

—Mean liquor and fire crackers are plentiful in Concord at present, it is said.

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—Ms. Tobias Spars, of Texas, arrived in Concord Tuesday night, after an absence of 25 years.

—Mr. John E. Yorkels having a nice cottage erected on the lot between Mr. J. F. Hurley's and Mr. R. S. Harris.

—The personal effects of Jas. W. Long were sold at public auction at his late residence yesterday afternoon.

—Mr. S. L. Klutz had a sale at his home in No. 10 this week, and will soon move his family to Concord to the Morris Hotel.

—Fred, the seven year old son of Mr. Charley Sides, of Cannonville, was badly burned last Friday. He was attended by Dr. Montgomery.

—Miss Bettie White, of Rocky River, accompanied her brother, Rev. A. Walker White, back to Corpus Christi, Texas, and will spend the winter there.

—Henry Neal, of this county, who was tried for counterfeiting last week at Charlotte, was convicted and sentenced to twelve months in the Albany Federal Penitentiary.

—Mr. R. A. Brown finished up work at the new Cannon mill Tuesday. He is now at work placing a boiler and building an engine room at the Cabarrus mill.

—Have you seen Widenhouse & Williford's new stock of jewelry and articles suitable for Christmas presents? It will pay you to see it before buying elsewhere.

—Leonard Brown, while riding his bicycle one night last week, collided with a buggy and was right seriously hurt. His face was considerably bruised, but it is thought he will soon be all right.

—Richmond Reed, who had his ankle "sprained," while playing football last week at school, is able to "be about" with the aid of crutches. He cannot bear his foot on the ground yet, however.

—The bazar last week was a great success. The ladies realized \$135, and made \$110 above every expense. They succeeded beyond their expectations. The proceeds will be applied to the pipe organ fund.

—The exercises at the closing of the fall session of Georville Academy last Friday night were exceedingly interesting, and were enjoyed by a crowded house. The school has been successful and has good prospects for the future.

—Mr. John K. Patterson is selling all kinds of fire works with a terrific off, which makes them over one half cheaper than they were last year. He has in his excellent store every thing you need for Christmas. Look up his ad. on the opposite page.

—Mr. J. F. Williford and Mr. Will Widenhouse have formed a co-partnership and have opened out in front of Jno. K. Patterson's store a handsome line of Jewelry, etc., suitable for Christmas presents. We wish them success.

—See the quarter column advertisement of Mr. Odum, who will give a grand street parade on next Tuesday, the 24th, with the Italian string band. He will give away 400 packages of his medicine by scattering it broad cast in the crowd.

—Mr. Robert Neal, of Marion, is now on the depot force here. He is a son of Mrs. Col. Neal, and a brother of Mrs. J. N. Ambler, who has many friends here. We gladly welcome Mr. Neal to Concord, and hope he will find his stay pleasant among us.

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