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MR. G. M. GULLICK.

In the sudden and shocking passing from the activities of life of Mr. George M. Gullick not only Belmont but the entire county loses a citizen of great worth.

The Gazette joins with hundreds of friends scattered over Gaston and adjoining counties in extending to the bereaved family a heartfelt sympathy in the great sorrow that has befallen them.

Any section is poorer when it loses men of Mr. Gullick's character. Their example to the younger generation is one well worthy of emulation.

GASTONIA'S OPPORTUNITY.

It should not be necessary to urge any Gastonia business man to attend the meeting to be held at the court house tomorrow night for the purpose of organizing a chamber of commerce or a board of trade.

For several years past many of our business men have realized that we needed a live commercial organization and efforts have, from time to time, been made to effect such an organization, but each time has fallen just a little short of success.

Again we urge, BE THERE.

DR. T. E. GREEN TONIGHT

THE BURDEN OF THE NATIONS

Well-known Lecturer and Globe-Trotter to Lecture at Auditorium To-Night—Second Lyceum Attraction—First Attraction Highly Pleasing—Last of Other Numbers.

Dr. Thomas E. Green, a well-known and widely-traveled chatauqua speaker, will deliver his lecture on "The Burden of the Nations" at the Central school auditorium to-night at 8:30 o'clock.

The first of the lyceum attractions, the Ribeloff-Galley Co., appeared at the auditorium last Thursday night and greatly pleased a large audience.

Following are the other numbers to appear at dates to be announced later in the papers:

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Winters. Mrs. Winters is an expert whistler. Mr. Winters gives piano monologues, readings and impersonations. The Cambridge Players. Four members in songs and dramas. A pleasing variety.

The Four Bostonians. A reader, a violinist, a soprano, a contralto, all artists.

The Boston Musical Club. Four male and four female voices in Concert, opera and minstrelsy.

The Lyceum is not a money-making scheme but the promoters are working for the good of the city, and it is hoped that the city will patronize it so that it may not be a losing proposition.

SHORT LOCAL ITEMS

THE MOVEMENTS OF GASTON PEOPLE

Personal Items About Gaston Folks and Their Friends—Short Items About People and Things That Are of Interest to Gazette Readers.

—Mrs. R. P. Rankin spent yesterday afternoon visiting in Belmont.

—Mrs. S. A. Wilkins, of Dallas, was a Gastonia visitor yesterday.

—Attorney R. A. Miller, Jr., of Lowell, was in the city on business yesterday.

—Mrs. J. K. Glass of Spartanburg, S. C., is visiting her son, Mr. Kennerly M. Glass, and family.

—Register of Deeds A. J. Smith went to Belmont on business yesterday afternoon.

—Mr. Kerr Oats, of Salem, Tenn., whose ancestors emigrated west from Gaston many years ago, is spending a few days here with his cousin.

—Miss Fada Lamar, of Augusta, Ga., arrived in the city yesterday to be the guest for several days of Miss Hallie Torrence.

—Mrs. W. J. Torrence, who has been quite ill at her home at Crowders Creek for several weeks, is now improving, though slowly.

—Mr. Robert Moten has opened a grocery store in the Davis block in the store room formerly occupied by Mr. Jos. H. Adams.

—On page three of this issue of The Gazette Mr. H. Schneider devotes an entire page to his Bargain Bulletin for this week.

—Miss Mary Hildebrand is back at her post behind the counter at Thomson's after being out for a week on account of sickness.

—Mr. Raymer Harmon, of El Bethel neighborhood, near Kings Mountain, is the guest today of his aunt, Mrs. L. C. Davis.

—Mrs. Giles L. Ratchford returned Friday from Spartanburg, S. C., where she spent several days last week attending the fair.

—Mr. W. T. Rankin left last night on No. 38 for Philadelphia on business. He will be absent from the city for several days.

—Miss Amy Nicholson, of Union, S. C., arrived in the city today to be the guest for a few days of Mrs. S. A. Robinson at her home on South York street.

—The nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dorus Fisher, who was badly burned at their home at the Holland Mill several days ago, is reported today as being some better.

—Mr. H. D. Hanna. He attended the sessions of Synod at Statesville and will go from here to his home. Mr. Oats is superintendent of the Dunlap Orphanage at Salem.

—Friends of Mr. R. C. Warren will regret to learn that he has been confined to his home on York street for several days by illness. He is reported as being somewhat better today.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Woltz are to move this week from the residence they are occupying at 211 South Broad street to the residence on West avenue belonging to Mr. W. H. Adams.

—"Let 'Er Buck", a great western picture in 4 reels, will be shown at Lumina to-night. It depicts realistically a "round-up" on the Western plains and shows more than a hundred exciting scenes.

—Because of pressure on its advertising columns The Gazette is issuing twelve pages today instead of eight, the usual number. By doing so we are able to give our subscribers the usual amount of reading matter.

