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"Ours are the plans of fair delightful peace, Unwarped by party rage to live like brothers."

RALEIGH, N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING, OCT. 23, 1858.

THE FAIR.

We have eschewed politics in our editorial columns to-day, as we have been more agreeably engaged at the Fair, looking at the many curious and attractive sights, "foregathering" with old acquaintances, making new ones, &c., &c. The Fair, we are glad to say, has been a most decided success in every way. The crowd in attendance was larger than any heretofore assembled on such an occasion, and the articles upon exhibition well calculated to remunerate the trouble and expense encountered by the throng from every part of the State.

The weather was oppressively hot, and the dust very annoying, but it was not only faced manfully but *womanfully*, for a collection of beauty was to be seen on the grounds every day which could not be surpassed in any part of the country, North, South, East or West.

In another part of the paper will be found a report of the proceedings, &c.

"THERE'S NOTHING LIKE LEATHER."

We are indebted to Mr. R. F. Simonton, of Statesville, for the half of a side of Sole Leather, which took a special premium at the Fair, and the whole of which he divided between our neighbors of the *Standard* and ourself. This Leather has been in tan for 26 months, and has been tanned in the old way—exclusively with Oak Bark. Mr. S. expects upon the next exhibition to outdo what he has done in this useful department of industry. He also took the premium on Harness Leather.

THE AFFRAY AT NASHVILLE.

ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.—The Nashville Union has the particulars of the affray on the Fair grounds at that city. We quote:

"It appears that a feud of a very bitter nature had for some time existed between John, James and Sandy Owen, sons of Everett Owen, of Williamson county, and] Sam. and George W. Cowan, sons of Mr. Owen's wife by a former husband.—Sam. Cowan met James Owen, who had his wife leaning upon his arm, at the Fair, and spit in his face. Shortly afterwards James and Sandy Owen met Sam Cowan on the promenade, back of the upper seats, when Sandy Owan commenced an attack upon Cowan with a stick Cowan then drew a pistol and shot S. Owen through the heart, killing him instant, by and simultaneously the friends of the parties interfered, making a vigorous and fearful use of sticks. During the melee that ensued four or five, perhaps six, additional shots were fired.

James Owen, was shot in the left side immediately above the hip, and also in the right thigh. The first wound is very dangerous one and fears are entertained that it may prove fatal. Sam. Cowan is badly wounded in the head. Gen Battle and several others who interfered were slightly injured.

The Government of Great Britain has actually chartered a company, endowed, it is said, with a capital sufficient to construct a continuous line of railroad from Halifax to the Pacific ocean, and, while we have been satisfying ourselves with the assured conviction that the territory of the British possession is too cold and sterile to admit of a work so gigantic, the English have been quietly surveying a railroad route through this very country, and Professor Palliser, who for more than two years has been engaged in the survey, does not hesitate to report that the face and configuration of British America is "eminently adapted for railroad purposes."

SHOOTING AFFRAY IN A CHURCH—ESCAPE OF THE PASTOR.—About 8 o'clock last evening a Frenchman named L. Beerier, entered the Methodist chuch in Thirty-fourth street, near Eighth avenue, and after sitting for a short time in a pew directly in front of the pulpit, he was seen to take a pistol from his pocket and aim it at the pastor, the Rev. J. M. Crawford, and instantly discharged one of the barrels. It proved to be loaded with ball, which lodged in the wall directly beside Mr. Crawford, coming within a short distance of hitting him, which, had it been a little more to the right, would undoubtedly have killed him on the spot. The congregation were instantly thrown into a great state of excitement, and for a time it was feared Mr. Crawford had been shot. Beerier was immediately secured by several gentlemen and handed over to the Twentieth ward police On being conveyed to the station house he stated as a reason for so doing, that Mr. Crawford had insulted him in a sermon dilivered in the morning. From all appearance Beerier is evidently insane.—*New York Herald.*

THE GREAT EASTERN.—The London Daily News of Sept. 21, says that a "new company is to be formed to be called "The Great Steamship company (limited)" with a capital of £330,000, in shares of £1 each. The sum, it is calculated, is sufficient to fit the vessel for sea, and it is proposed that at present she should be employed in voyages between this country and America. It is presumed that the vessel, when finished, will be enabled, to make eight voyages within the year to Portland or New York, and that, according to statistics of existing traffic, the earnings of the ship, after deducting insurance, wear and tear, and every possible contingency, will leave a balance from which a dividend can be declared of 15 per cent."

