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Table with 2 columns: Rate, Amount. Rows include One Square One Day, Two Days, Three Days, Five Days, One Week, Two Weeks, Three Weeks, One Month, Two Months, Three Months, Six Months, One Year.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BROWN & RODDICK, No. 9 NORTH FRONT ST.

THE MAJORITY OF LADIES THAT COME IN our Store unhesitatingly say, without solicitation on our part, that we have the

PRETTIEST STOCK OF WHITE GOODS!

Choicest and Handsomest Line

HAMBURG, NAINSOOK

Swiss Embroideries

Gingams

DRESS GOODS

BROWN & RODDICK, Readers

HEDRICKS, WILL DISCOVER THERE A GREAT

WINTER DRY GOODS

WINTER DRESS GOODS

It Will Cost Nothing

Look at Our Stock!

MUNSON & CO., UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

MARSHALL HOUSE, SAVANNAH, GA.

Just Arrived

1,400 Bales Hay

ATKINSON & MANNING'S INSURANCE ROOMS

Bunch Beans

Acme Guano Distributor

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

The street cars were well patronized yesterday.

"Keep to the right," is the rule on the road, the sidewalk, and strict morality.

A ride to the Sound over the turnpike is delightful these beautiful moonlight nights.

Col. K. M. Murchison and family are in the city.

Capt. E. W. Manning made a shipment of asparagus to the Northern markets yesterday.

With \$500 appropriated for the improvement of sidewalks the residents of the eastern part of the city may hope to be remembered.

Rev. T. H. Pritchard, D. D., at the meeting of the Evangelical Alliance last night, stated that he had received information that his father was critically ill.

The steamer Delta which was damaged about her bow on her last trip from Point Casswell, has been repaired and will leave for Black River to-day at 1 p. m.

Some of the engineers of the baby carriage brigade are indignant because they will be no longer permitted to monopolize the sidewalks as heretofore.

There were a good many strangers in the city yesterday, and this one cause why our streets presented such a busy appearance through the greater part of the day.

Rev. F. W. E. Peschau preached three sermons last Sunday in three different languages.

Prof. Raff, who was here a few months since as organist of St. Thomas' Catholic church, is now in Newburgh, N. Y.

It would be a good idea to have a grand railroad picnic at an early date somewhere about halfway between this city and Fayetteville.

There were fifteen flats at Princess street dock yesterday morning.

St. Valentine's Day is approaching and the bookstore owners have secured a fine stock of valentines to supply the demand for that occasion.

Mr. J. W. King, formerly a salesman at Messrs. W. E. Springer & Co.'s hardware store in this city.

Advance sheets of the Pilot Chart for February, published by the Hydrographic office, have been received through the courtesy of Lieut. Francis H. Sherman, U. S. Navy.

Hardware dealers are shipping large invoices of farming implements into the country.

The Bennett family whose arrival in Wilmington several days since, on the way to Arkansas was mentioned in the STAR at the time.

Quite an improvement has been made in the sidewalk at St. Andrew's Church, on Fourth street.

The members of Brooklyn Baptist church will make an earnest effort to raise the necessary funds to pay off its present debt.

The physicians of the city have been kept more than busy for the last two or three weeks attending on the many cases of "la grippe" which has prevailed here.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

Only Seven Applicants For Positions in Government Service.

An examination of applicants for positions under the general government as departmental clerks and copyists, and clerks in the railway mail service, was held yesterday in the U. S. Court room over the Postoffice.

The examination was conducted by Mr. W. S. Washburn, special agent of the Civil Service Commission. It began at nine o'clock in the morning and was concluded about 4 p. m.

There were only seven applicants—all males and a majority colored. It is presumed that there would have been more applicants for positions, but no public announcement had been made that such an examination would be held.

The papers of the persons examined yesterday will be forwarded to the Central Board of Examiners at Washington, D. C., who will in due time inform the applicants of their standing.

Mr. Washburn left last night for Columbia, S. C. No more examinations will be held in this State until October next, and then only at Raleigh and Charlotte.

Pender County Jurors.

The Board of County Commissioners met at Burgaw yesterday. Present: J. T. Foy, chairman; H. A. Bland and A. C. Moore.

The following is the list of Jurors drawn for the March term of the Superior Court: T. E. King, R. E. Garris, D. W. Mott, Frank Malpass, J. L. Atkins, H. T. Corbett, W. B. Player, J. G. Mahn, G. W. Thigpen, K. F. Powers, E. S. Boney, C. W. Herling, A. E. Burton, G. W. Bonham, Hardy Fennell, Daniel Futrell, J. B. Davis, J. B. Scott, J. L. Atkinson, Wiley Moore, R. M. Croom, R. W. Rivenbark, Jesse Hansley, W. C. Croom, Samuel Newton, H. J. McMillan, J. B. Johnson, Robt. Nixon, Daniel Murphy, G. W. Murray, J. F. Lee, J. K. Sanders, A. J. Moore, W. J. Flynn, R. S. Moore, J. T. Player.

