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GOSSIP AND CHAT.

Prof. W. O. Garner is in Jacksonville Fla.

Ed Parham returned from Hot Springs last week.

Dr. Ross, the veterinary surgeon of our county, has moved to town.

Born, to Jno. Seaton and wife, of near No Time, a girl, last week.

John Huffstetler and will Irwin went to Atlanta Tuesday morning.

A. M. Heaton and family have moved from near Montvale to Ewing.

J. B. Waters returned Tuesday from a business trip to North Carolina.

Albert Simmons was able to be out Saturday after being sick for several weeks.

Mrs. Thos. Cowan was visiting her son, Drew. Summers, at Knoxville last week.

John McCulloch, of Ellejoy, attended the Athenian entertainment Monday night.

A fresh supply of Christmas candies at the City Bakery. Special prices to Sunday Schools.

Miss Annie Kelley, of Knoxville, was among the welcome visitors in Maryville last week.

Special Christmas services next Sunday morning at the M. E. church. All are cordially invited.

The friends of J. D. Moore were glad to see him on the streets Saturday after a six weeks illness.

H. M. Hooke has been compelled to keep his room at the Jackson House on account of sickness.

Deputy Sheriff Walker brought Tom Bryant in from the Cove, Tuesday, for disturbing a public assembly.

Samuel Rorex, one of the wealthiest farmers in our county, added his name to our list of readers last week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jo Raulston, at Knoxville, a girl, Friday night. Friends here extend congratulations.

Hon. Thos. N. Brown took a business trip to Ellejoy Tuesday. Rev. Coulter's little girls returned home with him.

Next week we will publish an obituary of James Gaines recently deceased. It is a tribute to his memory from the King's Sons.

Call on G. B. Ross for Candies, Nuts, Raisins, Apples and all kinds of confections and Groceries Tobacco and Cigars as cheap as any one.

Dave Costner, of Clover Hill, brought a drove of hogs to town Tuesday. They averaged 327 lbs. Most of them were seven months pigs.

A. W. Shield, one of the prosperous and genial citizens of Cades cove was in town Tuesday and as he always does every year, paid in advance for the TIMES. Mr. Shields received one of our premium plows last year for paying in advance. This year he takes the N. Y. Tribune for only 25 cents extra.

COTTON MILLS SOLD.

The Rockford Cotton Mills bought by a Stock Company.

For some time Messrs Greenlee and McElwee, of Athens, have had the Rockford Cotton Mills leased with the first chance as purchasers. This we learn they concluded to do and in company with other gentlemen have purchased the immense plant for \$31,500 and this important property will now be pushed for all there is in it. These men are practice men and of course as owners will have still greater success. We congratulate Rockford and the surrounding country on their good fortune.

Joseph Morton, father of Esq. Sillas Morton died last Friday, at his home on Neils creek, at the advanced age of 92. He has lived in this county all his life and is well known. The remains were brought to town and buried in Magnolia Cemetery.

Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs. John Webb gave a supper and party to the Jefferson county students of the College. There were fifteen present including Prof. and Mrs. Newman who are also from the same county. An enjoyable time was reported.

Miss Irene G. Crumley who has been teaching at Kasar, is visiting with her uncle Thos. Thompson, she expects to leave soon for her home in Arkansas. This young lady has won many friends in this county, who wish her success wherever she may be.

Wright Logan passed through town Tuesday with sixty of the finest hogs we have seen this year. He shipped them to Knoxville Wednesday where he received \$3.60 for them. This is considerably above the market price, which we understand has fallen to \$3.25.

We call attention to Porter Academy notice in another place. Mr. George Hafley is now at the head of this well known institution. Prof. J. M. Hall resigned on account of bad health. Mr. Hafley is well qualified and will make a success of the school.

Watches, Clocks, solid silverware, personal adornments in gold and sterling silver. Bric-a-brac and China ware, two assortments for the parlor and dining room. Numerous odd novelties selected specially for the Holiday trade, all these and more you will find at S. A. Patton's.

The morning mail comes an hour later than formerly. This is due to a change in schedule on the M. & N. G. R. R. in order to make through connections with the Cumberland Gap train. Both of these roads are controlled by the same company since the sale of the former.

Will Moore having sold his property on Indiana Ave, to his father, J. D. Moore has purchased Robt. McNutt's property on Depot St and will move this week. Calvin Moore, father of Rev. F. E. Moore, will move the first of the year into the property thus vacated.

