TO JACKSONVILLE.

North Carolina Riflemen Leave in

E. Bradshaw. C. C. Porter, W. G.

Cavers and T. C. Barrier, of Char-

lotte; L. B. Townsend, J. B. Bowen

and W. Mack Hoke, of Lincointon.

These are all members of Government Civilian Rifle Clubs of which

there are eleven in the State. Gas-

tonia's club is the largest in the

was appointed captain of the team

by the Adjutant General's office and

to him was delegated the task of get-

ting up the team. The time for ac-

complishing this task was very

short. He got at once in touch with

all the clubs in the State in an effort.

to get 12 of the very best shots in

North Carolina. Most of the clubs

were unable to send representatives.

In the delegation which leaves to-

morrow, with 12 shots and three

substitutes, there are several crack

shots. Of the Gastonians Mr. Chas.

L. Hord has made an excellent rec-

ord as a sharpshooter while a mem-

ber of the North Carolina Guards.

He was one of the representatives of

Company B at the Jacksonville shoot

gathered at Jacksonville perhaps 5,-

000 of the finest shots from the reg-

ular army, the National Guards and

the Government Rifle Clubs. It is

a national affair. Heretofore only

the regular army and the National

Guards have participated, this being

the first year civilians have been

permitted to enter the contests.

For this big event there will be

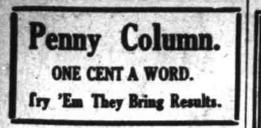
Dr. D. E. McConnell, of this city,

State, having eighty-odd members.

and

last year.

W. G. Pittman, of Lumberton,



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WANTED: Your cotton seed. will be at the BUCKEYE cotton seed ware house on East Franklin avenue all next week to buy cotton seed. Be sure to see me before you sell. I pay highest market price. J. R. CARSON, Manager. tf

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WANTED: Second hand bicycle suitable for by 10 or 12 years old. Must be in good condition. Phone 136. 10p1

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FOR SALE: Good farm 4 miles from Jackson Springs. Also some unimproved land in Lee and Harnett counties. Address Box 126, Jack-0 - 100son Springs, N. C. BARGAIN for quick buyer. Ninetytwo acres timber land, five miles from city. J. S. Torrence. 10p4

SALE: Seven-room FOR house half-acre lot, East Kings Mountain. Barn and outhouses, good water on porch, orchard Bargain to quick buyer. Coy Smith. Kings Mountain, N. C. 10p2

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#### FOUND.

FOUND: Automobile license tag, new. Inquire at Gazette office.

FOUND: Man's hat, good condition. Inquire at Gazette office.

#### LOST.

LOST: A bunch of keys. Finder return to F. A. Whitesides. 10c2

LOST: Friday on fair grounds, black pocketbook containing purse and money. Finder please return 10 p 1 to Gazette.

LOST: Heavy gold seal ring with three links and F. L. T. Reward for return to Gazette 10p1

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#### Special Pullman from Gastonia Tomorrow Afternoon-Seven of Fifteen Shots Are Gastonians. North Carolina's team of expert riflemen who are to participate in the National Rifle Shooting Match at Jacksonville, Fla., the last half of this week, will leave Gastonia in a special Pullman attached to Southern train No. 45 tomorrow evening. This team will be constituted as follows: D. E. McConnell, R. H. Parker, T. A. Wilkins, L. L. Brison, R. B. Wilson, Charles L. Hord and H. M. Van Sleen, of Gastonia; Chas.

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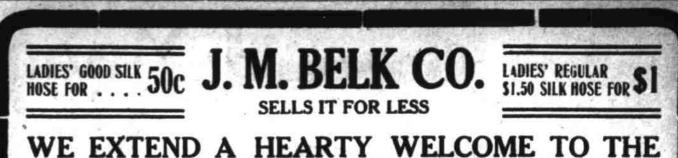
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#### C. F. SMITH DEAD.

Well-Known Citizen of Stanley Passes-Gave His Life for Others.

STANLEY, Oct. 9 .- In the death of Charles Fox Smith, the town and county lost one of its best known, and ablest citizens. Mr. Smith's death while expected for several days, was a distinct shock to his hosts of friends throughout the State.

