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SIXES AND SEVENS.

I know that her size is "sixes"-

The spending your money fixes

A fact of this kind the more.

She knows my size is "seven"-

So both of us live our days

In a blooming, glovable heaven

Hands may be won by gloving-

Buttons may close our lives-

Gloves without "G" mean loving-

Pairs are husbands and wives.

Gloves hold the reins of life-

Sixes and sevens are holding

Sway over man and wife.

Gloves 'round the waist are folding-

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Assistant Secretary Fairchild-Pos-

"Home Rule" Again Ignored.

tal Convention with Mexico-Ex-

tradition Treaty with Russia-

WASHINGTON, April 2, 1887 The appointment of Assistant Sec-

Treasury is a well-merited promotion,

and opinion is united in the expres-

sion that, under all the circumstances.

the selection is wisely made. His al-

ready acquired familiarity with the

duties of the position, and the ability

he has displayed while serving as act-

ing Secretary during the long absence

of Mr. Manning, give assurance that

under his management as the respon-

sible head of the Treasury Depart-

ment, these great interests will be in

competent hands. Great satisfaction

is expressed by the employes of that

Department, who feared that the ap-

pointment of an outside man would

mean the inauguration of a new policy,

by which the security of their positions

would be endangered. A feeling of

are devoutly thankful. Secretary Fairchild will devote himself-not to

a distribution of the spoils—but to a

wise administration of the important

duties which he now assumes. His

chief ambition will be to so direct the

affairs of his Department as to justify

the confidence expressed in his ap-

pointment, and to win the approval of

the business community. The new

Secretary, like the President, admit-

ting their excellent qualities, and they

are many-is the product of that lucky

chance and good fortune to which

many men can attribute their risc.

Two years ago he was not known out-

side of his own State. Upon the ad-

vent of the present administration he

co under which letter postage to and

from Mexico and the United States

will be reduced from five to two cents.

Our commercial relations are growing

to such extent, as evidenced in the

largely increased quantity of mail mat-

ter that passes between the two coun-

reduction in postal rates becomes a

necessary concession to the business

interests of both. The great increase

in consular fees collected on imports

from that country into the United

States, is a further evidence of the

growth of our mutual intercourse.

It is expected that the results of the

postal convention will promote the

commercial exchanges between the

An extradition treaty between the

United States and Russia has just been

agreed upon, and will be taken to

Russia for the signature of the Czar.

It covers the usual crimes and offen-

ces, but is in advance of any interna-

tional compact in the political offences

covered by the treaty. If it be made

to appear that extradition is sought

with a view to try or punish the per-

son demanded for the offence of a polit

ical character, the surrender shall

not take place; nor shall any person

surrendered be tried or punished for

any political offence committed previ-

iously to his extradition, nor for any

offence other than that for which the

surrender was made. The willful or

negligent killing of the sovereign

or chief magistrate of the State shall

not be considered an offence of a poli-

The Government receipts for March exceeded \$34,000,000, a larger amount

than during any previous month for several years. The public debt reduc-

tion for the month is about \$12,000,-

ery, of Michigan, late Commissioner of Patents, as a Justice on the Dis-

trict Supreme bench, is another disap-

would be selected. In this as in

mendations were ignored.

two countries,

tical character.

is equally apparent to all.

Of sixes and sevens grays.

I'd purchased her gloves before.

All announcements and recomendations of candites for office, will be charged as advertisements. Advertiser ents to follow reading matter, or to cupy any special place, will not be received. Amusement, and Official advertisements 50 cts per

uare for each insertion. Advertisements kept under the head of "New vertisements" will be charged fifty per cent, extra. Payments for transient advertisements must be

Remitances must be made by Check, Draft. Postal oney Order, Express, or in Registered Letter. nly such remittances will be at the risk of the pub-

Under the head of "Special City Items," business tices will be inserted at the rate of 5 cents a line r every insertion.

THE RAILROADS.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS.

