

WEEKLY PROGRESS. BY J. L. PENNINGTON.

Rates of Advertising in the Weekly Progress. The following are the only Rates of Advertising in the Weekly Progress, to all save those who contract by the year and advertise in both weekly and daily papers:

FRIDAY MORNING APRIL 6, 1860.

Telegraphic Line to Newborn.

The subject of a telegraphic line between Goldsboro and Newborn, is engaging the attention of our citizens. There are so many reasons why this line should be established, that it is hard to find room for one of a contrary import.

Our friends below--or at least the people of Newborn say, we undertake to say it for them--will do their part. We have time and again urged this matter as an imperative necessity, and have only looked upon it as a question of time, feeling confident that this needed improvement would be made.

OBITUARIES.--We publish simple announcements of deaths and marriages without charge, but when they are extended beyond the simple announcement, say 6 lines, we charge 50 cents for every 12 lines.

Two men lately made a balloon ascension from Savannah, Ga. and after reaching an altitude of 21,000 feet attempted to descend. They came down on Calaboga Sound, and the balloon struck with such violence that their ballast and provisions were lost.

COMMITTED TO JAIL.--A very bad looking specimen of humanity, calling himself Horace Walcott, who has been prowling about town for the last three or four days, professing the power of conjuration, divination, or the possession of a supernatural art of finding things that are lost, was taken up by the sheriff yesterday, and taken before our Mayor under the vagrant act, and upon examination, in default of surety, was committed to jail to await the action of His Honor and the jury.

Another excitement in Boston. BOSTON, April 4.--F. B. Sanborn was arrested last night at Concord, by Federal officers, under a requisition of the Senate Committee. The arrest created much excitement. Sanborn at first refused to accompany the officers. He was then handcuffed and taken to a carriage, struggling violently all the time.

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Speculations about the Nomination.

There seems to be nothing at Washington now but wire pulling for the Presidential nomination. A correspondent of the Charleston Mercury thus discourses on the Douglas programme:

The plot thickens in many folds, and the truth is difficult to obtain. The city is a babel of full blown politicians, with editors, with delegates, and with men bearing no denominative classification except that which is given to them by the newspapers.

THE NEW MS. BIBLE FROM MOUNT SINAI.--The new MS. Bible discovered by Prof. Tischendorf in the library of the monastery on Mount Sinai, is to be printed in St. Petersburg with great magnificence, under his care and at the cost of the Imperial Government.

Prof. Tischendorf has already filled ten folio volumes with Bible documents, and may be presumed to know as much about the correct version of the Bible as anybody.

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Political Literature.

The following which we find in the Register is a fair specimen we presume of the political literature with which the State is to be flooded and the people gorged by political writers and the political press during the coming season.

From the Charlotte Democrat. THAT NOMINATION. Immediately on hearing of Mr. Fox's nomination by the Opposition Convention at Raleigh, we concluded that nothing but the genius of the poet could do justice to the subject, and we therefore invoked the muse to sing of a matter long.

Great was the day and great the hour When Raleigh saw the patriot meet, To plan for office, place and power, And gauge the public mind by vote.

But now they meet--how wondrous kind!-- How wondrous kind!-- How wondrous kind!-- How wondrous kind!--

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A New Church.

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