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BEST ADVERTISING MEDIUM IN THE DISTRICT...

EDENTON, N. C. Jan. 18th, 1895.

Florida's Supreme Court decides who shall be Chief Justice by drawing straws.

Senator Allen has made a very preposterous prophecy by predicting Populist control in 1896.

The message of Governor Carr to the General Assembly of North Carolina is a long, readable, business-like document...

Bills have been introduced in the Legislature to make the public school tax twenty-two cents instead of sixteen.

Reports from Georgia are that in several counties African emigration societies are being organized.

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Virginia made a net profit last year of \$34,239 out of her prison convicts. The superintendent recommends that the short time prisoners be employed on the public roads.

The prospects at present for the new year are that it will be a more prosperous and successful year than the one just past.

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A special grand jury has been stirring up Lynchburg for some days past. About one hundred young men, many of them society people, have been subpoenaed...

CUT TO THE CORE.

BRIEF ITEMS OF NEWS TAKEN FROM OUR EXCHANGES.

Travel from the North to Florida has become very heavy.

M. Casimir-Perier has resigned the office of President of France.

The Fish, Oyster and Game Fair will be held at New Bern February 18th to 23d.

The State of North Carolina was the first to establish a Board of Medical Examiners.

The war between China and Japan continues, with no indication as to how long the war will last.

Roaouke river has risen about thirty feet above low water mark, and all the low lands are under water.

The temporary lighthouse at Diamond Shoals, off Hatteras, has withstood the winter's storms well.

G. W. Cannon, postmaster at Asheville, N. C., under Harrison, has just been arrested for embezzlement while in that office.

Corbett says he wants to fight Fitzsimmons just for the pleasure of licking him. The negro Jackson challenges Corbett, but the latter pays no attention to it.

The Aldermen of Norfolk, Va., have ordered all the saloons in the city closed at ten o'clock at night, instead of having an all night session as formerly.

Wm. H. Worth, the fusion nominee for State Treasurer, who is to go into office next week, has filed his bond. It is for \$255,000.

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Horseflesh is much eaten in Paris. It is also a dish in the North now, and is served in many ways. There is an overproduction of horses now.

South Dakota's State Treasurer is a bankrupt, and by becoming so, has sunk over one hundred thousand dollars of the State's money.

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ANNUAL STATEMENT.

OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FROM DEC. 4th, '93 TO NOV. 30th, '94.

SETTING FORTH THE AMOUNT EXPENDED FOR OUR COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

DECEMBER 1893 J. H. Robinson, for board of prisoners, T. K. fees, and wood for jail.

FISHERMAN & FARMER, for pub. proceedings 4th quarter. E. F. Waff, for 4 days and mileage as Com., 2 days and mileage to S. C. Spruill for "Wild Cat" bridge and work on Bolton bridge.

J. A. Woodard, 3 tons of coal. S. W. Williams, witness ticket. T. D. Byrum, for 1 day clerk to board, minutes for pub., 1 day and mileage to poor house, recording orders, &c.

L. W. Parker, care Court House. Z. W. Evans, 2 months supplies to poor house. W. H. Evans, for 1/2 fees in witness ticket, Fall term 1893.

J. H. Robinson, for board of prisoners, T. K. fees, and wood for jail. J. W. Parker, printing tax notices care of Court House and wood for office.

J. T. Caddy, for lumber and work on Blount's bridge. A. J. Ward, 2 days and mileage as Com., 1 day and mileage at Poor House.

W. P. Jones, for 5 days and mileage as Com., 2 days and mileage to poor house. J. H. Robinson, for board of prisoners, T. K. fees, and wood for jail.

H. C. Privott, for legal blanks, criminal and civil dockets, and 1 ream of paper for office. T. P. Byrum, for 1 day clerk to board, 1 day cancelling orders, minutes for publication, recording official bonds, making out annual statement, seal for office and recording orders.

