NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES

Items of General Interest Clipped From our Exchanges.

Lexington Dispatch.

More peach trains went north over the Southern last Wednesday than were ever hauled in one day before. The number was 21. In all about 53 trains were operated which is far and away above the average. The peach crop south is a record-breaker. Fruit is abundant everywhere.

Chief Hilton brought a colored woman named Lila Martin to jail from Thomasville Monday, the charge against her being deadly assault. Some months ago she almost severed the arm of a negro man with a "razzer" and as she failed to answer last court, her bondsman had her turned over to the authorities.

Leaksville Gazette.

Leaksville and vicinity is not the only section, by any means, that has had too much rain, On a recent trip through parts of Forsyth, Surry and Wilkes counties, we saw much ruined corn from overflow of streams. Whole acres of corn and some tobacco were washed flat and half buried mud. Almost every crop observable from the railroad is nearly suffocated by grass and weeds, because the ground has been so wet that plowing has been impossible. Some neighborhoods have been storm-swept and crops injured by prostrating winds.

Chapel Hill News.

The many good citizens in the Cedar Grove section of the county are talking trongly of trying to get the next General Assembly to pass a dog law for Orange Co. They are in favor of the tax being as much as $5.00 on every dog. If this was done every farmer could afford to keep a flock of sheep dogs have been playing havoc with the sheep in that section. We hope something can be done.

Webster Weekly.

Charlie Rascoe and Willie Hooper, the two youthful boys who were arraigned in the Recorder's court on the charge of manslaughter, were on last Friday evening bound over to the Superior court in a bond of $100 each. The bonds were readily given by the relatives of the little fellows. It will be remembered that these boys were playing ball on the street, and accidentlly the thrown ball struck T. C. Goodwin, an old Confederate soldier breaking his collar bone. Mr. Goodwin was feeble at the time, and this severe shock, together with other complications, resulted in his death some two weeks later. The occurrence is deeply deplored, especially by the boys and their parents still it was an accident, and the public feels that these young boys should not be made to suffer to severely for their unintentional act, even though it resulted in the death of an innocent and worthy man.

Siler City Grit.

A posse of citizens, duly deputized, arrested Lawrence McAuley Monday morning on Hickory Mountain. He is a negro convict who escaped from the chain gang of Alamance county last April and is thought to be the same party who attempted to steal a horse from J. R. Blair in April but who was prevented by the timely pursuit of Marcus Blair, the sixteen-year-old-son of J. R. Blair. The negro was carried back to Alamance county Tuesday morning to finish serving his sentence on the chain gang.

We understand that the work of grading and macadamizing the streets of our town will be begun in a very short time. The commissioners will meet this week and formulate plans for beginning active work. As a certain celebrity once upon a notable occasion saw fit to exclaim: "A consummation devoutly to be wished for!"

Asheboro Courier.

Mrs. Amos Winningham, who has been seriously ill at her home on South Fayetteville St., for some days was taken to Greensboro for treatment in St. Leo's Hospital last Sunday morning. She was still in a critical condition when heard from yesterday, but physicians and friends have not entirely despaired of her recovery. Mr. Winningham is with his wife and also two of her sisters, Mrs. O. W. Rich and Miss Lucy Crowson.

Greensboro Patriot

M. L. Blaylock one of the deputies in the United States marshal's office in this city, last week arrested Cyrus Goley on the charge of retailing in Alamance county. Goley waived examination and in default of bond was committed to jail to await trial at the next term of United States District court.

John F. Lyon, Greensboro's oldest citizen, celebrated his ninety-seventh birthday Sunday at the home of his son, Will S. Lyon en Cedar Street. Mr. Lyon is remarkably vigorous both in mind and body, for one who is near ing the century milepost in life. He retains an active interest in the affairs of life and is never happier than when pottering around the garden caring for his crop of vegetables.

Elkin Times.

Mrs. Frank Bowers, who lives about five miles North East of Elkin, gave birth to triplets last Monday morning—two girls and one boy. Mrs. Bowers was the mother of five children—this latest addition to the family swelling the number to eight. Mrs. Bowers and the children are doing well.

Reidsville Review.

M. A. Hilton was convicted in the recorder's court Monday of selling liquor. Hilton for some time past has been conspicuous in working up cases against alleged blind tigers.

R. S. Lemons, who has been postmaster at Stoneville for the past 16 years, died Sunday. He had been sick for some time, but did not call in a physician until Friday. The remains were buried Monday.

The remains of J. R. Eulies, of Spray, age 22, were brought through Reidsville Wednesday afternoon enroute to Graham, where they were buried. The young man had been sick some time with tuberculosis.

Forsyth News.

On last Sunday at the home of the bride a beautiful wedding was celebrated by the contracting parties John Taylor age 81, to Mrs. Cathron Charles, age 62. The couple was said to be one of the happiest witnessed in a long time The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Pinnix. They have the good wishes of their many friends and that their troubles may be "little ones".

Raleigh Cacaustian.

Festus Perry, who was convicted of burning the barn and stealing a horse of B. Hobgood and sentence to serve thirty years in the State's Prison was taken out Tuesday to begin his sentence.

