

# GREENSBORO DAILY WORKMAN.

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Price \$3.00 Per Year

## OUR OPENING

—OF—

New Spring

Dress Goods

Dress Trimmings

AND

High Grade Novelties

Will take place on

Friday and Saturday

April 3rd and 4th

Ladies are respectfully invited to come and see the new goods.

SAMPLE S. BROWN & Co.

THE BEST OFFER YET!

We have 144 ft. of the Finest Property on W. Market Street, to Cut up in Lots to Suit Customers. Also Beautiful Lots in South Greensboro, Prices ranging from \$125.00 to \$3,000.00.

A NUMBER OF BEAUTIFUL LOTS ALL OVER THE CITY. WORTH W. HARTON Real Estate and Improvement Co.

## A DAY'S EVENTS.

### WHAT OUR REPORTERS SEE AND HEAR

And What Other People Tell Them—News Briefly Noted, Personal Notes &c.

The trains were on time today, for a wonder.

At last a new flag has been hoisted on the Government building.

The corner stone of the King's Daughters Hospital will be laid tomorrow.

The weather for North Carolina, Fair Friday and Saturday; colder; northwest winds.

The meetings at Centenary church continues to increase in interest. Preaching tonight at 8 o'clock.

Attention is called to the notice, which appears in today's WORKMAN, of the sale of 60 acres of land within two miles of Greensboro.

A gentleman was heard to remark yesterday that "it would take a web-footed man to walk on the streets of North Carolina towns."

Considering the extreme weather, a good audience came out to hear the Guy Mistrals last night. All present seemed to enjoy the performance.

Centenary Sunday school, which was just five years old last Sunday, is beginning to talk about building a Sunday school room in the rear of the church.

The Lexington Observer.

The Lexington Ledger has been purchased by Mr. G. M. Bulla, and the name changed to the Lexington Observer. The first issue of the Observer is well gotten up, and shows signs of good editorial management. Success to the Observer.

### Gone to Florida.

Mr. W. R. Burgess, accompanied by Mrs. Burgess, left this morning for Sanford, Fla., where he goes to spend some time for his health. We trust that he may find the Florida climate beneficial, and that he may soon return fully restored to health.

He went by the way of the Richmond & Danville and E. T. V. & G. Railroads.

### The Concert Last Night.

The Greensboro Choral Association gave a Concert at the Court House last night. We regret that we were unable to be present, as we feel assured that we would have enjoyed it. The Association has some fine musical talent in it. There was not a very large audience present, owing to the inclement weather. We learn the Concert will be repeated during next week. This should be done in order that our music lovers may have a chance to hear the fine performances.

### State vs. Barker.

Daniel Barker, who was arrested on Monday last in Henry county by officers of the Finest Detective Agency, was taken to Durham on yesterday and had a hearing before Judge Bowen, who is holding court at that place. The Court remanded him to prison at that place until the defendant could be notified and be ready for the trial, any hearing, which may be Friday of next week at Durham City. It is thought that Barker will be held in prison until he can be notified.

Mr. Barker claims to be a member of the Grand Army of the Republic, and the papers received from Durham last night.

## ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW.

Personal Notes of Interest Caught on the Fly.

Rev. Walter Curtis was here this morning.

Mr. J. B. Field went down the C. F. & Y. V. today.

Rev. James R. Jones has been in the city today.

Col. J. M. Alsbaugh, of Winston, was here yesterday.

Mr. Joseph Parker, of New Garden, is in the city today.

Col. John R. Webster, of Reidsville, was here this morning.

Mr. George W. White came down from towards Mt. Airy this morning.

Capt. John Dodson passed through on the south bound train this morning.

Mr. J. L. Prior, formerly of Fayetteville, but now of Raleigh, is here today.

Mr. Ed. Steele, of High Point, was here today and returned on the morning train.

Mr. J. C. Clayton, who has been here on a visit for about a week, returned to his home in Newark, N. J., last night.

Rev. J. S. Cox, of the Living Issue, will leave this evening for his home in Randolph, where he will remain several days.

### The Plaid Manufacturers.

The Southern Plaid Manufacturers' Convention, which was held in this city on yesterday, closed its labors last night.

The purpose of the Convention was to form a union or combination to keep up the price of plaids. In order to do this it was necessary to have one general agent, who would have control of all goods manufactured by the members of the combination.

We learn that the union was formed and that Mr. Moses H. Cone, as THE WORKMAN suggested on yesterday, will be the Northern agent of the Southern Plaid Manufacturers.

All that is necessary to make the organization complete are some minor details. The whole matter will be closed in a few days.

No reporters were in the meeting and what we have learned is unofficial.

### Hurrah for Reidsville.

REIDSVILLE, N. C., April 2.—An election was held here today to decide whether or not the town should issue bonds to the amount of \$50,000 for street improvements, etc. The proposition was carried almost unanimously, only three votes being cast against it. Arrangements have already been perfected to float the bonds at par. The expenditure of the sum in public improvements will greatly beautify our town and enhance the value of property no little. As soon as it was definitely known that the issue would be voted for, steps were at once taken to organize a large Loan and Improvement Company. The organization of this enterprise with a large capital will be speedily effected.

