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### LOCAL.

The grape season is about over. Merchants, now is the time to advertise.

Try Moor's North Carolina Mountain Whisky.

Fine button and lace shoes at Col. Mitchell's.

Freights, by our public carriers, are tremendous.

Cleveland French Dips can be found this week at Hayes'.

We are happy to report the sick of our town as greatly improved.

A cross (X) mark on your paper means your subscription is due.

Boston milk stews, at Hayes' Oyster Saloon, only 25 cents.

Children and misses shoes, men's and women's rubber shoes, at Col. Mitchell's.

Freights, by Str. Chowan, for the last three trips, has been tremendous.

Oysters on toast, at Hayes' Oyster Saloon, only 25 cts; come and try them.

Mrs. Louisa M. Balham returned from her visit to New York on Monday last.

Fine Shoes for men, button and lace, also men's heavy boots for swamp work at Col. Mitchell's.

No one can now complain with our market. It is as good as you will find in any town.

Just arrived—A consignment of Pure North Carolina Rye and Corn Whiskeys at the Bay View Bar.

Highest cash price paid for cotton and peanuts by J. H. Perry. He buys on his own responsibility.

Another lot of new wheat flour just received; also half barrel of fresh butter at 30c at Col. Mitchell's.

A revival will be held next week in the Baptist church. Rev. Mr. Huffham will perhaps assist in the meeting.

Mr. P. S. Parsons and family have moved to Washington county, Saurersville is their present Post Office.

Fine cashmere dress goods and plaid goods, for dresses. Also nice bleach and unbleached cottons at Col. Mitchell's.

W. V. Elliott, Esq., and family formerly of Lee's Mills, are now resident in Edenton. We welcome them.

Remember the singing school at the Baptist church on Sunday evening, at 2 30 o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend.

Fine derby hats and wool hats for men and boys and fine ladies trimmed and untrimmed hats at Col. Mitchell's.

We attended, this week, the Fair at E. City, which was quite a success in every way. Will give an account of same in our next issue.

FOR SALE—The best driving Horse in Edenton, with a comparatively new Dog Cart and Harness. For terms apply to M. F. Bond, Esq.

Federal Court at E. City adjourned Wednesday at 1 o'clock. Short sessions indicate loyal, law-abiding citizens. Good for the Old North State.

In the first race at the E. City Fair R. B. Flora's horse from Currituck took first premium and Maurice Wescott's of E. City, the second. The display especially in the Ladies department was fine. Our Business Manager was in attendance.

The season for moving is upon us. Let every one give attention to chimneys, flues, etc., and see to it that their perfect good order precludes possibility of danger or conflagration. Fire is a good friend but a terrible enemy, therefore let the safeguard of timely precaution be thrown around it to keep it in subjection, contributing to comfort.

Our Cotton buyers keep posted and are ready with the cash to pay the highest market price for all the staple brought to town. Let the farmers sell at home and thus encourage the permanent establishment of a safe market right at their own doors. They can save money in so doing and have the pleasure of seeing every bale weighed upon scales of acknowledged standard.

The Woodard House at Edenton is being enlarged. The house is well kept and deserves the liberal patronage it gets.—Falcon. You are right Brother. The genial proprietor believes in adding to the comforts of his home. His last addition to the already attractive house makes his dwelling complete and gives charm to the happy circle of its inmates. A new wife, charming woman, the last but best essential makes the Landlord a prince of pleasure, a host without a parallel.

During a severe gale two winters ago a yawl boat was washed from the deck of pilot boat Phantom No. 11. A few days ago pilot boat Centennial No. 7 picked up a yawl completely covered with sea grass. It was cleaned and identified as the Phantom's lost boat. It had been drifting about the ocean, bottom up, for twenty-four months without receiving any injury.—Fishing Gazette. That's the way to make boats boys. Such as can stand the storm and join the race even with "Reckey Miller" to lead off.

Prof. L. A. Williams, of Warren county, N. C., has taken charge of the Edenton Graded School. He has recently been teaching with great success in Macon county. He has come to Edenton to gain the benefit for his family of a mild climate. He is a teacher of much experience and of the highest qualification. As a citizen we welcome him, and as a teacher we wish him a continued success. With two good schools in our town the boys are without excuse if they go untrained.