AN UNEXPECTED FORTUNE.—It is stated that a surviving daughter of Aaron Burr comes curiously into possession of quite a fortune in this way: Burr held a lease from Trinity church of the Richmond Hill property, three or four hundred lots in the centre of New York, for 66 years. He re-leased the land for 63 years to Astor and others, and their lease expires in 1860. The lease for three years then belongs to Burr's daughter, and the claim is indisputable and the value of the lease very great. Already several of the lessees have compromised the claim for from $1,500 to $2,000 per lot.

PICKING UP THE WOUNDED.—Hon. J. Glancy Jones, it is reported, has been appointed Minister to Austria.

STATE NEWS.

RAILROAD CELEBRATION AT STATESVILLE.—On Thursday, the 14th inst, the Celebration of the completion of the Western North Carolina Railroad, to Statesville, took place in that town; and from all the accounts we have seen, we judge it must have been an affair worthy of the occasion. There was a very large number of visitors present, probably some 10,000, together with four military companies, exclusive of the military of Statesville. The military companies which took part in the ceremonies of the occasion, were the Iredell Blues, of Statesville, Capt. Simonton; the Orange Guards, of Hillsboro', Capt. Jones; the Hornet's Nest Rifles, Capt Price, from Charlotte, and the Rowan Rifle Guards, Capt. Robards, and the Rowan Artillery, Capt. Darby, of Salisbury; besides the Iredell Cadets, under command of their teacher, Mr Andrews.

The orators of the day were Ex-Gov. Morehead and Gen. Young, of Charlotte. The dinner was magnificent, and prepared in such abundance that it is said the immense crowd present could consume scarcely half of it. Everything passed off pleasantly; and at night the company reluctantly separated, everybody being deeply and gratefully impressed with the whole-souled hospitality of the generous citizens of Iredell.

AMERICAN CROMWELLS.—The Crowell family of North Carolina and Georgia, are said to be descended from two brothers of Oliver Cromwell, who fled from England after the restoration, having dropped the m from their name to avoid the persecution of the Stewarts.—*N. O. Bulletin.*

MURDER.—The Grayson (Va.) Patriot states that Daniel Davis, who was tried in that county for the murder of Spencer Isom and acquitted, started with his wife after the trial for Jonesville, N. C., and both were murdered on the road. He was married but a few days ago.

DIVIDEND.—The Directors of the Cape Fear Bank, have declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent., payable at the principal bank and branches, 1st proximo.

EXCITING TRIAL.—James Franklin, Robert Brinkley and Albert Vann, the former of Gates county, N. C., and the two latter of Nansemond county, Va., were tried last week for the murder of a negro man about sixty years of age named Lamb. This trial elicited the most intense excitement and interest. The only witness to the transaction was a little girl about eleven years old, the daughter of Franklin, one of the prisoners at the bar. Her testimony was indeed thrilling and interesting, and her manner and bearing so pathetic and touching that it produced the most intense sentation in the Court. It was indeed a solemn and impressive scene, and one which rarely occurs in the administration of justice. The Court House was densely crowded during the whole trial.

MOVERS.—On Friday morning last quite a large caravan of people passed through our town on their way to the West, to Arkansas we believe. There were 59 persons, men, women and children, and were from our old county, Lincoln. We regret to see this disposition, growing on our people, for leaving the Old North State, and especially with such people as those we saw on Friday. They will prove a valuable acquisition as citizens of the right grit to any State, and we wish them good luck.—*Rutherfordton Enquirer, Oct. 12.*

Among the list of Judges to act at the U. S. Agricultural Fair in Richmond on the 25th inst., we notice the following names from North Carolina: H. K. Burgwyn, Willie Baird, M. W. Ransom, Dr. Broadnax, Thos. D. Meares and Robt. Patterson. On about 75 different Committees, North Carolina has 6 representatives, and South Carolina two or three.

MURDER.—A cold-blooded and heartless murder was committed in Wayne Co., some six or eight miles from Goldsboro', on Sunday evening the 17th inst., by John Starling, upon the person of Sally Cotton, an old woman, aged about sixty years. It appears, says the *Tribune*, that Starling went to the house of the deceased and called to her to come to the gate. She told him if he had any business with her, to come to the house. He replied he would not come in—that he could settle his business with her where he was. He then deliberately raised his rifle, and shot her. The ball entered the left breast and passed out just below the right shoulder. The unfortunate woman fell and expired. No reason that we can learn was assigned for the heartless deed, except an old dispute a few years ago, between the parties about a dog. Sheriff Thompson with his accustomed promptness, summoned a crowd and went to the neighborhood to arrest the murderer, but he did not succeed, and at the time of our going to press, Starling was still at large.

