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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Matters of Interest Reported by Our Corps of Correspondents.

Liberty Store Items.

Ladies' new summer hats are beginning to bloom in this section.

Corn planting is nearly over and tobacco planting is now the order of the day.

The recent refreshing rains have led to the appearance of the great crop.

A saw mill man has been prospecting in this neighborhood for a place to locate.

Mr. P. M. Apple, the jovial miller at Company Mills, caught an eighteen-pound turtle one day last week. He kindly divided with his neighbors.

The health of the neighborhood is good at present, except Mr. J. H. Jones, an aged person who has been in feeble health for twelve months or more.

A fishing party and picnic was enjoyed by the young people of the neighborhood at Company Mills Saturday. A small number of fish and a limited number of beaux were caught.

Stokesdale Items.

The Southern has our road at Mt.

Capt. W. D. Lane spent a few hours in town Monday.

Mrs. P. E. Parker went to Greensboro Tuesday morning.

Mr. Chas. O. McMichael, of Madison, was in town last Saturday.

Miss Minnie Diggins went to Greensboro Monday shopping.

We are glad to see Master Eddie Hilton out again after a long illness.

Mr. Willie and Miss Carrie Cummings, accompanied by Miss Osborne, of Greensboro, spent Sunday here at Mr. M. J. Parrish's.

Misses Dora and Mollie Gant went to Greensboro last week, as did Misses Lizzie Taylor and Lucy Moore. They went shopping.

Alamance Items.

Miss Minnie Weatherly is on the sick list.

We have had plenty of rain for the past week.

The bugs are playing havoc with the watermelon vines.

Most of the wheat crops are looking tolerably well, but not near as well as we have seen.

Miss Nina Starr, who has been in school near Concord, will be at home the last of this week.

Miss Daisy Pritchett and Miss Irene Lejeune, visited Misses Carrie and May Coble last week.

On account of the very bad weather, but a very small crowd attended the fishing party at Brown's pond last Thursday, but they reported a very pleasant time.

To insure a happy new year, keep your liver clear and the body vigorous by using the Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for constipation and liver troubles. Howard Gardner.

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McLeansville Items.

Mr. William Gray, of this neighborhood, is quite sick. He is about eighty-five years old.

Rev. Risinger, of your city, will preach at the Academy of this place next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Rev. E. P. Parker, of the Lutheran church, preached at the Jefferson Academy last Sunday to a large congregation.

Mrs. David Forbis, of this place, who has been quite ill for some time does not improve any. She is very much advanced in years.

Cards are out for the marriage of Mr. William Grady, of your city, and Miss Lizzie Nichols, of this place, on Wednesday, May 24th.

Mr. James Terrell, of this place, who has been on the county for a support, was sent to the county home about two weeks ago. He has a family living here, but was not able to support them. He is an old Confederate soldier and we think some action ought to be made to transfer him to the soldier's home at Raleigh. He is not able to perform manual labor.

Mrs. R. L. Davis, of this place, has in her possession a pea-fowl which is over twenty years old. She has plucked a large amount of feathers from him and made them into fly brooms, and has sold them, realizing a snug little sum. She has a few brooms on hand which she will dispose of at reasonable figures. They are nicely gotten up. Any one desiring any of the above, will address as above. She would like to know through your columns, if there is any older pea-fowl in this country.

Prof. Chas. D. Cobb, of Jefferson Academy, has been quite sick with tonsillitis. He is gradually improving, and hopes to attend to the duties of his school soon. He went fishing last week and captured a carp weighing four pounds, which was thought to be very large, but Messrs. Montgomery and Scroggins took the rag off the bush, they captured one weighing nine pounds. We think the high waters overflowed the fish ponds. We do not want the Greensboro fishermen to get excited about this, but come on and try their luck in South Buffalo.

Gibsonville Items.

Mr. Ned Branock, of Elon College, was in our town Saturday.

Prof. A. M. Garwood made a flying visit to Winston Saturday. Mrs. Milber, of Staunton, Va., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Davidson.

Our town is still growing, quite a number of buildings are in the course of erection.

Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Parker attended the Lutheran Synod at Salisbury last week.

We have been having fine seasons for the past week and the farmers are very busy.

A number of our people attended the commencement sermon at Whitsett Institute Sunday.

Child's Death Causes Riot.

PITTSBURG, May 15.—Penn avenue today was the scene of a riot which threatened for a time to result seriously. A Consolidated Traction car struck and horribly mangled Katie Three, a Polish child, three years of age.

While the dead body was being taken from under the car a crowd of several hundred, principally Poles, gathered and became so incensed at the sight that they attacked the motorman and conductor, with the intention of lynching them. The patrol wagon arrived and an officer jumped into the cab with the motorman and succeeded in getting the car and occupants out of danger.

Michael Biggs, the only policeman left with the mob, was then pounced upon and badly beaten. He succeeded, however, in holding on to one of the ringleaders until a squad of reserves came to his relief. When the officers attempted to put the arrested man into the wagon the mob made a dash to rescue him, and a desperate battle followed, lasting half an hour, by which time police reinforcements arrived and the rioters were dispersed, many of them being much the worse for the rough usage the policemen were compelled to resort to. Five of the ringleaders were arrested.

Gomez Gives up the Contract.

