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RATES OF ADVERTISING. One Square One Day, \$1.00. Two Days, \$1.75. Three Days, \$2.50. Four Days, \$3.00. One Week, \$6.00. Two Weeks, \$10.00. Three Weeks, \$12.00. One Month, \$18.00. Two Months, \$32.00. Three Months, \$45.00. Six Months, \$75.00. One Year, \$120.00.

OUTLINES.

Secretary Foster, in speaking of financial matters, said yesterday that in his opinion the government will be able to take care of all its obligations, and he did not expect that any condition of affairs would arise that would make it necessary for the government to touch the \$100,000,000 legal tender redemption fund in the U. S. Treasury.

Among the Italian steamer passengers prohibited from landing at New York a few days ago was one who carried a savage looking weapon, a cross between the stiletto and something else.

An Irish Judge was recently presented with a pair of white gloves in token that there wasn't a criminal before him for trial.

The new United States Minister, Mr. Nebeker, is very short. So is the Treasury.

There's money in fine stock. At a recent sale at the Belle Meade stud, in Tennessee, forty-three yearlings brought \$47,425.

There has been so much wet weather up in Minnesota, and so much water to wade through that children are being born web-footed.

A Chicago beauty set herself afire while smoking cigarettes in bed, and then she had a nice funeral. As a funeral provider the little cigarette is a success.

Justice Lamar is said to be breaking fast. He looks ten or fifteen years older than he did a few years ago, his long hair is white, and he has grown thin and stooped.

The negroes who from Texas, Mississippi and some other Southern States flocked to Oklahoma, have got sick of it and many of them are now appealing for help to get back to their old homes.

The Secretary of the Treasury has now three assistant secretaries. More assistants are needed now to help the Secretary to find something in the Treasury since Reed's Billion Dollar Congress got a whack at it.

The bill passed by the Legislature of Michigan providing for the election of Presidential electors by districts and two by the State at large, indicates that the Democrats propose to have their share of the electors.

A petrified woman has been found near Columbus, Ohio. She was dead. If Foraker had been buried about where that woman was found he might have been petrified, and would not be going around now booming Blaine and petrifying Harrison's strikers.

The stockholders in the Mount Carmel, Ill., air-ship say they have only one thing now to overcome to make it a howling success. At present the attraction of gravitation is what gives them trouble. Precisely. When they overcome this the ship will scoot up and scud along in glory.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted. The Mingert Mission Circle will have a picnic at Hilton to-day.

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A MOST PLEASANT OCCASION.

Arrival of the New Rector of St. Paul's Parish—Reception by His Parishioners Last Evening. Rev. Frederick N. Skinner, recently called to the rectorship of St. Paul's parish, in this city, accompanied by his wife, has arrived in this city, and will fill the pulpit of his new charge to-morrow (Sunday) morning.

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AN IMPORTANT GATHERING.

Meeting of the Board of Missions of the M. E. Church South—Ten Bishops of the Church to be Present. The meeting of the Board of Missions of the M. E. Church South to be held at Grace Church next week, will be in some respects the most important religious assemblage that has ever been convened in our city.

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THE TROTTING RACE.

Nearly half the town was out at the Fair grounds yesterday afternoon to see the trotting race between Mr. J. F. Sikes' horse "Pete" and Mr. J. F. Gause's well known fast trotter. The horses were driven by Mr. Gause and Mr. Sikes, and the race was won by the latter. Time 2:40 and 2:40; mile heats. The Judges were Capt. O. A. Wiggins, Mr. Wm. R. French, and Mr. J. F. Post Sr.

Many ladies and gentlemen were present and considerable interest was evinced by all in the race.

Cape Fear & Cincinnati Railroad. The Southport Leader says that last Monday, the Cape Fear & Yadin Valley Railway Company put on record at Southport, a mortgage on its entire property to secure bonds to the amount of \$9,000,000. The bonds will be first mortgage fifty years, five per cent; in favor of the Massachusetts Loan Company, of Boston, Mass.

The following gentlemen were among the arrivals in our city yesterday: F. T. Wills, Whiteville; Bruce Williams, Burgaw; Dave Jones, Fayetteville; E. L. Applegate, North Carolina; J. W. Gilliard, Charleston.

The Churches. St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets. Sunday services to-morrow at 11 a. m. Immediately afterwards an important congregational meeting will be held. Sabbath school at 4:00 p. m. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. The public cordially invited. Seats free.

First Presbyterian Church, corner Third and Orange streets. Rev. Peyton H. Hoge, D. D., Pastor. Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sabbath school at 4:30 p. m. Lecture Thursday night at 8 o'clock. The public cordially invited. Seats free.

Immanuel Church, corner Front and Queen streets. Rev. W. Mac, Miller, Pastor. Services Sunday morning. Services at 8:00 p. m. Sabbath school at 3:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8:00 o'clock. The public cordially invited. Seats free.

First Baptist Church, corner Fifth and Market sts., Rev. T. H. Pritchard, D. D., Pastor. Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday School at 8:30 p. m. Prayer and praise meeting Thursday night at 7:45. Strangers invited.

Grace Methodist Church, South, northeast corner Mulberry and Fourth streets. Rev. Walter S. Creasy, D. D., Pastor. Services to-morrow at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday School at 8:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting and Lecture Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Seats free. A cordial invitation is extended to strangers and visitors.

Bladen Street Methodist Church—Services to-morrow at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. R. Sawyer, pastor.

Second Advent Church, Elder J. P. King, Pastor. Services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m.

THE TRAINS. The mails close and arrive at the City Post Office as follows: CLOSE. For North and way stations—W & W R R. 8:15 a. m. For Charlotte and way stations—C & R R. 8:15 a. m. West. ... For Mt. Airy and way stations—C & F & V. 8:00 a. m. For Raleigh. ... For Wrightsville. ... For Clinton, Magnolia and Goldsboro. ... For Charlotte, Magnolia and Goldsboro. ... For points South—W & C & A R R. ... For North—Train No. 92. ... For South—W & C & A R R—Train No. 27. ... For North—W & R R R—Train No. 14. ... For Brunswick County and Little River, S. C. ... Tuesdays and Fridays. ... For Cape Fear River Tuesdays and Fridays 1:00 p. m. For Onslow County Mondays and Fridays 6:30 a. m. MAILS READY FOR DELIVERY (WHEN THE TRAINS ARE ON TIME).

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