SUSPENDED.—The editor of the American (Elizabeth City) Sentinel, says that his paper will be suspended for a few weeks, when it will be again re-lasued in a much larger form, with an improved appearance in the typographical department.

Those who have paid in advance for the Sentinel will have the time that the suspension takes up, made good to them, while those owing subscription will not as a matter of course be charged with the time so lost.

ANNUAL MEETINGS IN WILMINGTON.—The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Wilmington & Weldon R. R. will take place in this town, on Thursday, the 11th day of November next.

The Stockholders of the Wilmington & Manchester Road will hold their Annual Meeting on the Thursday following, the 18th of November.

The Stockholders of the Commercial Bank, hold their Annual Meeting on Monday, the 1st of November.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Bank of Wilmington takes place on Tuesday, the 9th November.—*Wilmington Journal.*

DUPLIN COUNTY AGRICULTURAL FAIR.—The Annual Fair of the Society will be held at the Fair Grounds near Kenansville, on Thursday and Friday, the 4th and 5th days of November.

A CLERGYMAN KILLED BY A BULL.—Rev Sam. C. Parker, of Medina county, Ohio, met with a terrible death on the 10th inst. He was seen to go into a field in which he kept a bull, with a pitchfork in his hand, for the purpose, as is supposed, of driving the animal out. About an hour after a person called at his house to invite him to preach a funeral sermon, and was directed by the family to the field where Mr. P. was supposed to be. On looking for him he was found dead, the body tossed over the fence several rods from where the pitchfork lay. The horns and head of the bull were bloody, and the blood and marks on the ground indicated that the unfortunate man was gored and pitched along by the vicious animal from where the pitchfork was dropped to the fence, and then tossed completely over it.

INDIANA ELECTION.

INDIANAPOLIS, October 19.—The result of the recent election in this State is as follows: The Senate will stand-republicans 25; anti-Lecompton democrats 3; democrats 2. The House—republicans 53; anti-Lecompton democrats 3; democrats 45. The republican majority on the State ticket is 2,100.

VARIETY IS THE SPICE OF LIFE.

☞ Mrs. Twiggs will be executed at Danville Pa., Friday next, for the murder of Mrs. Clark.

☞ In the fifth Congressional district of Mississippi John J. McRae (dem.) was elected without opposition, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Gen. Quitman.

Punch says: "The comet rejoices in a tail, which, strangely enough, has been denied to the dog-star."

LORD BYRON once said, "You never know a man's temper until you have been imprisoned on board of a ship with him, or a woman's until you have married her."

GOV. WISE.—It is stated that this gentleman has declined an invitation to take the stump in Illinois for Douglas, but has written a letter advocating his election.

UNFORTUNATE.—It is stated that the Hon. Sherrard Clemens, of Va., seriously injured his wounded limb a day or two since, by suddenly turning in bed, when under the influence of anodyne.

SALT WORKS RENTED.—Col. Thos. L. Preston has rented the salt works and his property adjacent in Washington county, Va., to a New York company, for a term of 10 years, at $50,000 per year.

SINGULAR SURGICAL OPERATION.—A man named Berry, residing at Petersburg, Va., was suffering intense pain, last week, from a felon on his hand. On the 7th inst., he seated himself by the track of the Petersburg road, and when the train approached, coolly laid his hand on the rail, the cars passing over and severing it from the wrist. The consequence is, that he will have to undergo a second amputation, at the hands of a surgeon.

About noon on Saturday last, the U. States frigate Sabine got under weigh and sailed from New York upon the expedition to Paraguay. The Sabine takes out the special Minister of the United States, Judge Bowlin, and his suite, and also the naval and military commander of the expedition, Commodore Shubrick. Her complement of men, includign marines, is about five or six hundred. She is to proceed no further than Buenos Ayres, where the minister and his suite will be received on board the United States war steamer Fulton which will proceed immediately up the river towards Asuncion, the capital of Paraguay.

THE AUSTRIA'S PASSENGERS.—The forty-two rescued passengers of the Austria, who arrived in New York on Thursday last in the war steamed Valorous, met by invitation on Saturday afternoon, at the office of the Hamburg American Packet Company, No. 151 Broadway, where they were presented by C.B. Richard, Boas & Co., agents of the line, with $30 each, for the purchase of clothing, and were informed that they would be provided by the Company with free tickets to whatever destination within the limits of the United States they were bound, and also with fifty cents per day to pay their expenses on the route. Their board, while in New York, is also paid by the Company. The two ladies who clasped each other in their arms, kissed and leaped overboard from the burning Austria, were the two sisters of Mrs. Eckert, of Brooklyn. Their names were Scher.

