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# LOCAL GLEANINGS

—Mr. Quinn Ford, of Lowell, was in Gastonia on business yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. R. E. Oates, of Bessemer City, route two, were in Gastonia shopping yesterday.

—Mr. J. C. Morrow left Tuesday night for Milledale, Ga., where he has a position in a large cotton mill.

—Prof. Northey and his orchestra have been engaged to play regularly at the Lumina theater.

—Mr. John Van Landingham, of Charlotte, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

—Rev. A. S. Anderson, pastor of the Loray Presbyterian church was a Charlotte visitor Wednesday.

—Mr. R. R. Ray, secretary and treasurer of the McAden Mills, was in Gastonia on business yesterday.

—Mr. John H. Wilkins, of the Bessemer Mercantile Company, was here on business yesterday afternoon.

—Mr. W. E. Senn, of Charlotte, the well-known piano man, is spending several days here on business.

—County Commissioner John F. Leeper, of Belmont, was in town yesterday.

—Mrs. J. H. Craig went to Charlotte yesterday on a visit to her daughters, Mrs. T. M. Shelton and Mrs. E. W. Mellon.

—Gastonia Chapter, No. 369, A. F. & A. M., will hold regular communication to-night and do work in the first degree.

—Rev. B. A. Culp is conducting a revival meeting at Grace M. E. church in East Kings Mountain this week.

—Capt. F. Dilling, of Kings Mountain has returned from a business trip to Washington, Philadelphia and New York.

—Mrs. Chas. Ford left yesterday for Newton to visit her mother, Mrs. J. D. Post, and sisters, Mrs. E. Milton Deal and Mrs. Fred E. Garvin.

—The condition of Mr. Ross Jackson, who has been quite ill at his home on Lowell, route two, is somewhat improved.

—Capt. C. M. Nolen, Southern Express Company agent, was able to be out yesterday after being confined to his home for a week or more by illness.

—Concord Times: The family of Mr. R. F. Coble moved yesterday to Bessemer City, where Mr. Coble has a position as superintendent of the Atlas cotton mill.

—Mrs. Madge Paylor Fuller, proprietor of the "Millinery Shop" at Bessemer City, will hold her spring opening on Friday and Saturday, March 22nd and 23rd.

—Mr. G. H. Marvin and family are moving this week to the Loftin house on North Marietta street, formerly occupied by Mr. John F. Davis who recently moved his family to Shelby.

—The regular quarterly communion of New Hope Presbyterian church will be held the first Sunday in April. Preparatory services will be held Friday and Saturday preceding.

—For the music festival at Atlanta April 22-27 the Southern will sell special round-trip tickets April 21st to 26th inclusive with final return limit April 30th. The rate from Gastonia is \$7.65.

—Viola Allen in "The Herefords" will be the attraction at the Academy of Music, Charlotte, Monday night. A number of Gastonians will go over to see this well-known actress in a new play.

—The Southern Railway offers reduced rates to the annual Confederate veterans reunion at Macon, Ga. Tickets will be on sale May 7th, 8th and 9th with final return limit May 15th. The fare from Gastonia and return is \$6.60.

—Mr. John J. George, the Bessemer City real estate man, reports recent sales as follows: Tract of 105 acres near Cherryville belonging to Mr. R. A. Lewis to Mrs. J. O. Holland for \$2,400, who contemplates the erection thereon of a nice residence which she will occupy; tract of 36 1-2 acres, near Bessemer City, belonging to Lee Fraley to Jesse Holland for \$2,100; Lee Fraley bought 80 acres near the Johns Manufacturing Co.'s mills south of Kings Mountain on the battleground road from John H. Smith for \$1,600; the Sam Beam house and lot in Bessemer City to Mitchell Lindsay for \$700.

—The Gazette man spent half a day Wednesday at Bessemer City and found things moving along well in that prosperous little burg. Within the past few months Bessemer City has taken on new life and the business prospects are excellent. All of the five cotton mills are running every day and two of the number run both night and day. Bessemer City has all the towns in this section beat when it comes to the variety of cotton goods turned out, the output there including colored goods of various kinds, table damasks, cement sacks, etc. Rumors were heard of some possible enlargements and extensions but nothing definite has been given out as yet with reference to them. In the matter of streets and sidewalks Bessemer leads Gastonia—and then hers are none too good.

## Gastonia Cotton.

(Corrected every Tuesday and Friday by D. M. Jones & Co., cotton brokers, 238 W. Main avenue, Gastonia, N. C.)

Middling ..... 10 1-2  
Strict Middling ..... 10 3-8  
Good Middling ..... 10 1-4  
Cotton Seed ..... 27c.

## NEW YORK MARKET.

(Corrected up to time of going to press every Tuesday and Friday by D. M. Jones & Co.)

