why It Is So.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure the cause of disease, and that is why the cures are always lasting. This remedy strengthens and tones up the kidneys, helping them to drive out of the body the liquid poisons that cause backache and distressing kidney and urinary complaints. Gastonia people testify to permanent cures.

J. W. Dorsey, Highland St., Gastonia, N. C., says: "I do not hesitate to endorse Doan's Kidney Pills as I know that they can be depended upon to cure kidney trouble. Several months ago I began to suffer from a dull pain in the small of my back and a lameness through my kidneys that made it difficult for me to stoop. Upon hearing Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended, I obtained a box and after I had finished the contents, my trouble had disappeared. There has never been a return attack of kidney complaint."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

OUR TROLLEY LINE.

Some Inside Facts Regarding the Isothermal Traction Company.

Rutherfordton Sun. Rutherfordton — The Isothermal Traction Company was incorporated in Rutherfordton, February 19, 1910 in an unassuming way, but by some of the very best men in town. Perhaps because of earlier disappointment or because the company was so largely composed of local people, the citizens of Rutherfordton gave little credence to the possibility of constructing so important a line by the promoters. However every day has seen the company grow in financial strength, in the personnel of stockholders, and in assets, until it numbers some of the strongest financial and business people in the State, and is recognized as an important factor in railroad circles.

It is doubtful if another North Carolina railroad company can show such a rapid growth, so much done in the same length of time and prospects so thoroughly satisfying as this company.

For instance the Southern Power Co., backed by the Dukes, many times millionaires, secured through their Mr. Lee a franchise in Gastonia two years ago and yet the Piedmont line is not even surveyed and they are asking contributions to the extent of \$600,000 cash in North Carolina and \$600,000 cash in South Carolina.

The Isothermal on the contrary organized and working in four months, has raised the money to make its survey, and pay its other expenses. It has made the survey from Rutherfordton to Gastonia, permanently located a part of its line that it expects to build this fall, has secured all its franchises on the line as it will be run, and has ample funds to meet its every obligation and a nice surplus for future contingent expenses.

Its board of directors are as clean and able a body of men as ever directed the affairs of a corporation in this State. Among them are bankers, merchants, contractors, newspaper, real estate and manufacturing men.

It has some seventy or eighty stockholders and is recognized in the world of business and finance as a real live concern, and its enterprise as a most excellent one.

Many offers have been made to finance the entire line, one being from a Paris, France, representative of a French syndicate, others from New York, Philadelphia and Montreal, so that the matter of money for construction is fully assured.

The survey to Gastonia having been completed, the camp and crew are being moved back to this place. It will take fully two weeks for Chief Engineer Pearson and assistants to make up profiles, field and other maps, and work up the quantities upon which estimates of cost of construction are computed. These matters completed the corps will start on the survey of the line to Asheville, which it is expected can be finished in fifty days.

Part of right of way has already been secured, and this work will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

The general public has but little conception of the vast amount of detail work to be done in an undertaking of this character, and the amount of time consumed in doing it properly. It must be done right or it will all be to do over again, and the directors are trying to move with the utmost care, covering every detail and requirements, and at the same time move with expedition.

Speaking for Rutherfordton alone, too much praise cannot be accorded the gentlemen who inaugurated this movement and brought about the now complete organization, nor should less praise be given those gentlemen who later joined the company and are now bending their best efforts, not only for this town, but every town on the line.

The people should not be impatient; railroads are not built in a day, a week or a month. It takes much time, great energy, patience, endurance and money, and two years is a short time in which to accomplish so vast an undertaking.

Many important plans are of course being worked out by the management that cannot be made public. Many interests are apparently involved in this vast enterprise that does not show on the surface, but it is evident to the close observer that other and stronger financial interests are behind this enterprise than those purely local.

Capt. Ben W. Hooper, says The Waynesville Enterprise, who was last week nominated for Governor by the Republicans of Tennessee, is a son of Western Carolina and a native of Jackson county. His father, Dr. Lemuel Hooper, lived near Tuckasee. The family moved to Newport, Tenn. about twenty-five years ago.

Grass: John J. Ingalls' Prose-Poem.

The Georgian. One of the most exquisite prose painters which American public life has ever produced was the late Senator John J. Ingalls, of Kansas. Whenever it was known that the brilliant Kansan was to speak the galleries of the senate chamber were invariably packed. Usually he was caustic and vindictive—in fact, something of a wasp, whose sting was the dread and terror of his adversaries in debate, but sometimes he indulged his exuberant fancy by painting the most poetic pictures. The following apostrophe to grass is an inspiration. Said he:

"Grass is the forgiveness of nature—her constant benediction. Fields trampled with battle, saturated with blood, torn with the ruts of cannon, grow sweet again with grass and carnage is forgotten. Streets abandoned by traffic become grass-grown like rural lanes, and obliterated. Forests decay, harvests perish, flowers vanish, but grass is immortal. Belegued by the seven hosts of winter, it withdraws into the impregnable fortress of its subterranean vitality and emerges upon the first solicitation of spring. Sown by the winds, by the wandering birds, propagated by the subtle horticulture of elements which are its ministers and servants, it softens the nude outline of the world. Its tenacious fibres hold the earth in its place and prevent its soluble components from washing into the wasting sea. It invades the solitude of the deserts, climbs the inaccessible slopes and forbidding pinnacles of mountains, modifies climates and determines the history, character and destiny of nations. Unobstructive and patient, it has immortal vigor and aggression. Banished from the thoroughfares and the field, it hides its time to return and when vigilance is relaxed or the dynasty perished, it silently resumes the throne from which it has been expelled, but which it never abdicates. It bears no blazonry of bloom to charm the sense with fragrance or splendor, but its homely hue is more enchanting than the lily or the rose. It yields no fruit in earth or air, and yet, should its harvest fail for a single year, famine would depopulate the world."

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY, & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Seventeen mills of the Amoskeag Cotton Manufacturing Company, at Manchester, N. H., closed last Friday for 15 days, throwing out of employment 15,000 operatives.

NEWS FROM GASTONIA, R. F. D. 2

Correspondence of The Gazette. GASTONIA, R. F. D. 2, Aug. 25.—The farmers were very much delighted with the nice rain which fell Sunday evening.—Mrs. Ambrose Hoffman and little son, Wade, who have been sick for the past week, are some what better.—Miss Minnie Prather is visiting relatives in Rock Hill, S. C.—Mr. and Mrs. Preston Hoffman returned last week from a visit to relatives in Clover and Yorkville, S. C.—Miss Bessie Robinson, of Charlotte, is spending her vacation with homefolks.—Mr. Fred Lineberger, of Columbia, S. C., is visiting his father, Mr. A. B. Lineberger.—Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Hoffman spent Tuesday in Gastonia, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Rankin.—Mrs. S. A. Crawford and children, of McConnellsville, S. C., spent Tuesday with her aunt, Mrs. John Hoffman.

The fodder of this section is now about ready, some is being pulled while others are cutting for the shredder.—Miss Lula Hoffman visited her aunt, Mrs. John Bell, of Lowell, last week.—Mrs. R. Lee Falls, who has been sick for some time, is some what improved.—Mrs. Charles Mitchell and children returned last Saturday afternoon from a visit to relatives in Mecklenburg county.

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