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## WAS GEN. WHEELER SNUBBED.

Now the press dispatches say that Gen. Wheeler was snubbed at Charleston in being purposely left out of the procession on the 10th.

The statements look so plain that it hardly seems to admit of doubt and still we expect to see a satisfactory statement yet showing that some misunderstanding caused the mishap. Indeed we have already seen it so stated. Surely in Charleston's good humor she would not for anything do so rude a thing as to fail to honor Gen. Wheeler or give the people a chance to honor him. Nor could Gen. Walker dare to do such a thing as snubb him. In the face of apparent evidence to the contrary, we believe it to have been an unintentional and most humiliating mishap.

Here's one already noted since the above was written. (Gen. Gordon was on horse back in the parade)

Jacksonville, Fla., May 16. —A special to The Times-Union and Citizen from Tallahassee says. "The alleged slighting of General Joseph Wheeler at Charleston on Wednesday last, is explained by Col. Fred Robinson, of the adjutant general's staff, as follows:

"General Wheeler was not in the parade because the negro boy who was sent to carry his horse to him, through inattention or natural stupidity, carried the horse to the wrong number, and remained there holding the horse until the procession was over."

The Twin City, in excursion, visited the Queen City Tuesday over the new Mocksville and Mooresville road. Charlotte promises to pay back the visit soon and there is to be a kind of love feast between these two beautiful and thriving cities. It is pleasant to note.

A Connecticut court has given a verdict for \$10 damage for the life of a man killed on the railroad. There is no evidence at hand to show that it was or was not full value, but here if one is cast out and despoised, if killed by any corporation agency such one suddenly becomes very valuable and more is collected than the savings of a life time.

## CONCORD AHEAD.

The Charlotte Observer would have us believe the Charlotte people are too busy raising big strawberries to have hailstorms and boasts of berries 25 of which will fill a quart cup. Now our neighbor is hopelessly left again. Beside having the biggest hail and the most of it Concord is way ahead on strawberries. Mr. W G Boshamer brought The Standard man a quart crate this morning that was heaped up full with 22 berries. Twenty filled the crate as full as could be for shipping. We laid them in a quart cup and again found it heaped with the 22. Our neighbor must sotle through some new by path if she wants to head off Concord.

## IN THE SCALES OF FATE.

What terrible consequences hang in the scale of fate, and often, of course, by an overruling Omnipotent hand are brought out to harmless sequences, was illustrated last Saturday on the train from Columbia to Savannah. At Stillwell the pipe that replenishes the tender with water from the tank was left hanging down. Engineer Bell came along with a train load of people from Charleston. He was leaning out of the window, with one hand on the throttle. His head struck the pipe and he was killed instantly.

The train ran seven miles with its human freight with a dead hand only with which to meet whatever exigencies that might be presented. Fortunately nothing of further calamity occurred.

## MR. HARRIS' CORRECTION.

We insert a very appreciable article from the pen of Mr. J S Harris, of Mooresville, that would have appeared last week had the editor not been away.

Mr. Harris notes our mistake in the use of the name Gen. Meade when we meant Gen. Hooker. It was the veriest slip of the pen and not from lack of clear knowledge of the fact. The humiliating mistake was noted in the daily issue of May 4th and appeared in the Weekly of the 11th, which we hope Mr. Harris noted.

It seems we were inaccurate in the statement that Gen. Longstreet had gone to Tennessee but the point we were making was that he had been withdrawn from Gen. Lee's army and that Gen. Hooker took it as opportunity to strike a blow. Mr. Harris' more minute and accurate statement of the movements of Gen. Longstreet is so pleasing to us that it serves to compensate for our blunder that called for his article.

Now they say that the Americans have lost knowledge of the whereabouts of Aginaldo. He can probably occupy a place so small just now that it would be hard to find.

## NO CURE, NO PAY.

That is the way all druggists sell Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic for chills and Malaria. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults refer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price, 50c.

## When Dewey Comes Home.

The New York World is arranging to have cannon fired simultaneously along a line from New York to San Francisco in honor of Admiral Dewey when his vessel is sighted off Fire Island.

Thirty-seven stations across the continent are designated and each is to fire 21 shots, all firing as nearly at the same time as the wire announcements can make it. The same programme will be carried out if the vessel arrives in the night. The World thinks the hero will arrive by July 4th, though it has been announced that the ship will come home leisurely, stopping at various places.

## Beats the Klondike.

Mr. A C Thomas, of Marysville Tex., has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered untold agony from consumption, accompanied by hemorrhages; and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with this marvelous cure; would have it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, Bronchitis and all throat and lung affections are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Trial bottles free at P B Fetzler's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

## The C. F. & Y. V. Divided.

There has been a final disposition of the C. F. & Y. V. railroad. The Southern gets the road with its branches from Sanford, in the northeast corner of Moore county, to its upper terminus at Mt. Airy, near the Virginia line, in Surry county, while the Wilmington & Weldon holds that part from Sanford to Wilmington, including the branch from Fayetteville to Bennettsville, in South Carolina.

## A Clever Trick.

It certainly looks like it, but there is really no trick about it. Anybody can try it who has Lame Back and Weak Kidneys, Malaria or nervous troubles. We mean he can cure himself right away by taking Electric Bitters. This medicine tones up the whole system, acts as a stimulant to Liver and Kidneys, is a blood purifier and nerve tonic. It cures constipation, headache, fainting spells, sleeplessness and melancholy. It is purely vegetable, a mild laxative, and restores the system to its natural vigor. Try Electric Bitters and be convinced that they are a miracle worker. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c a bottle at P B Fetzler's drug store.

## A Petticoat Achievement.

Who says that woman is not gifted with inventive genius? The Pitt woman who converted her petticoat into a dip net and caught 500 fish with it, proves that woman is generally equal to the occasion. The Charlotte Observer and the Asheville Citizen are praising mightily the shirt-waist and the sailor-hat, and we are quite willing to endorse the nice things they have said about those pretty and tasteful articles of female attire, but, in view of the Pitt county woman's achievement, we want to remark that the lowly petticoat, inconspicuous tho' it be, has demonstrated in a new way its usefulness. — Lincoln Journal.

# THE RACKET.

- 1 case of White Organdie remnants, from 1 to 8 yds, at 80c. per pound. These goods average you about 5 to 7 1-2c. per yd. They are worth 10 to 25c. when bought regular.
- 1 case Printed Lawn remnants at 7 1-2c. per yd, worth 10 to 12 1-2c. We have just received a nice assortment of pretty Fans from 5c. to \$2.88 each.
- New lot of Colored Umbrellas and Parasols.
- Ladies Bleached Gauze Vests, 5c. up.
- Gents' Undershirts, 15c. up.
- " Drawers, made like Scribblers, at 60c.
- A nice lot of Gents' Colored Shirts 25c. up.
- White Shirts 25c. up. \$1 ones for 50c.
- Dress Skirts 28c. up; Bonnets 25c.
- Shirt Waists 20c. up. Nice Organdie Waists for 45c.

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**D. J. Bostian.**

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