AN IRISH REPARTEE.—The Irish mind is a never-failing source of wit. The following is the latest specimen:

Patrick ——, is Baggage master on the Georgia Railroad, and always attentive to his business. A few evenings since, while at his post, he was accosted by an excited passenger, who in a rude and boisterous manner demanded repeatedly to know the whereabouts of his trunk. After several times replying to the interrogatory, he at length lost his patience, and thus put an end to the stranger's troublesome questioning: "Och, mister, I wish in my soul you were the Elephant instead of a Jackass, for thin you'd have your thrunk always under my eye.—*At. Int.*

A PEEP IN A MAN'S STOMACH.

The following extraordinary statement we have from the Hartford (Conn.) Press. How it was possible for a human being to survive a wound so destructive of his internal machinery, is almost as great a wonder as the phenomena laid open thereby to the inspection of the curious. But this is not the only, and probably not the most extraordinary case of the kind on record. We recollect reading, many years ago, a similar account of an American soldier who received a wound during the war of 1812, attended with nearly the same results:

The case of Alexis St. Martin, is probably the most extraordinary one known in the annals of surgery. St. Martin is a Canadian, of French descent. In the year 1825, when he was eighteen years old, and while employed in the service of the American Fur Company, in Canada, he was accidentally wounded by the discharge of a musket, the charge entering literally from behind, passing quite through his body, tearing off the muscles, carrying away half of the sixth rib, lacerating the left lobe of the lungs, as well as the diaphragm, perforating the stomach, and exposing to view the pericardium, or covering of the heart. A portion of the lungs, as large as a turkey's egg, was lacerated and burnt, and just below this a portion of the stomach protruded from the wound, the food at the same time passing from the orifice thus made in the stomach. This orifice has never healed, and through it the process of digestion can plainly be seen in the stomach.—This interesting subject for study was in Hartford on Saturday and Sunday last, and we had the opportunity of seeing him. While here St. Martin and the doctor were the guests of Col. Colt, at whose invitation they were induced to stop, while on their way to Boston, for the purpose of allowing to the Hartford Medical Society an opportunity of noting the processes and the effects of digestion, the absorption of different kinds of food, &c. In looking into the aperture left by the shot from the gun, the secret of the gastric juice has been distinctly seen.

The interior of the stomach, contrary to the impression of many persons, is cleanly and not uninviting in its appearance. Its delicate pink coatings are as clean and perfect as all the rest of nature's handiwork, and it is not until the pampered and unnatural appetite of individuals has, by overloading it, and by eating and drinking improper things, rendered it weak and incapable of performing all the work thrust upon it, that the stomach, or rather its contents become "foul." Cooked (melted or drawn) butter, or the lard used in "shortening" pie crust, is not digested at all. It is seen swimming upon the surface of the stomach in the form of yellow or light-colored grease, and it finally passess off undigested. Chopped meat, moistened, introduced through this bullet-hole into the man's stomach, is found to nourish him just as it would if taken at the mouth! All the "patient" requires in that case is to be allowed to chew a piece of gum, (merely to satisfy the habit of chewing, we suppose,) and he gets along as if he had eaten his dinner, it is undoubtedly better, however, that the food should first be masticated, and this can only be done through the proper agency appointed for that purpose by nature.—Mirthfulness at and after a meal facilitates digestion wonderfully.

Take St. Martin to a theatre, for instance, after a hearty evening meal, and let him enjoy a good comedy—the result is astonishing; digestion is promoted to a surprising degree. "Laugh and grow fat," is an adage now seen to be founded upon a physiological truth. Anger has the effect of causing the bile to rush into the stomach in a stream. This has been observed with certainty in the case of St. Martin. When he has been suddenly enraged, while lying upon a table, the bile has been seen suddenly to rush into the stomach, which was perfectly clear of it the instant before, and such a quantity as to admit of its being emptied out freely into a cup, simply by turning him over! A piece of meat tied to a string has been introduced into the stomach through this orifice, and after a lapse of a certain time it has been pulled out again, and the progress of the digestive organs accurately noted. In this way corned beef, for instance, has been reduced to a mass of fine, delicate and even threads, after having been for some time subjected to the action of the gastric juice. St. Martin, since he was wounded has married and become the father of 17 children, five of whom, with his wife are now living. At first, the only way by which his food, after entering the æsophagus, could be prevented from passing through the wound was to use compresses and adhesive straps. That necessity has since been overcome by the growth of a small fold of the coats of the stomach, which now extends almost over the orifice, but can be readily depressed with the finger, so as to allow an examination of the interior of the stomach (when it is empty) to the depth of 5 or 6 inches.