D. L. Bryan has sold the Tipton farm, consisting of 500 acres, in the heart of Cades Cove, to A. W. Shields, D. B. Lawson and W. H. Oliver. The price paid was \$4000 which was cheap as this is one of the best farms in the county. There were over 400 bushels of apples in the orchard this year.

Dr. Fred Johnson and wife, of Pennsylvania, were visiting with S. T. Post Monday. They have been away from home for a month and have visited Atlanta and other southern cities. Mrs. Johnson nee Frankie Post, is a grand-daughter of S. T. Post and was formerly a student in Maryville College.

It was reported in town, Monday and we see by our Alleghany correspondent it is so, that a number of men were out on Abram's Creek looking at the Warner & Crudup Slate quarry and the rumor is that eastern capitalists are to take hold of this important industry at once. If they do this it means a great deal for Blount county as the supply is inexhaustible.

SHOT HIM DEAD.

Walter Kennedy Avenge His Father's Death in Texas.

Several years ago Wm. Kennedy, a son of Alex. Kennedy who died several months ago at his home near Rockford at the advanced age of 94, moved to Texas with his family and settled near Paris. He bought some land joining that of a man named Amos Wright. A dispute later arose over the dividing line between the farms. Kennedy had a civil engineer to survey it off. Kennedy and Wright were present when the dispute was decided, the surveyor locating the line several yards over on the ground claimed by Wright. When it was finished Kennedy was standing near by with his little son, Walter, then six years old. Wright came at him for a fight, but Kennedy only attempted to ward off his blows. Suddenly Wright drew from his pocket a bowie knife and plunged it into Kennedy's side. The blood spurting forth and Kennedy only lived a few minutes.

Before he died he called his son to his side and spoke to him, telling him what to do with his mother and little brother and sisters. The lad, though only six years old, took his father's hand and as the last spark of life left him said: "I'll be a man some day, father, and when I am I'll kill Amos Wright."

Nothing more was ever thought of the matter and eleven years had gone quietly by but the boy's resolution and promise to his dying father were still within him.

On the morning of the 7th of Dec. he went to the home of Wright and waited for him to come out. As the murderer of eleven years made his appearance, the young man raised his gun and shot him dead. After the tragedy the young man went to his grandfather's home and sent word to the sheriff what he had done.

The affair caused intense excitement but it is not thought that Kennedy will be punished, under the circumstances. The boy who did the killing is a grandson of Alex. Kennedy spoken of above and he has several aunts and uncles living in this county. The above facts were learned from a letter to relatives.

Having had 22 yrs. experience in the Jewellery business we feel capable of giving advice. Don't give high prices for inferior goods. When you want a good article—if its made of gold or silver we have it. Our goods can be relied on, and all we ask is "to live and let live." Tho' we don't propose to sell gold dollars for fifty cts.—Yours Truly, S. A. Patton.

The TIMES acknowledges the receipt of an invitation to the marriage of Rev. R. A. Bartlett to Miss Minnie Dobson, of Washington College, Tenn. The wedding was solemnized yesterday, the 18th. at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. N. Dobson. Rev. Bartlett is one of the young men, who graduated from Maryville College and has made a name that is both an honor to himself and his Alma Mater. He has a host of friends here who wish him and his excellent wife all the happiness possible. They will be at home to friends at Kingston, Ind., after Dec. 23. Rev. Bartlett is pastor of the First Presbyterian church at that place.

Tuesday Bud Godfrey, who is guarding the work-house prisoners, had trouble with John McClure, who was sent up on account of an assault committed on Albert George. McClure concluded he wouldn't do what he was told to, and deliberately sat down. Mr. Godfrey told him to go to work and McClure raised a pick and started at him whereupon Godfrey cocked his gun and told the negro to drop the pick and go to work, when he hesitated Godfrey shoved the gun up against the negro's side, then he concluded it was about time to move and move he did and that pretty lively. He made threats of what he would do, but he will hereafter be watched closer for his tantrum.

Maryville College

The Second term will open on Thursday, January 2, 1896.

Those who have been students in previous years need merely to be assured that the customary high standard of work will be maintained. Those who have not been students heretofore, may secure all needed information by addressing--The Registrar, Maryville College, Maryville, Tenn.

Selling at Cost?