Church Improvements.

The seats in the First Presbyterian Church, which are hardly in keeping with the other internal arrangements of that elegant structure, are being removed to make room for others of a more comfortable and attractive pattern.

The contractors for the work state that they can do one-half the work in a week, so that only half the seats will be taken out this week, and these will be replaced by the new ones before Saturday night, so that there will be no obstacle to holding the regular service there next Sunday.

Next week the change will be effected complete, when the interior of the church will present a much more attractive appearance, besides furnishing really comfortable seats to the congregation.

EVANGELICAL ALLIANCE.

Devotional Meeting in St. Andrew's Church.

The Evangelical Alliance, at their last business meeting about the first of January, decided to hold a devotional meeting the first Tuesday in each month.

The first meeting of this kind was held last night in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Owing to the fact that by some mistake on the part of the one entrusted with the duty of giving the announcement to the papers this meeting was not generally known, and there was not so large an audience as there would doubtless have been had it been publicly announced through the press.

Rev. Mr. Primrose opened the meeting and after the singing of a hymn by the choir, announced that Rev. Dr. Pritchard would lead the meeting. The doctor in his usual forcible, clever, and feeling style made a short talk upon "The Work of the Holy Spirit."

The meeting was then opened with the request that the laymen present would take an active part in the meeting by talking or asking any questions pertinent to the subject.

Revs. Dr. Hoge, Messrs. Primrose and Peele, and Presiding Elder Swindell, made short talks that were very much felt and appreciated by the audience.

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FEBRUARY WEATHER.

Forecasts as Published by the U. S. Hydrographic Bureau.

"Stormy weather will prevail off the Atlantic coast of North America and Europe, especially off the American coast along the course of the Gulf Stream, and over the Atlantic to the northward of about 35° North latitude. Along the transatlantic routes fresh to strong gales, principally from the westward, will be encountered about once a week. Northerly winds will occur less frequently in the Gulf of Mexico, but will be of greater violence than earlier in the season. The NE. Trades will begin to extend further north. Icebergs and field ice will be encountered off Newfoundland and over the Grand Banks, possibly as far south as the 43rd parallel, between longitudes 48° and 52° W. Little fog will be met with on the Grand Banks."

The Newbern Journal publishes a letter received by Judge A. S. Seymour, (through the Collector of Customs at New York) from Port of Spain, Trinidad, as follows:

"The German bark, 'Peulan' arrived here from Wilmington, N. C., and her captain reports to the Consul that on the evening of the 24th of November last, while in latitude 27.40, longitude 69.40, the articled seaman, George Morton, of Onslow county N. C. was found missing on board.

The said seaman had been behaving in a strange manner for some days previous, making it appear as if he was not quite sound in his mind, and it is presumed that he must have fallen or jumped overboard without anybody noticing it.

George Morton having been an American citizen, I now beg to forward to you his trunk and note its contents. There are no wages due him, as he drew an advance when shipping at Wilmington, N. C.

The trunk is now, probably, with the Collector of Customs at New York.

The Telegraph Line to Southport Will Not be Sold.

The Board of Managers of the Produce Exchange, at their meeting held yesterday, passed resolutions expressive of their gratification at assurances which had been received from the Signal Bureau at Washington, that the Government telegraph line between Wilmington and Southport will not be sold to private parties, as had been intimated that it would be some time ago.

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WILMINGTON DISTRICT-FIRST ROUND QUARTERLY MEETINGS IN PART.

Carver's Creek Circuit, Carver's Creek, February 8 and 9.

Brunswick Circuit, Concord, February 15 and 16.

Brunswick Mission, Andrew's Chapel, February 17 and 18.

Waccamaw Circuit, Shiloh, February 20 and 21.

Whiteville Circuit, Whiteville, February 22 and 23.

F. D. SWINDELL, Presiding Elder.

ORIENT LODGE NO. 395, A. F. & A. M.

REGULAR MEETING THIS (WEDNESDAY) evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

Visiting Brethren cordially invited to attend. JOHN C. CHASE, Secy.

Great Reduction in Prices.

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For Florida, fair weather, variable winds, and stationary temperature, except in extreme western Florida, where it will be warmer.

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STAR OFFICE—Babbitt metal.

MASONIC—Meeting Orient Lodge.

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