Spots ..... 10.75

## To Gin Long Staple Cotton.

Preparations are being made by the Southern Cotton Oil Company to build and equip at an early date a new gin designed exclusively for the ginning of long staple cotton, the growing of which has developed into considerable proportions in Gaston county. It will be located in West Gastonia on the south side of Franklin avenue and just opposite the company's Loray gin house. Manager J. Flay Bess is now making an investigation to ascertain as near as possible about how much long staple will be raised in this section this year before placing his order for the equipment. As forecasted in an article on this subject in The Gazette recently it seems probable that Gaston county will raise this year anywhere from 3,000 to 5,000 bales. Up to the present time the long staple cotton raised here has been ginned at the regular plants which are equipped only for the ginning of short staple cotton. This has proved unsatisfactory and hence the move on the part of the Southern Oil Company to equip a gin for this special purpose. Manager Bess expects to have the gin built, equipped and all ready for business before the new crop of cotton comes in.

## Alleged Murderer Taken.

Sheriff J. D. B. McLean received a telegram this morning from Deputy Sheriff Mark Justice of Rutherford county stating that he had taken Melchor a negro wanted in Gaston for the murder of John Ross, colored, at Hardin in February, 1911. Jailer G. R. Rhyne expected to leave this morning for Rutherford to bring Melchor back but the weather was so unfavorable that he notified the sheriff there that he would care for him just as soon as the weather improved. He will be tried May term of Gaston Superior Court.

Prof. J. L. Webb of Bessemerville was a Gastonia visitor yesterday.

Application was made yesterday to the secretary of state for a charter for the Home Building & Loan Association, a full account of the organization of which was given in The Gazette last week.

## Cromwell and the Specter.

The stories of the "white lady" that periodically visits the German royal family and of the "little red man" that frequently paid his respects to the great Napoleon are tolerably well known, especially that of the former. But few perhaps are familiar with the story of Cromwell's "giant specter." It appeared to him one night when he was wide awake and quietly resting on his couch. In appearance the apparition was a woman of gigantic proportions. Approaching him, she announced in tones like thunder, "Within the year you, my son, will be recognized as the greatest man in Britain."

## Insects That Use Rubber.

When para trees are tapped after the gum has run into receptacles and stiffened a species of large black ant is accustomed to cut out pieces of the rubber and carry them away. Bees also find uses for India rubber, and some species in South America actually cut the bark of trees that produce resinous substances in order to cause a flow of the sap. The gum is employed by the bees as a ready made wax for their nests.—Harper's Weekly.

## The Gilded Man.

At the headquarters of the Orinoco Spanish traditions located the land of El Dorado, "the gilded man," a potentate whose country was so rich in gold just that he had his body anointed with oil and sprinkled with gold every morning, so that he shone in the sun as though gilded.

## DINNER SETS GOING.

Twenty-Four Persons Have Now Gotten Theirs and a Dozen or More Are Nearly Ready for Theirs—No Time Limit to Offer.

Following is a list of the persons who have already gotten up clubs of ten and have received therefor one of The Gazette's handsome 42-piece dinner sets valued at \$10.00:

- Miss Zuba Pursley, Bowling Green, S. C.
  - Miss May Carroll, Clover, S. C., Route one.
  - Miss Maggie Gamble, Bessemer City, Route 2.
  - Mrs. D. P. Hoffman, Gastonia, R. 2.
  - Mrs. W. F. Pearson, Gastonia.
  - Mrs. E. D. Huffstetler, Gastonia Route 3.
  - Miss Madge Hanna, Gastonia.
  - Master Roger Grier, Gastonia.
  - Mrs. R. H. Plyler, Gastonia.
  - Mrs. J. R. Henderson, Lowell, Route 1.
  - Miss Emma Sanford, Belmont.
  - Charles and Robert Boyd, Gastonia.
  - Mrs. O. P. Rudisill, Iron Station.
  - Miss Ida Lee Huffstetler, Gastonia.
  - Miss Maggie Cobb, Gastonia, R. 4.
  - Miss Ollie Rhyne, Gastonia, R. 2.
  - L. L. Henderson, Gastonia.
  - Mrs. G. F. McKee, Gastonia.
  - Mrs. F. E. McArver, Gastonia.
  - Mr. W. B. Elam, Crouse, R. 1.
  - Miss Carrie Jones, Gastonia.
  - Miss Mabel Dixon, Gastonia, R. 3.
  - Mrs. I. F. Mabry, McAdenville.
  - Miss Jessie Nolen, Gastonia.
- Following is a partial list of persons now engaged in getting up clubs, most of them having gotten nearly all of the required number:
- Miss Vernie Arthur, Gastonia.
  - Mr. H. L. White, Bessemer City, Route 1.
  - L. E. Kincaid, Gastonia, Route 4.
  - Fleming Howell, Gastonia.
  - Mrs. C. P. Cox, Lowell.
  - Mrs. A. B. Kaiser, Bessemer City.
  - Mrs. P. E. Hoffman, Gastonia, R. two.
  - Mrs. W. G. Beattie, Gastonia R. 4.
  - Miss Mina Lewis, Belmont.
- There are doubtless others who have not reported to us. There is no time limit to this offer as yet, so there is opportunity for many more to get sets. Today is the time to start to work.