THE PRIZE FIGHT—MORRISSEY VICTORIOUS—SHOCKING BRUTALITY.

BUFFALO, Oct. 20.—The brutal fight between Heenan and Morrissey took place this afternoon, at Long Point, Canada. It commenced at 20 minutes to 4 o'clock. Heenan made objection to the ground, saying that it was not according to the agreement, but as so many had come to see the fight, he would waive his objections and fight.—The first round lasted seven minutes, and the fighting was terrible. Heenan throwing Morrissey and drawing the first blood. On the second round Morrissey was again thrown, and on the third round Heenan was thrown. On the fourth round both men came up, looking weak, and Morrissey was knocked square down by a blow on the under jaw from Heenan's right. On the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth rounds Heenan was thrown. On the ninth round both men fought wildly, and fell side by side. On the tenth round Heenan was knocked down. On the eleventh round Morrissey was very weak, and was carried to the scratch, but Heenan went alone. This was a terrible round. Heenan fell fainting. On the twelfth round Morrissey was carried to the scratch, but Heenan was too faint to come to time, when the battle was declared won by Morrissey. Eleven rounds were fought in twenty-two minutes. Both Heenan and Morrissey were very badly cut, and had to be brought away on beds. The fight was witnessed by about 3,000 persons. There was no disturbance.

LATER FROM EUROPE.

HALIFAX, Oct. 20.—The Europa, with dates from Liverpool to the 9th inst, arrived here last night.

The state of the cable was unchanged. The London News hopes that when the combined improvements of Hughes, Thompson & Henly reach Trinity Bay, they will be successful.

A large part of the city of Aukland, in Australia, had been burned.

The chess match between Harwitz and Morphy had been closed by the illness of the former. The game stood; Morphy, 5; Harwitz, 2; drawn, 1.

The Admiral of the French fleet, in the Gulf of Mexico, left Paris with emphatic orders to protect French citizens in Mexico.

The King of Prussia was alarmingly ill.

The English government was moving towards the abolition of the Hanover Stadt dues.

THE GREAT BALLOON RACE.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 18.—The famous balloon race came off at four o'clock this afternoon, between Messrs. Goddard and Steiner. They intend remaining up three days. Mr. Bellman, of the Gazette, preceded them in a small balloon.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 19.—The balloon race came to a termination last evening. Mr. Godard came down at 10, 30. P. M., some 15 miles from Sandusky, and Mr. Steiner descended at 11 P. M., within a mile of Sandusky.

WANTED, A SITUATION AS TEACHER by a young man competent to give instruction in Latin and Greek rudiments, and also in Phonography and Phonetopy. Address, stating terms,
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MARYLAND.
THE NEXT ANNUAL SESSION BEGINS ON Wednesday, September 29th. Punctual attendance on that day is requested. Applicants can enter any class in the Preparatory School or in the College, for which, upon examination, they are found qualified. Commercial studies pursued by those whose parents desire it. Ample accommodations are provided for one hundred and twenty-five pupils.
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College of St. James, P. O.,
aug 14—w3m Maryland.

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA, PITT County—Superior Court of Law, Fall Term, 1858.
Eliza Jane Bedford *vs.* John Bedford.
Petition for Divorce.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant, John Bedford, is not a resident of the State of North-Carolina, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, it is therefore ordered that the clerk cause advertisement to be made in the Raleigh Register, for six successive weeks, notifying the defendant to appear at the next term of this Court, to be held at the Court-house in Greenville, county of Pitt, on the first Monday of March next, then and there to plead answer or demur, or the petition will be heard, *ex parte.*

Witness, M. G. Cherry, Clerk of the Superior Court of Law for Pitt county, on the 1st Monday in September, 1858, and in the 83d year of our Independence.
M. G. CHERRY,
oct 13—w6w (Pr. ad. $5 62½.) Clerk.

$5 REWARD.--LOST, ABOUT THE 7th of July, 1858, between Washington City, D. C., and Raleigh, Land Warrant No. 80,746, for 160 acres, issued in the name of Alice Adams, widow of Martin Adams. Application has been made for a duplicate. The above reward will be paid for said Warrant if delivered to Mrs. Alice Adams or the subscriber, in six weeks from date.
J. H. KIRKHAM,
Oct 13—w6w Raleigh, N. C.