RICHMOND AND DANVILLE RAILROAD. rrives from Richmond at..... 9.43 am 10.32 p m eaves for Richmond at..... 8.32 a m NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD. rrives from Charlotte at...... 8.22 a m eaves for Charlotte at...... 9.48 a m

arrives from Goldsboro at..... 9.30 p m eaves for Goldsboro at...... 9.50 a m 6.00 a m 10.20 p m NORTH-WESTERN N. C. RAILROAD Arrives from Salem at...... 8.00 a m

C. F. AND Y. V. RAILROAD. Arrives from Fayetteville at..... 6.15 p m THE POSTOFFICE.

Leaves for Salem at..... 10.00 a'm

Mails for the North close at 8.00 a. m. and 9.00 p.m Charlotte Raleigh 9.00 Salem

Fayetteville " 9.00 The money order and registered letter office will only be open from 9.00 a. m. to 6 p. m. General Delivery is open from 7 a.m. until 8 p. m. except when epening mails. Also, half hour after

opening the Southern night mail. Sunday hours, for general delivery, 8.00 a. m. for half hour; and half hour after the opening of the mails from both North and South.

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Rev. W. R. Gwaltney, S. Elm St., South Greensboro Methodist Episcopal. Rev. J. E. Mann, W. Market St.

Methodist Protestant: Rev. J. L. Michaux, N. Greene St.

" J. R. Ball, Spring St. Episcopal:

" G. F. Smith, S. Greensboro.

Rev. A. H. Stubbs, N. Elm St.

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Coffee-Rio..... 19 2-3810

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DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO, AND OF THE STATE.

GREENSBORO, N. C. SUNDAY, APRIL 3, 1887.

Reduction of the National Debt.

WASHINGTON, April 1.- The reduction in the public debt during March amounted \$2,808,467, and for the first nine months of the present fiscal year \$70.912,824. The National debt today less cash in the Treasury is \$1,-318,223.358. The net cash in the Treasury to-day is \$21,859.983. or about three million more than on March the 1st. In July 1st, some months ago, the interest bearing debt outstanding amounted to \$1,210,637,-612. To-day the amount outstanding is \$1,102,571,112, of these present bonds there were outstanding in July 1, 1886, \$144,046,600 and to-day there is but \$35,973,550 outstanding. The gold coin and gold bullion found balance in the Treasury to-day is \$181,-939,837, or nearly seven millions more than in March 1st. The silver fund balance has decreased about seven millions during the past month and now amounts to \$74,521,741. retary Fairchild to be Secretary of the

now amount to \$201,672,372, or about three-and-a-half million more than on March 1st. Custom receipts during March aggregated \$20.544.337, nearly two and a-half million more than during March 1886, and internal revenue receipts \$9,255,208, a quarter of a million less than during March 1886, The total receipts from all sources during March amounted to \$33,358, 165, or three and a quarter million more than in March 1886. Expenditures for March past were \$21,617,371 against \$13,984.675 in March a year ago. Customs receipts for the nine months of the current fiscal year were \$153.794.396, or nearly twenty millions more than the corresponding safety now prevails, for which they period of the preceding year.

Revenue receipts were \$82,951,734 or about one-half a million, less than for the preceding fiscal year. From all sources the receipts for the nine months have been \$272,721,022, or about twenty-five millions more than for the nine months of the preceding year. On the other hand the expenditures for the nine months past have been \$212,986,075. or about twentyfive and-a-half million more than for the first nine months of the preceding

Bomb.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.-Dr. Jasbecomes Assistant Secretary of the Hodges was arraigned here yesterday. Treasury, and upon the retirement of charged with exploding a bomb in the Mr. Manning, on account of ill health, Grand Opera House on the night of he becomes head of our financial af- February oth, during the performance fairs; the most important branch of of Mile. Patti. Hodges when placed the government, a position of national on the stand, gave his testimony freely, and said that he had gone to distinction. That he has developed decided ability and that he possesses the Opera House with the intention great personal worth cannot be ques- of taking his own life while Patti was tioned. That he is a very lucky man singing, so that he could be her page in the spirit land. He was found A postal convention has just been guilty of assault with intent to comconcluded with the Republic of Meximit murder.

Satisfactory, But Time Asked.

