

RATES OF ADVERTISING. One Square one day... Rates for various durations and ad types.

OUTLINES.

A large fire in Glasgow yesterday. Connecticut delegation to Republican National Convention prefer Jewell for President. Davenport's testimony condemns Grant. The District Convention Friends of Temperance will meet at Statesville on the 25th.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. J. F. RUECKERT - Pianos and Organs. Notice Bellevue Cemetery Company. Munson & Co. - Talman suiting.

OUR CHURCHES TO-DAY.

Front Street M. E. Church (South), corner of Front and Walnut streets. Rev. J. E. Mann, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

SEVEN AND MARINE ITEMS.

The steamer Pastime is in below. The steamer J. S. Underhill has not yet left. The steamer Raleigh, Oliver, sailed from Baltimore, April 20th, for this port.

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OPERA HOUSE!

Tuesday Evening, April 25th. The Fairy Grotto! A BEAUTIFUL OPERETTA, IN FOUR ACTS, to be given by The German-American Institute.

THE COUNTRY.

Asheville Expositor: Parties in the neighborhood of Sugar Hill, Old Fort and Marion, report heavy and tremendous rumbling in the vicinity of Bald Mountain, a few days ago.

LOCAL NOTES.

Superior Court commences to-morrow. Rev. W. H. Banks, colored, will baptize a number of persons at the foot of Queen street to-day, at 4 P. M.

A URGENT INVENTION.

We examined a day or two since a new invention in the shape of a metallic lock box, for the reception of letters and papers. It is very neat and convenient, and is the very thing for subscribers who are in the habit of having their papers stolen.

THE BODY OF A COLORED MAN FOUND FLOATING IN THE RIVER - THE INQUEST.

The body of a colored man was found floating in the river, near the "Drum Tree," late Friday afternoon. The party who discovered it made the body fast to a stake when he came up to the city and notified Coroner Hewlett of the circumstance.

THE DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF PENDER COUNTY.

The committee met at Rocky Point Depot, on Saturday, 22nd April, according to previous notice. It was decided to hold a county convention of the Democratic-Conservative Party of Pender County, at Burgaw, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on Saturday, the 13th of May, for the purpose of more fully organizing the party and to select delegates to represent the county in the State Convention at Raleigh, 14th of June, and also delegates to attend the Congressional District Convention to nominate a candidate for Congress.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER AND DECREES of the Superior Court of the County of Brunswick, made on the 4th day of March, 1876, in the special proceeding pending in said Court in the case of William T. Walters, Richard Bradley, William B. Giles and others, vs. the Commissioner for that purpose appointed by said order, I will, on the 29th day of April, A. D. 1876, at the Court House, in the County of Brunswick, expose to sale, by public auction, the following described tract of LAND, situated in the county of Brunswick, on the eastern side of Eagle's Island, opposite to the city of Wilmington, and bounded as follows, to-wit: On the East by the Cape Fear River, on the South by a tract of land formerly belonging to the late James Green, and now, or lately, belonging to the heirs at law or devisees of the late Isaac Northrop, on the West by the Cape Fear River, and on the North by now or lately the property of William A. Berry, and formerly belonging to the late Thomas H. Wright, containing ONE HUNDRED ACRES, more or less. One-fifth of the purchase money to be paid in cash, and the residue in three equal instalments, payable at four, eight and twelve months respectively after the day of sale, at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, and to be secured by the promissory note of said note, the purchaser having the right to pay the same before maturity.

THE 99c. STORE.

WILL POSITIVELY CLOSE. AFTER A FEW WEEKS. All who wish to secure good, cheap bargains, should call early as this will be the last chance.