HAVANA, May 15.—General Maximo Gomez today informed General Brooke that he could no longer act as representative of the Cuban army in the distribution of the \$3,000,000 appropriated for the payment of the Cuban troops. General Gomez added that he had arrived at this decision with great reluctance, and with the most friendly feeling toward General Brooke personally and officially, but he felt he could no longer represent the Cuban army because a cabal, composed of many subordinate commanders, existed to oppose, and if possible, defeat the plans for the partitioning of the money. He explained that former members of the Cuban Military Assembly, led by Mayia Rodriguez, Manuel Sanguilly, Juan Gualberto and other malcontents, who had organized a majority of the officers against him, apparently, and though he (General Gomez) might persist and possibly carry the payment to a successful conclusion, he was disgusted and wished to wash his hands of the whole business. Therefore, he thought best to leave General Brooke free as the latter could act with equal effectiveness.

THE SITUATION SERIOUS.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—High officials in the War Department were reluctant to discuss the Cuban situation this afternoon. The dispatch of the Associated Press was read with interest, but did not cause much surprise among army officials who are well informed about the Cubans, especially those who are known as "soldiers of fortune," and who have been bitterly disappointed because the island was not turned over to them immediately after the Spanish surrender. There is an impression, also, that the intention of General Brooke to see that the \$3,000,000 are distributed among the Cuban troops has caused disappointment among the many "generals" and other high officers who were evidently expecting to secure a large share of the money. Belief was expressed that the situation in Cuba is serious, and that careful and diplomatic management will be needed. It was stated that no orders would be issued to General Brooke, as he had ample authority to deal with any situation which might arise. There seems to be a belief that General Gomez has contributed to the delay in the payment of the money.

Fell Dead While Speaking.

PHILADELPHIA, May 14.—Aaron M. Powell, noted anti-slavery agitator, temperance worker and writer, dropped dead from heart disease at the opening session of the yearly meeting of the Society of Friends yesterday afternoon.

The meeting was nearly at an end when Mr. Powell rose to speak. He was apparently in good health, and had spoken for a few moments with much earnestness, when suddenly the aged speaker fell forward. Aid was promptly given, but in a few minutes he was dead.

His wife, Anna M. Powell, and his sister, Elizabeth Bond Powell, dean of Swarthmore College, were at his side when he passed away. He was about seventy years old.

STATE NEWS.

William Tolbert, a Rowan county young man, was drowned in the Yadkin river Saturday.

Salisbury is making efforts to secure the North Carolina College, which is to be removed from Mt. Pleasant.

Col. W. H. Fitzgerald, a prominent citizen of Monroe, died Saturday. He was an ex-Confederate soldier and a man of means.

The Railway Telegraph Superintendents' Association is in session at Wilmington this week. Thomas A. Edison is attending.

At the recent municipal election in Lincolnton a proposition to establish graded schools was defeated, while the matter of licensing bar-rooms was carried.

A Montgomery county teacher is reported as having asked the county commissioners to make an order requiring all the people in the county to attend his commencement.

The corporation commission has made the telegraph rates 25 cents on a ten-word day message anywhere in the state, just as it was fixed by the now defunct railroad commission.

The engagement of Miss Frances Carter, daughter of the late Hon. David M. Carter, of this state, and Lieutenant Schaefer, of the German army, is announced. The marriage will take place in the early autumn.

The county commissioners of Wake county have discovered that the ex-sheriff of that county is short in his accounts to the amount of nearly \$5,000. The shortage is thought to be mainly due to inefficient deputies.

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Nineteen colored men left Winston last week for Galveston, Tex., to take service in the regular army. Two others who intended to depart were arrested—one being under bond for appearance at court and the other having failed to pay a fine.

Governor-General Brooke has issued a decree giving the civil courts of Cuba exclusive jurisdiction as to divorces.

La Grippe is again epidemic. Every precaution should be taken to avoid it. Its specific cure is One Minute Cough Cure. A. J. Shepherd, Publisher Agricultural Journal and Advertiser, Eldon, Mo., says: "No one will be disappointed in using one Minute Cough Cure for La Grippe." Pleasant to take, quick to act. Howard Gardner.

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Ladies, Keep Cool.

There's no reason why you can't, for we have made all necessary provisions for you in the way of attire, and our attractive "under-selling prices" on really dependable high grade goods will be great money-savers for you. Read the list of bargains for this week:

40 pieces Embroidered Dotted Swives, blue, pink and red dots on white ground, a real 25c value at 12 1/2c.

Infants Bleached Ribbed Vests, lace edged, assorted sizes, the 10c sort at 5c.

Children's Ribbed Vests, full bleached, sizes 16 to 28, the 15c kind at 10c.

Ladies fancy Ribbed Vests, all sizes, a real 15c worth at 9c.

Ladies gauzy Summer Corsets, airy and cool, all sizes, worth 75c. at 49c.

New corded White Madras in single or cluster cords and fancy cord stripes a new 18c effect here at 12 1/2c.

Fine white French Organdies, nearly 2 yards wide, pure white wiry flat thread, firm and graceful, a 49c value at 25c.

Great White Pique values. Heavy English rope welt effect, real 15c worth of pure whiteness for only 10c.

Children's gauze vests, long sleeves or short sleeves, 12c, 15c, 19c, 25c, for sizes 16, 18, 20, 22.

Belt Buckles, great variety at 9c, 15c, 19c, 25c, 29c up.

New Kid Gloves—White pearl, tan, new blue and black.

Our fourth shipment of heavy blistered Black Crepons just arrived, prices lower than before.

Wool Challies with silk stripes and figures at 29c.

Full 40 inch India Linens at 6c, 10c, 12 1/2, 15c, 18c. Every one a bargain.

45 inch solid colored Organdies in light blue, red, lavender, Nile, canary and black. A regular 30c worth at 19c.

Ladies Linen Collars, all the new shapes, at 10 and 12 1/2c.

25 dozen ladies washable Shirt Waists worth 49c, at 29c.

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