RUNAWAY SLAVE.--TAKEN UP AND committed to the Jail of Davidson County, a Negro woman, who says her name is CHARLOTTE, and that she belongs to Robert Bailey, of Tennessee. Said slave is about 55 years old, above medium size, and very black. Upon proof of property and payment of costs, she will be delivered to the owner.
R. D. HAMPTON,
Sep 18—w6m Sheriff of Davidson county, N. C.

TO THE PUBLIC.

[No. 1.]
EDENTON, August 14, 1858.

HON. R. T. PAINE—*Sir:* I have been informed that on the day of the election, just passed, you applied to my father certain offensive language which demands notice at my hands. The facts, I understand, are these: That a controversy arose in regard to the vote of a certain individual; that during that dispute my father remarked that he only wished what was right, and that rather than do anything wrong he would let his arm wither and drop off; to which you replied that if his arm had withered and dropped off every time he had done a wrong action it would have dropped off a hundred times, and that other very insulting remarks were made by you during the remainder of the controversy. I may not have presented the exact language used, but I believe I have given the substance of it. I have delayed thus long to bring the matter to your attention, for this reason, among others, that I expected you would make a voluntary retraction of all the offensive language used by you when the excitement of the moment had subsided. You have not, however, done as I had a right to expect, and I am, therefore, compelled to call on you to retract the above language, and all other insulting remarks made by you on that occasion.

Respectfully, JOHN C. BADHAM.

[No. 2.]
EDENTON, August 16, 1858.

JOHN C. BADHAM, Esq.—*Sir:* I received your note of the 14th August, instant, through Mr. Wm. Moore, on the eve of my departure for Nag's Head on Saturday last, and regret it was not handed me in time for an immediate answer. I have returned to Edenton to-day mainly to say in reply to your note, that I have no retraction to make to you of anything I may have said to your father on the day of election.

Very respectfully,
ROBT. T. PAINE.

[No. 3.]
EDENTON, August 16, 1858.

Hon. R. T. PAINE,—*Sir:* Yours of to-day in reply to mine of the 14th, wherein you say that you have no retraction to make to me of anything you may have said to my father on the day of the election, has just been received. I therefore demand of you that satisfaction which one gentleman has a right to claim of another. My friend, Wm. A. Moore, Esq., is authorized to make the necessary arrangements on my behalf.

Respectfully,
JOHN C. BADHAM.

[No. 4.]
EDENTON, August 16, 1858.

JOHN C. BADHAM, Esq.,—*Sir:* Your note of this date was received late this afternoon. I will grant you the satisfaction demanded, claiming all the privileges that belong to me under the circumstances. So soon as I can procure a friend he will confer with Mr. Wm. Moore.

Very respectfully,
ROBT. T. PAINE.

[No. 5.]
EDENTON, August 18, 1858.

JOHN C. BADHAM, Esq.,—*Sir:* My friend, Mr. Henry A. Gilliam, is fully authorized to act for me in relation to the proposition contained in your note of the 16th instant.

Very respectfully,
ROBT. T. PAINE.

[No. 6.]
EDENTON, August 18, 1858.

W. A. MOORE, Esq.,—*Dear Sir:* As the friend of Col. R. T. Paine, I propose the following terms for the hostile meeting between himself and Mr. John C. Badham, whom you represent:

1st. The weapons shall be the ordinary grooved rifles.

2d. The time, on to-morrow the 19th inst., at 12 M.

3d. The place, at or near Smith's Landing, on the west bank of the Blackwater river, in Virginia.

4th. The distance, sixty paces.

An immediate answer is solicited.

Very respectfully,
H. A. GILLIAM.

[No. 7.]
EDENTON, August 18, 1858.

HENRY A. GILLIAM, Esq.,—*Dear Sir:* Yours of to-day proposing terms for the hostile meeting between John C. Badham, Esq., and Hon. R. T. Paine, has been received. In reply, I am authorized to state that Mr. Badham accepts,

1st. The weapon proposed, to-wit, the ordinary grooved rifles.

2d. The place named.

3d. The distance.

But he objects to the time, to-wit, to-morrow the 19th inst., at 12 M., because it is unreasonable, and because he knows that the Hon. R. T. Paine used the weapon on yesterday.

Very respectfully,
W. A. MOORE.

[No. 7.]
EDENTON, August 18, 1858.