RICHMOND, Va., April 1.-Gov. Lee received the following cablegram

allowed for due examination and discussion of the question. Would the Legislature suspend and re-assemble after, say thirty days, to receive re-port of committee, or will your committee have power to sit after this Legislature dissolves and report to the next Legislature? If the deliberations were limited to the present sitting of the Legislature, the few days after arrival in Virginia would be altogether insufficient. It would be better under such circumstances to postpone the commission until au-

Gov. Lee has forwarded the cablegram to the Legislature and recommended a recess of thirty days.

Will Assume Charge To-Day

WASHINGTON, March 31 .- The newly appointed Third Assistant Postmaster General, Henry R. Harris, of Georgia to-day took the oath of office and will assume active charge of the office to-morrow.

Snow and Lightning in Virginia.

pointment to the people of Washing- stroyed. It was the most terrib ton, who hoped that a district man storm ever known in that section. other cases, their wishes and recom-

is still falling rapidly.

will be in Greenwood Cemetery, awhile a more rational view of life

Brooklyn. Mr. Saxe died at the residence of his only son, Mr. Charles Saxe, a wellknown Albany lumber merchant, on State street. He had been practical-ly a recluse for the past ten years, the many family bereavments which he suffered undermining his reason to some degree.

STATE NEWS.

The Trustees of Trin:ty College meet next Tuesday to elect a President and to inaugurate a plan for the endowment. Let every Methodist in the State determine beforehand to stand squarely by the man they elect. whoever he may be .- Raleigh Advocate.

There are fewer cases of measles than there were a week or two ago. The raw material is nearly all used up, and the patients are all getting well. There were nine cases in one family in town. -Mr. Y. L. Pickett brought an egg in a bottle to the Dispatch office last Monday. It was one of the most curious specimens of hen fruit we ever saw. It was nine inches long and was without a shell.—Davidson Dispatch,

Monroe Hill, about 19 years old, son of James Hill, of Stoneville township, died on last Tuesday. We are sorry to hear that Miss Florence Rims, near Reidsville, fell from a wagon last Thursday and was badly hurt .--- A gentleman who was in Wentworth on Monday told us that hailsstones fell there as large as guinea eggs. We had a slight hail here on that day, followed by very cold weather on Tuesday .--- A farmer was surprised a few days ago after complaining to a warehouseman of the low price his tobacco had brought on the market, the warehouseman being the purchaser, to see the latter gentleman dispose of it at a heavy loss, to a leaf dealer.-Leaksville Echo.

Prof. Baker, the weather prophet who, one month ago, published his rediction for snow on April 1st, came into town vesterday, smiling from ear to ear. The success of his prediction removes all doubts as to his reliability as a weather prophet, and his forecasts will hereafter be looked for with more interest than ever .- - Mr. John W. McWhirter yesterday went out of the liquor business, and will enter the ranks of cotton buyers .- Five hundred and sixty-one names have been signed to the petition calling for a prohillion election in Charlotte next July,-Charlotte Chronicle.

Mr. Wesley Frazier, living eight miles East of this place, was in the city yesterday and had with him his eight year old son. The boy's remarkable development attracted general attention. He was weighed by some of our citizens and found to tip the beam at 121 pounds. Who can beat him? Trot out your fat boys. --- Some mischievous boy climbed up in the Moravain church belfry last night and veiled the face of the old steeple clock. We look upon this as a pretty big risk for the amount of fun to be obtained especially when we consider that it would not be wise for the boy to let the world know who was the hero of the occasion .- Twin-City Daily,

LIFE.

[Written for the News.]

"Life in its very essence is transition." Look on the stream of our lives

with a careless glance and how calm it seems to glide—happiness like a shimmering golden sunbeam seems broken in fragments and showered upon the mirror-like bosom of life's great stream. Some lives are very beautiful; and, we look on with pleased eyes and deem the recipients fortunate; it is not always that they have realized their ideal, but they have idealized the stern realities of life. From the chain of idealisms they have separated youth's dreams and glories, and in their stead they have added a beautiful link to the chain of realistics; perhaps it may have been that some child of disappointment in another life has been lightened by some noble effort, to give strength to a wavering faltering