—Dr. L. N. Glenn left Sunday for Rochester, Minn., where he will spend two weeks attending clinics at the Mayo Brothers hospital. He will also spend a few days in Chicago while away. He expects to return home about the 25th.

—Gastonia's street cars, which were said to have been shipped from High Point about the last of October, are reported today to have come as far as Pinoc. No explanation of their slow progress toward the "busy town" has been given the public.

—Rev. S. W. Reid, pastor of the First Associate Reformed Presbyterian church in Atlanta, is spending a few days in the city with his brothers, Dr. R. M. Reid and Prof. J. P. Reid. He is en route home from Statesville where he attended the sessions of Synod.

—The Belmont high school basketball team will play its second game of the season on the local grounds Saturday of this week, when they meet the undefeated Bolling Springs high school quintet. A good fast game is in prospect, as the local lads expect victory.



"GOV." BOWEN, WITH COBURN'S ALL-NEW MINSTRELS, GASTONIA OPERA HOUSE THURSDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 13TH.

—Register of Deeds Smith has issued marriage licenses to the following white couples since the first of the month: Philo Cloninger and Mollie Medlin, of Lowell; R. H. Acox and Minnie L. Croft, of Cherryville; Amos Russell and Vovie Reaves, of Gastonia; J. M. Sisk of Dallas, and Nancy Brown, of Gastonia.

—In the penny column Agent C. M. Nolen, of the Southern Express Company, calls attention to the new express service on trains No. 7 and 8 of the C. & N.-W. railroad. These trains on their new schedule afford a very convenient means for shipment of express both to and from Gastonia and will doubtless receive a good patronage.

—Mr. G. C. Andrews, the popular local agent of the Southern Railway, has on hand a number of copies of a very handsome booklet just issued by the Southern entitled "Winter Homes in the South." The booklet is beautifully illustrated and gives a large amount of useful information. Any person contemplating a Southern trip should call on Mr. Andrews for a copy.

—Mrs. Thomas L. Craig left on train No. 35 Saturday night for New Orleans, where she will represent Gastonia Chapter, U. D. C. and J. D. Moore Chapter, Children of the Confederacy, at the National Convention which is in session at the Grunewald Hotel this week. Mrs. Craig joined a party of ladies from Charlotte and other cities, she being the only representative from Gastonia.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frost Torrence moved a few days ago to the residence on West Franklin avenue formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cleveland, where they will reside temporarily while their new residence is being erected on South York street. The house they have been occupying will be rolled to the rear of the lot and the new residence will stand on the same location as the old.

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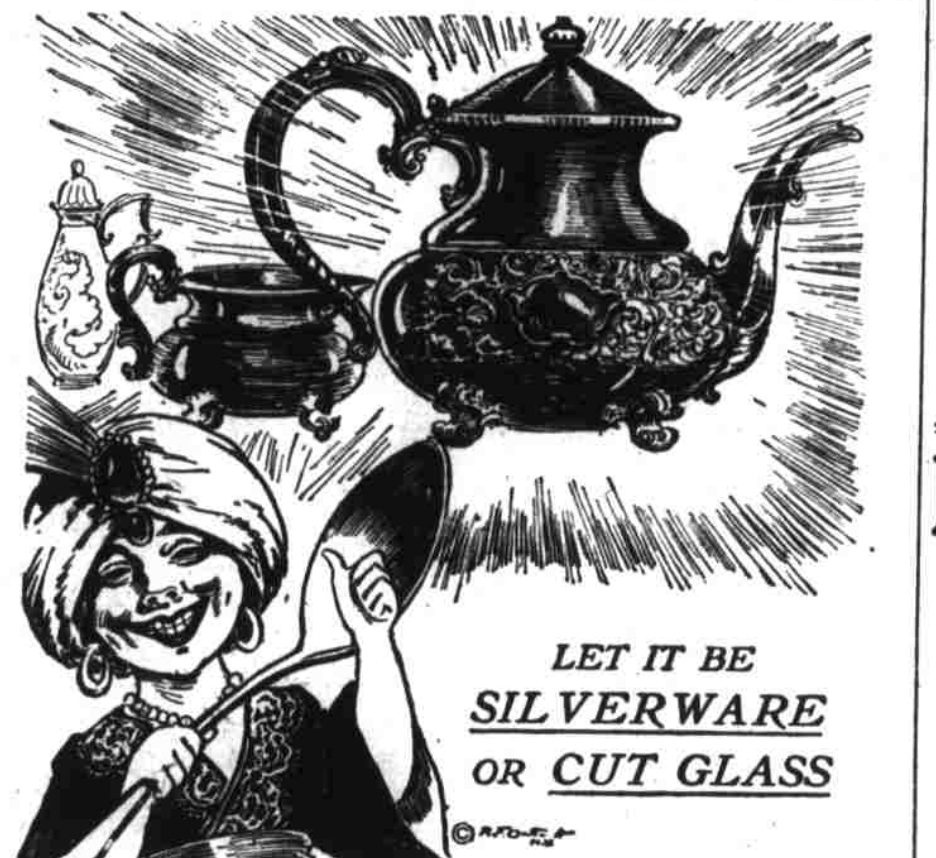
Building and Loan Associations.