Work on the public building will commence as soon as the site is selected.

Special attention is called to the communication of E. M. Douglas in this issue.

Dwelling registration. Whites, 125; blacks, 160; making a total of 285.

## THE CRUEL FLAMES

BURN THREE HOUSES IN SOUTH GREENSBORO.

It Breaks Out in Myron Newell's Kitchen and Spreads Rapidly.

About 4 o'clock this afternoon an alarm of fire was sounded. The fire was in South Greensboro, and caught from the kitchen flue of Mr. Myron G. Newell's house.

There was a high wind and soon the house was wrapped in flames. The fire then leaped to the dwelling occupied by Mr. S. F. Harrell, but owned by W. H. Newell. Soon both houses were gutted and in the hands of the flames. The fire then caught the house of Mr. John Sampson, which followed the fate of the other two.

The fire companies responded promptly, but were almost helpless, the nearest fire plug being about two or three hundred yards off. They worked nobly, however, and stopped further destruction by the flames.

The loss will be between 6 and 8 thousand dollars, it is thought. Mr. Myron Newell's house was insured, and it is thought Mr. Will H. Newell's house was also insured. Mr. Sampson had no insurance. Nearly all the personal property was gotten out of each house, but in a greatly damaged condition.

Our sympathies are with these unfortunate people and hope their loss will not be so great when they get their property together, which is now very much scattered.

### Communicated

EDITOR DAILY WORKMAN: I see in your paper of yesterday that I am suggested as a nominee for Mayor. Permit me to say that, while appreciating the honor an election would bring, I am not a candidate either direct or permissive.

I do not desire the office; I am absent too frequently to attend to its duties; and the active part I have taken on the question of extension would prevent me from accepting any office of profit in the city government.

I permitted my name to be inserted in the bill as a temporary Alderman because there was no pay attached to the position; I was necessarily familiar with the important questions to be acted on, and felt that I would be untrue to my fellow citizens were I to shirk the labor involved in carrying out the conditions which I had formulated in obedience to the instructions of South Greensboro and which had been so generously agreed to by the city.

My only motive in thus declining a nomination that has never been tendered, is to prevent the vital question of Extension being in any way complicated by the use of my name.

E. M. DOUGLAS.

### Death of Gen. Albert Pike.

General Albert Pike, one of the oldest and best known Masons in the world, died in his home in Washington City on yesterday. He was born in Boston, Mass., but moved to the Southwest early in life. At the outbreak of the war he took up arms and supported the cause of the South. He was a lawyer and journalist, and a great number of his works. He also he wrote the book "The Masonic Fraternity in the South," which was one of the best and most interesting works.

Take Notice: Live Long After for Goodness, Intelligence or Knowledge.

## DOUBLE-FOLD

Thirty-Six Inch Serge at Twelve and a Half Cents Per Yard.

New Gingham, New Satteens, New Chambrays, New White Cross Bar Muslin at 5c, 6c, 8c, 9c, 11c, 12c—Yes, any quality you want. Come and see if our prices do not

DISCOUNT ANY YOU HAVE BEFORE PURCHASED

Quality and Price considered.

## THOSE BOYS

Play marbles, and care very little how fast their stockings wear out, but it is quite an item of expense to the mothers to replenish and keep them in repair. Do you know that we can sell a seamless heavy thread

## BOYS' BLACK STOCKING

In all sizes at 10 cents per pair? Ask to see them.

## 50 Cents Will Buy

A FAST BLACK PARASOL AT OUR STORE.

## 75 Cents Will Buy

A BETTER ONE.

## \$1.00 Will Buy

A HALF SILK AND HALF WOOL ONE.

We can show the best value in parasols that it has ever before been our privilege to exhibit

OUR STOCK IS VERY COMPLETE AND OUR PRICES ARE VERY LOW.

## RAYMOND & POWELL,

National Bank Building, Greensboro.

## NEW MILLINERY

MRS. C. C. GORRELL & CO would announce to the Ladies that their stock of Spring Millinery and fancy goods is now complete and open for inspection.

STYLES AND PRICES GUARANTEED!!

## Millinery Opening.

Mrs. Omohundro & Co. will have their Spring Opening of Millinery on

Friday and Saturday,

including all of the Latest Styles in Hats and Flowers, Ribbons, &c., which the ladies are all respectfully invited to inspect and learn prices.

## MILLINERY

## OPENING

Saturday, March 28.

We invite the ladies of Greensboro and vicinity to call and see such of our goods as have been received.

They were bought from the best NEW YORK and Baltimore houses.

We paid Cash, and sell at 10 to 20 cent mark prices.

## CATOR & KEENE

Opp. P. O. Lampson's Old Stand.

## DOUGHTY

The masterful display of colors, the styles, the quality and the price, is all the plan to get the best of the best. Our goods are all of the best quality and our prices are all of the best. Come and see if our prices do not