### ATTENTION!

MR. EDITOR:—The writer would respectfully call the attention of our town authorities through the columns of your paper to the disagreeable and sometimes dangerous habit of having its streets carpeted with grape hulls, and especially along the thoroughfares of our town. It is indeed a serious inconvenience besides endangering the lives of its citizens. It was only a day or two ago, that one of our citizens, while walking along Main street and in front of Mr. Jas. A. Harrell's store of business, suddenly lost his foothold and fell sprawling on the ground. Happily no bones were broke, else perhaps, we might have been burdened with a suit for damages ending in relieving our town Treasury of another five hundred dollars.

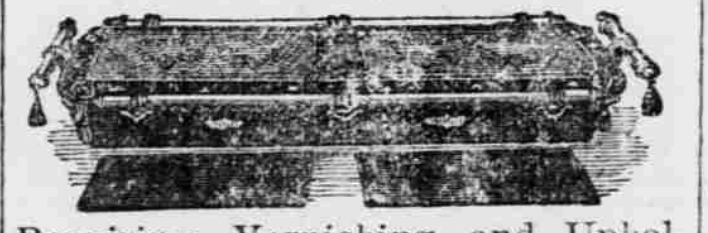
But Mr. Editor, this is not all that places our citizens in uncomfortable positions. To be walking down Cheap-side, and suddenly run against one of the many dry goods signs to be found in that locality, is indeed a source of great annoyance. To see a person in the hurry of business, and suddenly confronted by a huge over-coat that some luckless passer by had just disturbed, and with apparent anger fall upon its victim, inflicting lasting if not dangerous wounds. This Mr. Editor should have been looked after long ago, and it is the earnest wish of the writer, that you constantly urge that such matters should be attended to.

Yours Respectfully,  
A SUBSCRIBER.

### TO TAX PAYERS.

The town tax list for 1887, is in my hands for collection. Taxes are now due. I can be found at the Telegraph office on main street at all times ready to give receipts for same. Pay your taxes at once and save yourselves trouble and costs. A. L. WHITE, Collector.

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### SCHOOL NOTICE.

EDENTON N. C., July 28, 1887.

To the Public:—We are glad to announce that Mr. F. P. Hall, a graduate of Davidson College, N. C., and a teacher of successful experience, will on the 1st Monday in October next, open a School in Edenton for boys and girls. The terms will be reasonable and will be published later.

Mr. Hall brings with him the very highest endorsements, as a gentleman and a teacher. He is employed by a number of citizens, who feel the need of increased educational advantages in Edenton and whose ONLY purpose is to promote that object. No means will be spared to make the school a success. We have been appointed to make the announcement and to ask the patronage and good will of our people for the School. W. D. Pruden, T. B. Bland, Jno. C. Bond, J. R. B. Hathaway, Edward Wood, Committee.

### SCHOOL NOTICE.

THE EDENTON GRADED SCHOOL will begin its third annual term October 3rd, 1887. —AT THE— EDENTON ACADEMY.

Operating under the amended law of March 7th, 1887, the permanence and efficiency of the School is assured. Mrs. R. F. Cheshire and Miss M. A. Thompson have been engaged to teach in the school.

Another Instructor qualified to prepare students for College will be employed to take charge of the School at its opening. Other teachers will be employed to meet the wants of the School.

This School and system offers the best educational advantages attainable in Edenton. By dividing pupils of several grades of advancement, among teachers employed for each grade, better and more efficient instruction is obtained at less cost than can be had otherwise.

Table with 2 columns: Grade, Fee. First Grade, per yr., \$10, per quarter \$3. Second " " " \$16, " " \$4.50. Third " " " \$20, " " \$6.00. Fourth " " " \$20, " " \$6.00.

Pupils from other districts are invited to enter the School upon moderate terms. B. F. ELLIOTT, President. T. C. BADHAM, Sec. pro tem. October 1st 1887.

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Call to see my handsome line of dress goods also Ladies wraps, walking jackets, new markets, circulars and jersey jackets in every style and make. I still carry a full line of fine city made shoes, for men's, ladies and children wear.

My Clothing Department is complete in most any kind or style you may desire in men's, youth's and boy's suits.

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The grandest opening of Fall and Winter Goods, ever brought to Edenton, is at the  
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of the very latest styles, to suit everybody, **GIVE US A CALL.**  
Also the finest display of Ladies' Dress Goods we've ever had.