W. A. MOORE, Esq.,—*Dear Sir:* I have your note of this date rejecting my proposition as to the time which I name for the meeting between Col. R. T. Paine and your friend, Mr. J. C. Badham. I therefore withdraw my note to which it is a reply, with the several propositions contained in it, leaving his acceptance of Mr. Badham's challenge open and unanswered until a more distant day. The absence of Col. Paine's family at Nag's Head, will prevent any further communication from me on the subject until the close of the season at that place, when you will hear from me. I will then give you ten days notice of the time, place, *weapons* and distance, which I shall, as Col. Paine's friend, choose. You will hear from me about the 1st of October, prox.

Very respectfully,
H. A. GILLIAM.

[No. 9.]
EDENTON, August 18, 1858.

HENRY A. GILLIAM, Esq.,—*Dear Sir:* Yours of this date in reply to mine of the same, wherein I stated that Mr. Badham accepted the weapons, place and distance proposed by you on the part of Col. R. T. Paine, and objected to the time alone for the reasons given in my note, has been received. Inasmuch as the Mr. Badham has accepted all the propositions for a meeting named by you on behalf of Col. Paine, except that as to time, he considers the parties at issue on the propositions accepted, and cannot allow them to be withdrawn, for the very obvious reason, that Col. R. T. Paine would thereby have an opportunity of practicing with the weapon and the manner intended to be chosen by him, for one month, while he (Mr. Badham) would remain in ignorance thereof. At the suggestion of Col. Paine, Mr. Badham agrees to a postponement of the time till about the first of October next, but had hoped for an earlier meeting.

Very respectfully,
W. A. MOORE.

[No. 10.]
EDENTON, August 18, 1858.

W. A. MOORE, Esq.,—*Dear Sir:* Your last of this date is received. In it you say, "Inasmuch as Mr. Badham has accepted all the propositions for a meeting made by you on behalf of Col. Paine, except that as to time, he considers the parties at issue on the propositions accepted, and cannot allow them to be withdrawn, for the very obvious reason that Col. Paine would thereby have the opportunity of practicing with the weapon, and in the manner intended to be chosen by him for one month, while he (Mr. Badham) would remain in ignorance thereof." My first note, to-day, contained propositions which, as the challenged party, I had the right for my friend to prescribe. They constituted an entirety which you had the right to reject or accept entirely. By my second note they were withdrawn and a more distant day named for the meeting. The postponement of the meeting you assent to. I insist on my right to name for my friend, Col. Paine, all the conditions belonging to the challenged party, assuring you, however, that no unusual weapon, time, place, nor distance will be chosen. Hoping that this will give satisfaction till another day, I am,

Very respectfully,
H. A. GILLIAM.

[No. 11.]
PLYMOUTH, August 20, 1858.

HENRY A. GILLIAM, Esq.,—*Dear Sir:* Your last note, dated the 18th inst., was handed to me a very few minutes before my departure for Plymouth, which rendered it impossible for me to consult with Mr. Badham and prepare my reply on the same day. I very willingly admit the absolute necessity for your leaving Edenton at that time, and acquit you entirely of any censure for so doing. I have sought you in Plymouth by the first mode of conveyance which I could safely adopt without attracting suspicion, to-wit, the Steamer, which carried you over on the 18th, and which only plies between the two towns on alternate days. It is impossible to consider your four propositions for a meeting as an "entirety which I had the right to reject or accept." Mr. Badham had the right, as soon as Col. Paine procured his friend, after his acceptance of the challenge, to demand that the weapon, time, place and distance, should be made known, and that neither one should be *unreasonable.* He accepted all your propositions which were at all admissible, but objected to the time for the reasons given by me.—The validity of those reasons have not been questioned by you. He, however, "assented to the postponement of the meeting" at the instance of Col. Paine, but insisted on considering the other reasons closed for the "very obvious reason" suggested by me in a former note. Your propositions were distinctly, consecutively, and separately made, and were responded to in the same manner. Upon a review of the preceding correspondence I have no hesitation in advising Mr. Badham to close it peremptorily, and accordingly, I am authorized by him to do so.

Very respectfully,
W. A. MOORE.

EDENTON, Oct. 1st, 1858.

MR. JOHN C. BADHAM,—*Sir:* Notwithstanding your withdrawal from the controversy between us commencing with your note to me of the 14th August last, I am still disposed to concede, and I again offer to you the satisfaction demanded in your note of the 16th of that month. My friend on that occasion, Mr. Gilliam, having withdrawn because of his near relationship with your friend, Mr. William A. Moore, I have substituted Mr. John A. Benbury, and he is fully authorized to act-for me in relation to the proposition contained in your last mentioned note.

Respectfully,
ROBT. T. PAINE.

