

CAROLINA NEWS.

A meeting was held in Charlotte Tuesday evening at which a league organization was perfected...

The fishing industry of North Carolina yields an annual product worth over \$1,000,000 at no cost to the state...

We regret to chronicle the death on Sunday night of two of Cherokee's most prominent and highly respected citizens...

At Friday's session of the Lutheran synod at Winston a report from the directors of Elizabeth college at Charlotte was submitted...

A very amusing runaway occurred this morning at the A. and N. C. depot. A mule hitched to a cart loaded with hogs...

Lookout for the eclipse of the sun next Monday. It will be total and clearly visible from any part of the state...

Acting on orders from Dr. W. D. McMillan, county superintendent of health, Jailor G. W. Mills this morning carried S. T. Shiver...

CATARRH CANNOT BE CURED. WITH LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease...

The New Reporter. "Here," said the city editor to the new reporter, "in describing this shooting affray you say 'the bullet entered Ferguson's body at the corner of the courthouse...'"

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"Oh, yes," replied the young man just out of college, "I see, now you mention it, that it will be done better."

"The bullet struck Ferguson near the throat and glanced, taking a downward course and coming out just below the right shoulder blade at the courthouse corner..."

California redwood contains practically no resin, but a large amount of water, which makes the green wood so exceedingly heavy that often the lower log of a tree will sink in water.

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