In 1904 there were 41 building and loan associations in North Carolina, with assets of \$2,542,988.51. In 1913 there were 131 associations, with assets of \$9,581,773.89. This is an increase in nine years of seven millions of dollars, which is remarkable when it is remembered that the business is a continual receiving and paying out of funds. Nothing so aids in building up your town and providing homes for your working men and their families.

Investments of Life Companies.

In a recent address President Holcombe stated that the total investments of the principal life insurance companies were distributed about as follows: Mortgage loans, 32 per cent; bonds and stocks, 47 1-2 per cent; policy loans, 13 per cent, and real estate, 3 1-2 per cent; the balance being taking up in cash and miscellaneous items.

I try to make my dining-room the most attractive spot in the house. A spotless cloth, a dainty centerpiece, a vase of flowers, shining glassware, etc., with good substantial cooking, make it inviting. This is nothing expensive or elaborate, the glassware is the cheapest, the cooking the plainest, but the coolness, neatness and absence of the flies make it enjoyable. The sun filters through a heavy fragrant vine at the west window. An olden bucket painted green with a woods fern in it sits on the wide sill, and looks cool. For the upper glass in the window I bought transparent paper from the ten cents store and applied. They look like stained glass and the light is subdued and pleasing.—Mrs. A. F. Edwards, in the Progressive Farmer.



LET IT BE SILVERWARE OR CUT GLASS. WHETHER IT IS A WEDDING OR ANNIVERSARY GIFT YOU ARE CONTEMPLATING TO BUY, OR SOMETHING FOR HOME USE. YOU WILL FIND IN OUR STOCK JUST THE THING FOR THE OCCASION. AND THE PRICE IS RIGHT.

H. M. VAN SLEEN JEWELER AND OPTICIAN. Phone 383 Main Avenue 124

Board Of Trade Meeting. Wednesday Night, November 12th 8 o'clock at the court house. A live business organization for the town is to be inaugurated. Mr. W. T. Dabney, business manager of the Richmond Chamber of Commerce, Richmond, Va., and Mr. J. Leake Carraway, Secretary of the Greater Charlotte Club, will be present and assist in the organization. No Gastonia business man can afford to stay away. BE THERE

NAPOLEON, whose perseverance, love of power and position made him master of an empire, said: "Fortune always fights on the side that has the heaviest artillery—the most powerful and concentrated attack." This is as true in commercial and private life as in war. Your character and integrity; financial, mental and physical strength; your labor and experience are the heavy artillery in the battle of life. Your purpose—your ambition—backed by all the force of your will, furnish the concentration. A combination of these will sweep all before you and gain your objective point. The first move in a winning battle of life is made when saving begins. Let us help you. FIRST NATIONAL BANK. CAPITAL \$100,000 SURPLUS AND PROFITS \$75,000. GASTONIA, N. C. 5% Paid on Time Certificates of Deposit.

Notice To Delinquent Tax Payers. All taxes have been due and demandable since the first Monday in October last. Taxes delinquent on December 1st next will be collected by levy and garnishment as provided by law without further notice. This November 6, 1913. J. D. B. McLEAN, Sheriff

Are You Thinking of Dyeing? We have Diamond, Putnam's and Rainbow dyes in all colors and shades. 10c Package . . . . . 3 Packages for 25c TORRENCE DRUG CO. "ON THE CORNER"

Ten-Days Special Sale AT S. E. McARTHUR'S. For the next ten days I will place on sale \$2,500 worth of Shoes, \$1,500 worth of Men's Clothing and \$300 worth of Boys' Clothing at astonishingly low prices. Look at these prices: \$18.50 Men's Suits for \$16. Men's \$15.00 Suits for \$11. Men's \$12.50 Suits for only \$8.50. Boys' \$7.50 Up-to-date Norfolk Suits for only \$5.50. Boys' \$6.50 Norfolk Suits for \$4.25. Boys' \$5 Norfolk Suits for \$3.75 and on down to \$1.48 a Suit. A lot of small numbers in Men's Suits, regular \$10 and \$12 values at only \$3.98. Extremely low prices on good Sweaters and Underwear. Men's fine \$4 Shoes for \$2.98. Men's fine \$3.50 Shoes for only \$1.98. Ladies' \$3.50 Shoes for \$2.15. Ladies' \$2.50 Shoes for \$1.98. Ladies' \$1.75 Shoes for only \$1.25. Children's Shoes to be sold at cost and below. Bargains well worth your while in Dress Goods, Ladies' Coat Suits, Dry Goods, Notions, etc. Sale lasts ten days ONLY. Come and get first choice of these unusual bargains. No goods charged at special sale price. S. E. McARTHUR. Opposite Avon Mill East Airline Avenue Gastonia, N. C.