EDENTON, October 2d, 1858.

Col. R. T. PAINE—*Sir:* Your note dated yesterday was to-day delivered to me by John A. Benbury, Esq. In reply, I have only to say that I have no further satisfaction to demand since closing our former correspondence.

Respectfully,
JOHN C. BADHAM.

If John C. Badham and William A. Moore have won any laurels in the above correspondence, let them wear them. If to challenge one, and then cowardly skulk from the difficulty constitute men of courage, then have they achieved that distinction.

The *explanation* appended to the correspondence published by them is evidently an attempt to muddy the water to hide their cowardice and disgrace. The impertinent allusion to an insult offered to me by a man smarting under a blow from my hand, knowing that I was under heavy bond to keep the peace towards him, and since distinguishing himself under alias of T. Jones, Jr., of Norfolk, excites my scorn and contempt.

oct 23—1t ROBT. T. PAINE.

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HILLSBORO' MILITARY ACADEMY.
ON JANUARY 17TH, 1859, THE INSTITUTION above named will be opened at Hillsboro', N. C., to be conducted in chief by Capt. C. C. TEW, now Superintendent of the State Military Academy at Columbia, South Carolina, and Mr. W. D. Gaillard, a graduate of the South Carolina Military Academy, and an instructor of approved experience. The drill, discipline, and course of studies, will assimilate as nearly as practicable to those of the Virginia and South Carolina State Military Institutions. The studies of the first two years, or preparatory course, will be, Arithmetic, Algebra, English Grammar, History of the United States, History of England, Ancient History, Mythology, Geography, French and Latin. The details of the advanced course will be announced hereafter.
The Academic year will continue uninterrupted from January 12th to the fourth week in November.
The charge will be $300 per annum, payable as follows: $100 at the commencement of the Academic year; $100 on May 1st, and $100 on August 1st, for which the Academy will provide instruction, text books, stationery, quarters, board, fuel, lights, washing, clothing, (except shirts, drawers, and socks,) and medicinal attendance.
No pupil will be admitted under 12 or over 18 years of age, or who cannot read and write with facility.
Pupils will be received as day scholars for drill and instruction at the rate of $105 per annum, payable in three equal instalments at the dates above mentioned. But in this case they will be provided with arms and accoutrements only, and no responsibility will rest upon the Academy except during the hours at which such pupils are actually engaged on the drill or at recitation.
For further information address the undersigned at Columbia, S. C., until January 1st, after that date at Hillsboro'. C. C. TEW.
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STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA, Northampton County.—In Equity.
M. W. Ransom and wife, and others, *vs.* Esther Murfree.
Petition to sell land.
Whereas, it has been made to appear to the Court that the defendant, Esther Murfree, is a non-resident of this State, it is ordered that publication be made for six weeks, in some newspaper published in the city of Raleigh, notifying the said defendant to appear at the next term of this Court, to be held for the county of Northampton, at the Court-house in Jackson, on the 5th Monday after the 4th Monday of September, 1858, then and there to plead, answer or demur to the bill filed against her, otherwise the same will be taken *pro confesso*, and the cause set for hearing *ex parte.*
Witness, Wm. W. Peebles, Clerk and Master, at office, in Jackson, this the 18th day of September, 1858.
WM. W. PEEBLES, C. M. E.
sep 22—w6w (Pr. adv. $5 62½.)

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Johnston County—Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1858.
William Ellis, Adm'r. *vs.* Henry Pearce.
Original Attachment.
It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant in this case is a non-resident of this State, or so conceals himself, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served on him, it is therefore ordered by the Court, that publication be made in the Raleigh Register, for six successive weeks, notifying the said defendant to appear at the next Term of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the County of Johnston, at the Court-House in Smithfield, on the 4th Monday in November next, then and there to plead, answer, demur or replevy, or judgment final will be entered against him.
Witness, Thomas D. Snead, Clerk of said Court, at office, in Smithfield, the 4th Monday of August, in the 83d year of the Independence of said State, A. D., 1858. THOS. D. SNEAD,
oct 16—w6w (Pr. adv. $5 62½) C. C. C.

VALUABLE LAND FOR SALE.
I OFFER FOR SALE A TRACT OF LAND IN Wake county, about twenty miles north of Raleigh, on the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad, three miles from Forestville, and adjoining Wake Forest College lands, containing about thirty-seven hundred acres—the residence of the late Thomas Alston, deceased. It is a healthy situation, and in a good neighborhood. The land may be divided in smaller parcels to suit purchasers. JAMES J. ALSTON.
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