Sidney Davis the 14-year-old son of A. J. Davis, who resides on North Person Street, was painfully injured Sunday shortly afternoon by falling under a Southern freight. His right leg was crushed to such an extent that it had to be amputated mid way between the ankle and knee

Union Republican

J. W. Martin, a progressive farmer in Broadbay township, brought to his friend, Capt. Henry Riggins, this city a few days ago, a cabbage head that weighed 19 lbs. Who can beat this? The farmers of Forsyth hold Capt. Riggins in high esteem, remembering him with the choicest of their products.

The Consolidated Granite Co., of this city, has been awarded the contract for the making and erection of a Confederate monument will be constructed out of Mt. Airy granite with a North Carolina dark blue pearl die. The monument will stand 23 feet high surmounted by an Italian marble statue, six feet in height. This monument is to the memory of the Confederate dead of Franklin county, Va.

Another "Girlies" Song.

"Girlies!"

"Twenty of them and all under twenty."

This is the way the New York billboards read. The New York Sunday World has sent its Song man up to see "Girlies" at the New Amsterdam Theatre, and he has picked out a good song from this summer show. The song will be given with next Sunday's World, words and music complete. Also a page of theatrical pictures, in colors, and lots of other features.

Copies of Sunday World can be secured by applying at the DISPATCH OFFICE.

Silas Hoffman, aged 67 years, died at his home in Bedminister, near Somerville, N. J. For 31 years he had spent all his time in bed, refusing to talk to any one excepting his family.

Breif News Items

Thirty-three horses were burned to death in a fire that destroyed the livery and boarding stable of S. W. Salt in Brooklyn, N. Y., one day last week, and drove the tenants in half a dozen houses in the block to the streets.

The Dixie Shoe Company, with $150,000 capital, has been organized at Bristol, Va., and will establish a factory. The incorporators are John A. Caldwell, S. L. King, E. K. Bachman. Fred Smith and A. P. Pepper.

One boy was killed and forty persons hurt, six seriously, when an interurban car crashed into a work train at Wilkes Michigan one day last week. The car was a special from Flint to Detroit, loaded with a holiday crowd.

The population of Chicago has passed the 2,000,000 mark, according to estimates based on the 1910 school census made public last week. The total minor population of the city is 814,115, an increase of 66,768 over the census of 1908.

Miss Lillian Jackson and little Adelaide Fellows, of New York, boarders at the Kirk farm, below Milford, Pa., were drowned in the Deleware river one day last week, when their boat tipped in the current. Miss Jackson lost her life in trying to save the child.

While bathing in the James river at Lynchburg, Va., last week Walter H. McClary, aged twenty, a student at the Piedmont college, was drowned. McClary was from Rochelle, Nelson county. It is probable he was drowned with cramps. His body was recovered.

Extreme heat, aggravating an attack of stomach trouble caused the sudden death of J. W. Herron, business manager of the Evening Star, and director of the American bank. Herron had often complained of the heat, but didn't consider his trouble serious.

Ira G. Rawn, president of the Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville Railroad, (the Monon route) died of a bullet wound at his summer residence in Winnetka, fifteen miles north of Chicago last week. Members of Mr. Rawn's family say he was killed by a burglar.

William H. Plunkett, a telegraph operator, died suddenly at his key last week in the office of S. B. Chapin & Co., bankers and brokers at 111 Broadway, New York. Mr. Plunkett was from Atlanta, Ga. He was thirty-three years old. He was well known through the south.

Hazle Best, 21 months old, was drowned in a tub of water at the home of her parents, near Harrisburg, Pa., last week. The child had been playing about the tub and lost its balance. When found the baby was hanging over the tub with its head and shoulders in the water.

While prospecting for coal on Birchfield creek, in Wise county Va., last week, a force of men unexpectedly struck gas at a depth of 600 feet, causing an explosion which demolished the machinery and severely burned two of the workmen. At last report the gas was still burning.

While in a fit of insane jealousy last week at Danville, Ill., Frank Sutherland, aged 65 years shot and killed his wise, aged 50 years, and a bride of less than three weeks, and then turned the revolver on himself, firing one shot into his brain and dying instanly. There were five bullet wounds in the woman's face.

Plans are under way for the establishment of the first woman suffrage club house in America. Mrs. Clarence Mackey and other wealthy women are back of the project and will purchase a mansion at 215 Madison avenue for that purpose. Mrs. J. P. Morgan lives across the street.

D. G. Leonard, said to be an United States detective, and a local carpenter named Sams engaged in a desperate fight at the top of Braggs monument three miles east of Chattanooga, Tenn., last Wednesday and Leonard was thrown to the ground, killing him almost instantly. Sams escaped. They had previously quarreled, it is said.

Jack Johnson, the heavyweight champion pugilist, was arrested in New York last week charged with reckless driving his big automobile. Johnson characterized arrest as an outrage and said that he had been informed on good authority that the bicycle police all over the city had made the declaration that they were out to "get him." He gave $100 bail for his appearance in court.