No, we are not, you would not believe us if we told you so. We endeavor to make a small profit on everything we sell, but our prices are as low as the lowest. If you wish things especially nice for your Christmas dinner have us supply them. We handle only what is freshest, most toothsome in pies, cakes, cookies, and bread. We also have a nice line of candies and nuts.—City Bakery.

Christmas! Christmas! have you seen the display at Coning's?

The Fifth Sunday meeting of the Baptists for the western division of the county will be held at Ballard's Chapel, Dec. 27, 28 and 29th. 1895. That for the Eastern division will be held at Ellejoy at the same time. The introductory sermon for this division will be preached by Rev. James Saults. As usual questions of importance are on the program and their discussion should result in great good to the cause. All are invited to attend these meetings.

The following were licensed to wed since our last report: John D. Klepper and Bessie Lewis, Wm. Stinnett and Theresa Clemens, Lafayette Cupp and Laura Burchfield, Chas. L. Everett and Lula Wallace, Elijah Dunlap and Evaline Keeble, Alex. Heaton and Margaret Bryant, Joseph McNutt and Eva Anderson, Frank E. Moore and Jennie Walker, Jno. L. Hackney and Ariminta Duncan, Wm. B. Dunlap and Mollie May, Theodore Garrett and Esther Grindstaff, Nicholas Lyon and Elizabeth Franklin, Daniel Davis and Rhoda Compton.

Kin Takahashi, a native Japanese attending school at Maryville college, lectured yesterday afternoon in the city at the Y. M. C. A. parlors, on the "China-Japanese War, and Its Effects Upon Civilization." The house was well filled and the speaker talked for some time, handling his subject with great understanding and knowledge. A short history of the war was given. According to the speaker the objection on the part of China were that the Japanese were making efforts to civilize Korea and raise that country to a higher state of Christianity. A dispute followed and Chinese troops were dispatched to the scene of the trouble. The principle battles, the hardships of the troops and their humanity toward their enemies and the cruelties of the Chinese troops to the Japanese troops were fully brought out. The results of the war, its good in enlightening the nation as to the advantages of western civilization over Eastern were mentioned. It also opened more perfectly the way for Christianity. These same effects will be felt by China and she will see how much she has to learn. The speaker closed with the request that all pray for Japan.—Knoxville Tribune.

History of school building was

crowded out this week.

A notable wedding is to take place in our county this week. Miss Johnnie Rorax to W. M. Mull. The bride to be is the eldest daughter of one of our well to do farmers and the groom is the popular telegraph operator at Alleghany.

As we go to press this, Wednesday evening we learn that Miss Mary White and Mr. Ed Parham are to be married, after prayer-meeting, at the home of F. H. Lamson. Rev. J. A. Ruble is to perform the ceremony. The groom is next to the youngest son of W. T. Parham, our Woolen Mill man, and the bride is a half-sister of Attorney Lamson. Both are quite popular among the young people of our town.

If you want fine Queenware or dinner sets, go to Conings.

Dr. Warner being engaged in the revival services which is conducted at the Centenary M. E. church at Lexington, Ky., the pulpit of the First M. E. church of this city was filled last Sunday at both morning and evening services by Rev. P. M. Bartlett, D. D. of Maryville. He preached two very able sermons with which his congregations were delighted. In the forenoon his subject was "Lay not up for yourselves treasures on earth." He used as an illustration the mammoth safety deposit vault of New York which though perfectly safe melted in a destructive fire. In the evening he made "Faith" the subject of a very powerful discourse.—Knoxville Journal.

Tennessee is being disgraced by the gang at the head of her affairs. Chief Justice of the Supreme Court Snodgrass shot and wounded John R. Beasley, an attorney, at Chattanooga, Monday. The attorney had written a letter to the Times, of that place, and Snodgrass, accidentally meeting him, a few words were exchanged when the chief Justice pulled his pistol, which it seems he always carries, and shot at the lawyer twice, one shot striking him in the left arm, which he threw up for protection and the other imbedding itself in the ceiling. With Slugger Smith, Pop-gun Snodgrass and Secession Pete, we have a trio of worthies unmatched in any state. However we can't say we are very proud of them.

Toys, Toys, Toys, at Conings you will find toys, candy and everything in the Christmas line. Prices at the bottom.

Remember that I am still in line with Christmas Candies, Nuts and Confectionaries for the Holiday trade. I think I have the best stock in this line that I ever had, will sell as low as the lowest come and see, opposite the Court House.—G. A. Toole.