## Reconciliation to God

By Rev. James M. Gray, D. D.,  
Dean of Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

TEXT.—And you, that were sometime alienated and enemies in your mind by wicked works, yet now hath he reconciled. In the body of His flesh through death, to present you holy and unblameable and unproveable in His sight: If ye continue in the faith grounded and settled, and be not moved away from the hope of the gospel, which ye have heard.—Colossians 1: 21-23



The apostle Paul is here speaking of Jesus Christ as the one in whom all the fullness of the Godhead dwells and by whom it pleased the father to reconcile all things unto himself. By "all things," however, he does not mean all things universally or absolutely, for that would include not only the souls of the

condemned, but the demons in hell and even Satan himself. But he means all the things which it has pleased the father from the beginning thus to reconcile. The definite article in the Greek suggests this as the thought, which is made clear by the other teachings of the Bible on the same subject. Among those things which it pleased the father to reconcile to himself are the believers on Jesus Christ, and it is of their reconciliation especially that Paul here speaks.

I. First he shows our need of reconciliation, by telling us that we were "sometime alienated and enemies in our mind by wicked works." "Sometime" covers the whole period of our lives from physical birth to our new birth by the Holy Spirit. All that time the natural man is alienated from God. And not only alienated, but hostile to God, an enemy, as the text says.

What Are Wicked Works? This enmity need not show itself necessarily in giving way to the lower and baser appetites of the body. There are cultivated men and women who are able to control these appetites, but who are at the same time enemies to God in their mind—i. e., in their modes of thought and feeling, which are contrary to his revealed will. And this enmity must in the very nature of the case, show itself in "wicked works."

II. Second, he shows the source of our reconciliation, which is God himself. "Yet now hath he reconciled us." The very one from whom we were alienated and against whom we were enemies is the one who reconciles us.

"He who might the vantage best have took Found out the remedy."

This is grace, especially when we understand that it does not mean primarily that we became reconciled to God, but that God became reconciled to us. This he did by taking that sin out of the way which was the barrier to his reconciliation.

III. This leads Paul to speak in the third place of the means of our reconciliation which was the work of Christ for us on the cross as our substitute Saviour. "In the body of his flesh through death." Why say "the body of his flesh?" Why not say "his body" without adding "flesh?" Because there was a heretical sect in that day which denied the materiality of Christ's body. They believed in a spiritual, but not a material, mediatorship.

But Christ had a real body and real flesh and real blood which he offered in propitiation for our sin, he passed through real suffering and died a real death. Such is the teaching of this verse.

IV. And this brings us to the fourth point, which is the result of our reconciliation, presented "holy and without blemish and uncharged in God's sight." This is true immediately of every believer the moment he accepts Christ by faith as his Saviour. Oh, if everybody in this sin-cursed and sin-wearied world only knew and believed that! If they would only pause in the rush of things and listen to it for a single moment!

The Battle of Concord Bridge. At the beginning of the revolution, when John Buttrick gave the command to fire it was to British subjects he gave it, but it was obeyed by American citizens. In other words, in that instant their condition became changed, though the experience of that change was a thing of growth. So the instant a man takes Christ as his Saviour, he stands before God free from the guilt of sin, without blemish and without charge. And this is grace!

The final point in the lesson is the proof of our reconciliation, which is that we "continue in the faith, rooted and grounded and not moved away from the hope of the gospel." Paul is speaking not to the false teacher who went out of the church, but to the true believer who stayed in. Those who are true to the "faith delivered once for all to the saints" have the witness in themselves that they are reconciled to God.

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The Sea Board Air Line will sell round-trip tickets from all stations in North Carolina on May 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th, good to return until May 13th, subject to extension by paying 50 cents at Macon, to June 5th, the rate will be one cent per mile for the miles traveled, the route will be either via Athens or Atlanta. Following is the rate from a few of the principal stations:

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Train No. 10 (Passenger arrives Gastonia daily 9:30 a. m.)  
Train No. 60 (Mixed) Arrives Gastonia daily, (except Sunday), 3:55 p. m., leaves 5:00 p. m.

SOUTHBOUND.

Train No. 9 (Passenger) Arrives Gastonia daily 4:40 p. m., leaves 4:55 p. m.  
Train No. 61 (Mixed) Arrives Gastonia daily (except Sunday) 12:30 p. m., leaves 2:00 p. m.

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