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ABOUT CUBA.

Cable Not Mended—Havana Gets Supplies—The Spanish Flag at Half Mast. What Does it Mean?—The Bombardment Terrible—Will Burn Caimanera Rather Than Surrender it—Gen. Augusti Resigns to Avoid Signing Capitulation.

The cable connections at Caimanera are not effected yet and some delay in the dispatches is unavoidable.

It has come to light, according to reports at least, that Havana has been getting food supplies from Batabano, on the South side of Cuba, opposite Havana. The provisions are landed at the Isle of Pines, south of Cuba, and slipped through at night on small vessels, to Batabano and from thence to Havana by rail. It is said that on this account there is no scarcity of provisions in Havana save of flour.

Later accounts from the bombardment at Santiago indicate the results were quite severe. Vultures were soon floating in the air and men could be seen digging out the dead from mounds made by the explosion of the heavy shells. The Spanish flag was placed at half mast over Morro Castle. This is so out of the usual order that it is causing no little bewilderment. Had Morro been bombarded it would be believed that it was meant to indicate the ill fate of Lieut. Hobson and his crew.

Spies report to Admiral Sampson that the Spanish General Joeral and several officers were killed by the gun-cotton explosions at the first trial of the batteries of the Vesuvius.

Scouts say that preparations are being made with combustibles to burn Caimanera when the Spaniards can no longer hold it.

Advices from Manila say that Capt. Gen. Augusti has resigned his office to the Spanish Commander preparatory to capitulation. Manila may have fallen already. The Spaniards claim, however, that the fall of Manila does not mean the surrender of the Philippines.

A Good Laff is Coming.

Mr. and Mrs. Jedediah Bobbins' Singin Skule, an entertainment that has set and kept two States laughing the past few months, has been secured by the ladies of the Central Methodist church, and will be given at the opera house Thursday, June 23, under the direction of its directors, Messrs. Bertram and Willard, of New York. Local talent will be used for all of the parts with the exception of Mr. and Mrs. Bobbins, which parts are taken by the gentlemen above mentioned. The Wilmington Messenger of January 5th says: Mr. Jedediah Bobbins' Singin Skule was presented last evening at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium, and met with fine success. The entertainment was very funny, and introduced a large number of Wilmington's local talent. Mr. Bertram as Mrs. Bobbins, and Mr. Willard as Mr. Bobbins were very droll and amusing, in fact the entire performance was highly entertaining. The prices of admission will be 25 cents. Kids 15 cents. Reserved seats 10 cents extra.

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JAY SIMS TRANSFERRED.

No More a Bugler for the First North Carolina Regiment—An Operator for Gen. Merritt on the Philippines.

From the News and Observer we see that Adjutant General Cowles has asked the Secretary of War for a transferral of Jay Sims from the position of bugler to the Signal Corps.

By being transferred, which is by his request, Mr. Sims will not be paid as much as when he was bugler but it is his desire to go and serve his country, regardless of the salary, and may he go and gain glory for himself and his country, proving himself an honor to the Old North State.

ABOUT HAWAII.

The Islands All Delighted With the Arrival of Our Troops—A Traitor Caught—No Neutrality For Hawaii.

Intense delight prevailed at Honolulu on the arrival of the Charleston with the Manila expedition. The troops were allowed to go ashore and enjoyed the freedom of the city. Citizens vied with the authorities in giving the soldiers a gay time while the ships rescoaled.

But while all this was going on a half-blood Spaniard was caught trying to connect a fuse with the immense powder magazine of the City of Peikin, which if accomplished might have been more terrible than the Maine affair. There is little doubt that he will pay the penalty of his life. The expedition left Honolulu on the 4th. The Spanish consul protested against the coaling of our vessels and desired the neutrality regulations, but the government at Hawaii simply informed him that it did not take neutral grounds.

Concord to Loose Rev. McCullough.

For some time it has been whispered that Rev. McCullough, now pastor of St. Andrews pastorate, was going to leave Concord. It will be remembered that Rev. McCullough resigned some time ago, owing to the fact that he had more than he could well attend to, and which was a step toward a rearrangement of the charges. Last week Rev. McCullough was tendered a call from the Lutheran church at Cameron, S. C., to fill the place made vacant by Rev. J. A. B. Scherer and has now accepted.

It is with deep regret that the people of Concord and especially his congregation give up Rev. McCullough, he having succeeded in gaining a number of devoted friends here. His call under his new charge will take effect on the 1st of August.

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PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. Jno Yorke went over to Charlotte this morning on business.

—Messrs. Dolph Mangum and Jesse Oldham, two baseball enthusiasts, will probably arrive tonight.

—Deputy Sheriff John Hill went up to Salisbury this morning on business.

—Messrs. Walter Scott and Albert Summey, of Charlotte, spent Sunday here with friends.

—Freight clerk Prue White spent Sunday at his home in Greenville, S. C.

—Dr. John Montgomery, of Charlotte, came over this morning to spend the day with his father, Judge Montgomery, who is sick.

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Straw Stack Set on Fire—Mr. Sam Patterson, Former Superintendent of Odell's Mills, In Our City—Other Visiting Folks.

Forest Hill Correspondence.