All things connected with this existence of ours which we name life, are so transitory and alternating, we have our sunshine and our storms; often we are disappointed for the pleasing things for which we eagerly | ing said improvements. stretch forth our hands, evade us ere we can grasp them; leaving only the mocking shadows of the "might have town at heart, to do all in my power

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is taken; experience enables one to

successfully separate that which really exists from that which a fanciful visionary brain has pictured. Becoming more practical we give less time to retrospection or castle building, but we give more time to introspection and we realize that to attain we must strive to accomplish that which renders life really pleasing, satisfying; we must be brave, strong and patient. To achieve that daily life of self which will beautify the life and prove conducive to the hap-piness of those dear to us we must ourselves bear cheerfully and faithfully life as it comes to us each day. That we may successfully and happily tread the waves and billows of "Life's untraversed Ocean," and en-joy life "in the full meaning of that MRs. C. D. V.

NO PAY NO CANDIDATE.

GREANSBURRER, April 2, 1887.

Say, Mr. Editur, praps yew wun't mind of yew let a umbel citisen from Mcadoo's medder say a few words in yewer paper about the 'lection, i hear as how the minority is goin' to have a show on the new board of commishoners, and as i was one of the crowd what voted agin the bons and bein in the minority i teel kind o' interested to know wich of us 21 citisens it is a goin to be as will git the posish if their is any sallery or anything to be made outen it i want you not to forgit my name when yew put up a ticket but if there aint nothin in it yew can take enny one of the tother twenty and i'll wurk furthe ticket all the same nothin meen bout me only i incist pon us 21 havin a representashun,

yewrs in the minority. JOE KEEN.

TO THE VOTERS IN GREENSBORO.

For the Morning News.

To arrive at a fair expression of the choice of the voters for Mayor and Commissioners of Greensboro, the following plan has been adopted:

The voters of the First Ward will prepare a secret ballot for a Mayor and three Commissioners and deposit the same with William H. McCormick at the Register's office in the court house, any time between Monday morning at 10 o'clock, April 4th, and Monday at 12 o'clock noon April 11th. The three commissioners must be residents of the Ward, and the candidate for Mayor may be selected from any Ward in the city.

Mr. McCormick will place the ballots in a sealed box, and enter upon a list the name of each person voting. and be satisfied that such person is a qualified voter, or may become so before the election. Monday afternoon at 4 p. m. the box will be opened in the presence of citizens of the Ward, and the votes counted.

The voters of the Second Ward will vote under the same regulations and restrictions, at the store of R. A. Flemming & Co. where Mr. McLean will attend.

The voters of the Third Ward will

deposit their ballots, under the same regulations and restrictions, at the store of E. M. Caldcleugh & Bro., where Robert Caldeleugh will attend to the box.

The voters of the Fourth Ward will deposit their ballots, under the same regulations and restrictions, at THE MORNING NEWS office, under the Benbow Hall, where Wade Hampton will attend to the list.

is the feeling of the citizen about who should serve as city officers, during the next 12 months.

MANY CITIZENS.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

Editor Morning News:-As the time approaches for us to select a set of Commissioners and Mayor for Greensboro, I desire to say a word or two concerning our present incum-bent, R. R. King. I don't wish it understood that I champion the cause of Mr. King, from any personal mo-tives or the friendship I bear him, but from a business stand point pure-

Mr. King has been the moving spirit in organizing and bringing about a system of improvements in the present affairs of our city, and having made himself thoroughly familiar with all the intricacies attend-I think it no more than my duty as

Lynchburg, Va., March 31.—A thunder and hail and snow storm prevailed in Tazewell County, yesterday. Hailstones an inch in circumference fell and the lightning was terrific. Many telegraph poles on the line of the Norfolk and Western Railford were split to pieces, and several instruments in telegraph and telephone offices along the route were destroyed. It was the most terrible astorm ever known in that section.

Staunton, March 31.—Snow has of the line of the denth of three inches and the number of the stream of t other lives, all is cheer, brightness and encouragement. Here you see that great aspirations have been identical with the first conscious outlook upon the great stream of life and its

NATES OF ADVERTISING ! Four Days Two Weeks 3 00 Three Weeks..... One Month Advertisements taken at proportic Ten lives solid Nonparell type make one square.