The funeral services were conducted at the Smith cemetery, near Iron Station, at 11 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Bentley, the Episcopal rector of Lincolnton. A large crowd of relatives and friends gathered there to new automatic ginping system. It pay their last respects. He is sur-



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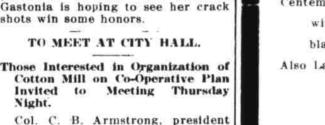
shots win some honors. TO MEET AT CITY HALL. Those Interested in Organization of Cotton Mill on Co-Operative Plan Invited to Meeting Thursday Night.

and treasurer of the Armstrong. Clara, Dunn and Monarch mills, has sent out a large number of circular letters inviting all who are interested in the building of a cotton mill on the co-operative plan to be present at a meeting to be held at 7:30 o'clock Thursday night in the City Hall. notices have been sent, but the public generally, are invited to attend. some time ago ('ol. Armstrong has a plan by which stock in the new mill can be purchased through the local building and loan associations by weekly or monthly payments, and this plan will be explained in detail

OBITUARY.

Col. C. B. Armstrong, president Not only those to whom the As announced in The Gazette

at Thursday night's meeting.





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-Mrs. Ellen C. Bryan, of Durham, is spending some time here with her daughter, Mrs. W. Y. Warren.

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POCAHONTAS LODGE NO. 19. IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN Regular Meeting Thursday Night Oct. 12, 1916, at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to be present



vived by his sister. Miss Mary Smith. with whom he lived, and three brothers.

Mr. Smith was a remarkable man in many ways, he was more familiar with the family history of the settlers of Gaston and Lincoln counties than possibly any other citizen. He was never married and gave the major portion of his life in doing for others. Any movement for the betterment of society always found him supporting it. He was always an active Democrat though never an office seeker, he enthusiastically supported the nominee. His loss to the community is irreparable.

ATTENDING CONVENTION.

Mrs. W. L. Balthis and Mrs. J. W. Moore go to St. Louis to Attend **Big Gathering of Episcopalians**— Mrs. Baltis Treasurer of Offering Fund.

Interest of the Christian world is turning to the General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church which will convene on Wednesday. October 11th, in St. Louis, Mo., and continue for three weeks. Many notable churchmen will be present among whom are Bishop Montgomery, sent by the Archbishop of Canterbury, and Bishop Yeatmann-Biggs, the latter for years the select preacher before the universities of Oxford and Cambridge. From Canada will come Archbishop George Thorneloe, of Algoma: Bishop David Williams, of Huron, and the Rev. E. G. Henderson, of Windsor. The English and Canadian representatives will bring greetings from forty million Episcopalians in the English-speaking world.

Mrs. W. L. Balthis, of Gastonia, is diocesan treasurer of the United Offering Fund of the Woman's Auxfliary. This fund is raised by the women and is used exclusively for work among women. This fund is presented at each triennial convention, the last presentation amounting to over \$300,000. Mrs. Balthis and Mrs. J. W.

Moore left yesterday for St. Louis to attend the convention.

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Died, near Jacksonville, Ark., October 5, 1916, Mrs. Jane A. Boyd. She was born in York county, S. C. May 19, 1834, her maiden name being Laney. She married John Hamilton Boyd in 1852. He was a member of Canapau's artillery and died in Charleston, S. C., in 1864. serving his country.

She leaves three living children. John Parks Boyd, of York county, S. Rufus E. Boyd, of Jacksonville, Ark., and Mrs. Rhett Johnston, where she died and with whom she lived three years, the remainder of her life being spent in York. Twenty-seven grand children and thirtythree great grand children are left to mourn her loss.

In early life she connected with the Southern Presbyterian Church. Removing into the bounds of Jacksonville A. R. Presbyterian Church she confided her letter there. Her pastor testifies to her liberality, deep plety, earnest, prayerful and Christian humility. It was a benediction to be in her company.

W. M. HUNTER. Jacksonville, Ark., Oct. 5, 1916.

IN CANADA.

Tharlie Ford Having a Fine Time-Marvin Visits a Shell Factory-A Note from Across the Border.

In a private note from G. H. Marvin who, with Mrs. Marvin and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ford, is spending some time in Canada and the Adirondacks, and who wrote from Montreal under date of the 6th, occur the following sentences which will be of interest to many of our readers:

'Ford and his wife are having one big time, so far at any rate. One thing seems strange to me-look almost where you will and you can see soldiers. They are sending them across every week. They have already raised about half a million and still they are gathering them in I visited one shop yesterday where they were making shells and it looked odd to see women working at the lathes in place of a machinist. Labor is scarce; some smart boys are getting as high as 35c per hour and any common laborer from 25 to 300 per hour.

"We had a fine time at Toronto and Ottawa. We go from here to the Adirondacks. Will be pleased to catch up with The Gazette at Saranac and get the news from home. We have all been well and are feeling fine.'

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