Mr. H. C. Caloway and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Caloway's mother, Mrs. M. M. Russell, on church street.

Mr. Thos. Simpson left for Spray, N. C., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam O. Stone, who have been visiting relatives at New London for some time have returned.

Misses Maggie and Lyda Plaster, of near Glasses, spent Sunday with the family of Mr. F. P. Smith.

Mr. S. F. Patterson, of Ilchester, Md., is expected to arrive tonight. He will be the guest of Mr. W. R. Odell while in the city. Mr. Patterson is well remembered by the people of Concord, he having been Superintendent of the Odell Mills for quite a while.

Misses Maggie and Carrie Ross, of China Grove, spent Sunday at Mr. O. H. Upchurch's on north Third street.

Sunday evening during the rain lightning struck Mr. J. W. Cook's residence and also set fire to a straw stack some distance from the house. The flames were extinguished before much damage was done.

The smallest book in the world is five-eighths of an inch long, seven-sixteenths of an inch wide, three-eighths of an inch thick. It contains 205 pages of the finest type imaginable, so small that the point of a pin would cover a letter; in fact, a magnifying glass is required to read the volume. This little work is in possession of Charles Scribner's Sons, who keep it in an envelope. The book does not cover a dime, and you could cut three leaves for it out of a 2 cent postage stamp.—Ex.

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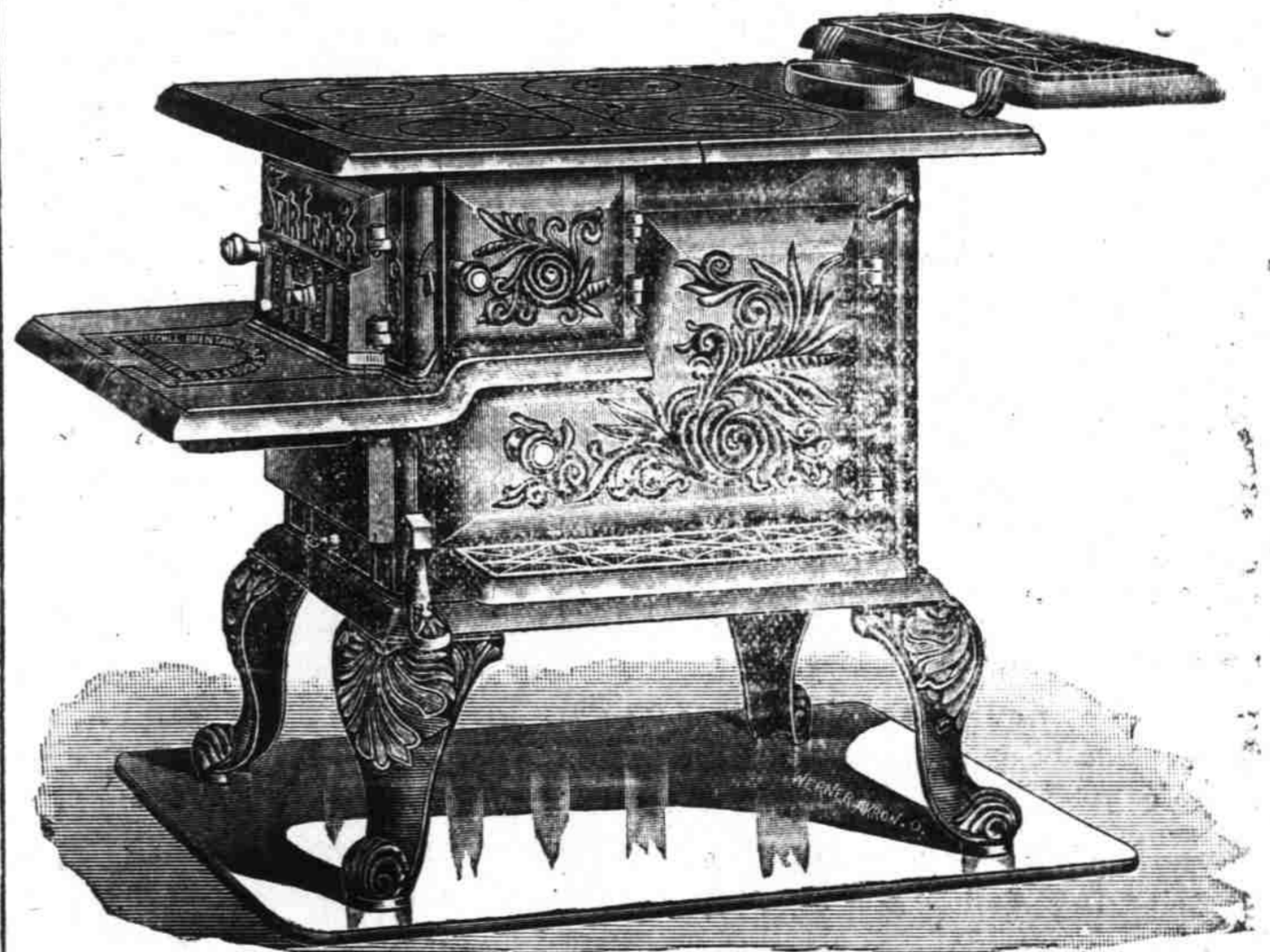
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