BRIEF EDITORIALS.

Herr Most, the anarchist, was released from prison the 1st instant. Now for a big time agonizing and agitating.

Ex-Secretary Manning, now in England, it is learned, is worse off than ever, in health. The voyage was a very rough one, and it had a disastrous effect upon him. The worst is

The Legislature of New York have been agonizing over a bill known as high license, to be confined to New York City and Brooklyn. It is probable that Gov. Hill will veto the bill because it is partial in its operation.

Another horror is engaging the attention of the public press. Some weeks ago the sealing steamer Eagle, with 300 men on board, was seen off Funk's Island, near New Foundland, on March 11, since which time nothing has been heard of her, but a wreck was seen which makes it certain that she was shipwrecked and all on board must have perished. The men were nearly all young or not more than middle aged, and leave families who depended upon their wages for subsiste ence. There is mourning and great suffering in New Foundland in conse-

Prest. Robert Garret has gone to Birmingham, Ala., accompanied by noted capitalists, and the quid nuncs think something big is to be done, by way of extending the B. and O. Railroad from Clinton Forge, Va., via Asheville, N. C., to Dalton, Ga. thence to Cartersville and through to Springville, Ala., but they are, as yet,

CITY ITEMS.

Wanted,

A good Cook. Must come well recommended. W. R. BURGESS, at Odell's Hardware Store,

Tuberose Bulbs.

In quantities to suit purchases, Will bloom this season. Very cheap at, GEORGE J. STARR'S,

Ayer's Sarsaparilla was the first successful blood medicine ever offered to the public. This preparation is still held in the highest public estimation both at home and abroad. Its miraculous cures and immense sales show this. Ask your druggist for it.

TOILET ARTICLES.

Imported Tooth, Nail, Hair and other Brushes. Fine Toilet Soaps, Exquisite Perlumes, Toilet waters, &c., at PORTER & TATE'S.

VEAL CALVES WANTED. From one to 50 Calves wanted, if fat, and in first-class Veal order. M31 3t J. R. HUGHES,

A gentleman doing a successful business and wishing to extend the same desires to secure the loan of \$1,000, or \$2,000. Will pay a handsome per

In this way can be ascertained what BATTLE SKETCHES.

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25 Anniversary of the Great Battles and Campaigns of the Civil War.

The Quarter-Centennial of all the Engagements and Campaigns of the battle year 1862, will occur during

Greensboro North State. GREENSBORO, N. C.

Will publish a sketch of each important battle and campaign of the civil war during 1862, beginning with the engagement between the MERRIMAC and MONITOR, fought March 9, 1862, and the battle of PEA RIDGE fought March 7th and 8th, 1862. These will be followed at proper dates with Shiloh, the Peninsular Campaign, including Cold Harbor, June 28, 1862.

STONEWALL JACKSON'S Campaign against Banks, Milroy and Fremont. THE SEVEN DAYS BEFORE

statistical record of the great civil

The sketches will be handsomely illus trated, and all combined will make a

to their interests. New inventions patented. Old inven-

The peaches are not killed. On the Preliminary information cheerfully furnished.

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The peaches are not killed. On the high ridge at Waughtown and vicinity the crop is not destroyed. Fears are entertained however, that the fruit may drop off before maturity. This is said to have been the coldest March D. C.

The peaches are not killed. On the waried transitions; its complicated turnings, its intricate windings. All the crop is not destroyed. Fears are entertained however, that the fruit this afternoon. He peaches are not killed. On the waried transitions; its complicated turnings, its intricate windings. All things are deemed attainable; no patience is felt with the commonplace; aside all differences of political opinions, when the best interests of our in eleven years.—Salem Press.

Taked, and all combined will make a base systematically inaugurated. ALBANY, N. Y., March 31.—John don't think, politically, as Mr. King does, but am willing to lay may drop off before maturity. This is said to have been the coldest March in eleven years.—Salem Press.

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THE LATEST NEWS.

The store of standard silver dollars

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LONDON, April 1.—" Your cable of the 31st is satisfactory. It is essen-tial, however, that sufficient time be

BONVERIE.

Beath of John G. Saze.

splendid word."