W. H. Hollowell for 1/2 fees in witness ticket. J. H. Perry, rebate on taxes. R. B. Drane, for rebate on R. R. property listed by mistake. J. C. Cobb, for 2 months board and care of Bettie Bunch.

L. W. Parker, for stove for jail, care of Court House, and amount paid Martin Felton for care of invalid child. J. H. Robinson, for board of prisoners, T. K. fees, and wood for jail.

W. P. Jones, for glass, putty, and work on Poor House. Z. W. Evans for 2 months supplies to Poor House, and lumber and shingles for same. Richard D. Bunch, for board and care of Bettie Bunch.

T. S. West for coffin for Cain DeLeon. T. D. Byrum, for 1 day clerk to board, minutes for pub., 1 ream of Deeds, express on same, 100 marriage certificates and recording orders.

J. H. Robinson, for carrying Abe Cale to Poor House. W. H. Evans, for 3 months salary as keeper of Poor House, 24 cords of wood, 3 bushels of potatoes and sewing for inmates.

J. H. Robinson, for board of prisoners, T. K. fees, wood for jail, washing blankets, &c. L. W. Parker, 1/2 fees in State vs. Geo. Reed and Altheia Collins. Sheriff Hodges, of Beaufort Co., for 1/2 fees in State Geo. Reed and Altheia Collins.

L. W. Parker, for blank books, printing tax notices, wood, care of Court House, and amount paid Martin Felton for care of child. H. C. Privott, for 1/2 fees in witness ticket.

H. C. Privott, for 1 load wood, ink, 250 blanks, and 5 reams of paper. E. F. Waff, for 3 days and mileage as Com., 1 day and mileage to poor house.

A. J. Ward, for 2 days and mileage to poor house. J. T. Caddy, for lumber and labor on Blount's bridge. FISHERMAN & FARMER, for pub. proceedings 1st quarter.

L. W. Parker, rebate on taxes. T. D. Byrum, for 1 day clk., to board, minutes for pub., issuing and recording orders and fees for making out merchants returns for Sheriff.

Amount of Tax as shown on Abstracts

Amount of outstanding orders and Jury tickets

Balance in favor of County

I hereby certify that the above is a true statement as set forth in the proceedings of my office from December 1893 to November 30th 1894.

T. D. BYRUM, Clerk Board County Com.

STEAMBOAT FOR SALE.

ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 15th, 1895, AT 12 o'clock, P. M., I will sell to the highest bidder at Public Auction...

The Steam Tug Imperial, Built in 1892. Her length is 60 feet beam 12 feet, draft forward 2 feet...

DR. SHADES DISCOVERY OR CONSUMPTION. Just Given To The Public. Write at once for particulars of the newspaper investigation...

RELIABLE FISH DEALERS. WILLIS H. ROGERS Wholesale Commission Fish Dealer, 106 FULTON FISH MARKET, New York.

Special Attention given to the sale of North Carolina, Shad, Rock, Club, Perch and TERRAPIN.

Wholesale Dealers and Shippers of all kinds of Fresh Fish, 16 FULTON FISH MARKET, NEW YORK.

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Reduction in Fact.

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All styles and prices to please. Ladies' Shoes from 75 cts. to \$3.50.

For Men and Boys, that is worth 50 cts. yard, now going for 30cts. Don't miss this bargain.

Clothing

Also reduced, and the nice lines and cheapest prices ever before offered in Edenton.

Mr. Skinner will always please you in my absence. Come early and secure bargains for yourself.

Respectfully, S. NORMAN, New York Racket.

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They are now North purchasing a fine line of General Merchandise, and will have some big bargains to offer on their return.

SPECIAL ANENTION will be given to Dry Goods, Fancy Notions, Shoes and Groceries.

The store will be known as The Bargain Store, and will be open NEXT WEEK.

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Also, for Potatoes, at \$1.00 per Bushel, for 1000 lbs. of Bran, at 1.00 per 100 lbs.

Black Nitrate Soda, in large and small quantities, at 1.00 per 100 lbs.

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