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LOCAL NEWS.

Journalistic.

The Tarboro Guide comes to us enlarged to a twenty-four column paper, and we are pleased to note the editorial services of Dossy Battle, Esq., have been secured. In his salutatory we find the same original wit that always characterized the Southerner while he was at the helm. Here it is: "The trouble begins with this issue. Dossy Battle."

We predict that the Guide will be a live, spicy paper, and we wish it the success which it will deserve.

Schooner Arrivals.

The following arrived yesterday: The *Lena*, Capt. Joe Rose, from Middleton, with one thousand bushels of rice, six hundred bushels of corn consigned to W. P. Burris & Co. and the following visitors from Hyde: S. M. Rollins, T. C. Mann, J. M. Mann, K. L. Gibbs, M. M. Gibbs and Hugh J. Spencer.

The *Marietta*, Capt. Thos. Payne, from Middleton with a cargo of corn consigned to J. A. Meadows and W. P. Burris & Co.

The schooner *Rose McDewitt*, Capt. Miller, from Norfolk, with a cargo of kaint.

Cotton Market.

There was a general advance all along the line yesterday, from Liverpool down to the Exchange in New Berne. Liverpool spots advanced one-sixteenth, futures were firm. New York spots advanced one-sixteenth, futures advanced several points closing firm with sales of 75,000 bales. The market here was firm with sales of one hundred and sixteen bales, the best grade bringing 94.

NEW YORK MARKET, SPOT:

Middling 10 3/4
Strict low middling 10
Low middling 9 11/16

NEW YORK FUTURES:

	Morning	Noon	Evening
January	10.00	10.10	10.12
February	10.05	10.13	10.15
March	10.21	10.27	10.28
April	10.36	10.40	10.42

LIVERPOOL SPOTS.

Uplands 5 5/8
Orleans 5 13/16

LIVERPOOL FUTURES.

January, 5 40/64
February, 5 40/64

House of Representatives.

DEAR SIR:—Since my last communication nothing of especial interest to your numerous readers has taken place in the General Assembly of North Carolina. Johnson, Representative from Craven, is still trying to pass an act in reference to the stock law applicable to the territory enclosed by Neuse river, Trent river and Brices Creek, compelling the erection of a fence by the land owners and the impounding of stock trespassing and damages. The bill has been referred for some necessary amendments.

The bill to dismember Craven and attach a portion of her territory to Carteret county is still pending before a committee of the House. It proposes to cut off a nice slice to present to Carteret. Considerable opposition will be manifested to it when it comes before the House for its passage. One thing noticeable, and in my humble opinion reprehensible, is the absenteeism of members from their posts as representatives of the people. If the gentlemen had such business as necessarily called and detained them home, why did they accept nominations to serve the people.

Too much time is consumed by Bannombe speeches. I find that long winded oratory is at a discount. A sprightly lawyer from the East was somewhat discommoded the other night by a humorous allusion. After a rather tedious but heated speech, Mr. Sherrill recommended an application of "Simon's Liver Regulator." This was germane to the name and rapid declamation ceased for a while and the gentleman is considered convalescent. I am happy to state that the sun is shining to-day and we have the prospect of better weather.

Stonewall Items.

We have had three days without rain. Mr. Whit Hollins has sold his house and lot to Mrs. Alice Ferebes. Alexander Blackwell, col., died near Bayboro two or three days since. Commodore Cheesboro and family arrived at our wharf yesterday morning in his yacht, *Ripple*, and is now at Bayboro.

Hon. W. T. Ocho is at home for a few days, he reports perfect harmony among the members in the Legislature on county government.

Mr. W. W. Ferebes and Miss Mary Cherry were married on last Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. F. F. Cherry, in this place, the Rev. Mr. Call performing the ceremony.

We have been supplied handsomely with the finest kind of trout at prices within reach of all, say 4 dollars per hundred when a good portion would weigh from 2 to 3 pounds each, and I saw one rock fish that weighed 17 pounds, the finest I have ever seen caught out of our waters.

JUDGE KRIBBS COURT.

Second Day's Proceedings—Trial of Zeb the Suspect—Case Not Gone to the Jury.

Tuesday the court was promptly opened at 10 o'clock. The crowd of dogs in attendance was much larger than the first day, but there was an absence of saw-dust, tobacco juice, stinking pipes and bad breath, that characterizes the Manish court rooms.

There was an unusual anxiety exhibited among the bystanders as to the result of the trial. Fears were expressed that Zeb would be convicted, and the penalty under dog law is death for each count of the indictment.

For murder the penalty is death by hanging; for burglary death by drowning; and for larceny death on the gibbet. Just how they will execute the sentence in each case, should he be convicted on all three of the charges, seems to bother the ablest members of the Bar.

The "suspect" entered the court room accompanied by Sheriff Rock and his counsel, McCann, and took his seat looking gaily around as if he thought the affair a very complimentary one, and utterly void of danger to himself. One old possum dog from the country remarked to another that Rover was young and green, but he was a match for that Baltimore top and would show him tar-heels stick to anything they undertake.

A rap from the Judge's tail on the bench was the signal for silence in court.

Mr. Rover addressed the court in behalf of some country talisman who wished a discharge from further service if agreeable to the views of his honor.

Judge Kribbs said he would hear any such as wished to render excuses touching the subject.

Sam. Latham's fox-hound Zeb asked to be relieved because he had some tame wild geese at home, which he was guarding for the Clerk of the Men's Commissioners Court, and he very much feared that the foxes would take advantage of his absence, and also take a few of the geese; he had hired one Peps Rosson to look after the foxes, but candor compelled him to state that this Peps was so fond of the house that he would not likely be around the geese much after night. The juror further represented that the rule yesterday announced that members of the Bar would be allowed to sit on juries rendered the matter of obtaining a jury one of great convenience and certainty at all times.

The Judge said this was the first application for leave of absence, and he should be somewhat explicit in his reasons for granting it. In the first place the property in peril is represented as belonging to an officer of a sister court, and the applicant the hired dog (this court recognizes no ownership of dogs) a member of that court; the courteous manner in which he applies for the leave, and the well-known unreliability of the chap Peps induces me to grant the wish of the applicant. Latham's Zeb is therefore granted leave of absence for this term. Mr. Clerk, you will record it, and be pleased to draw the picture of a goose at the beginning of the record, so that he be reminded of the case whenever I shall have occasion to refer to this decision, which will be often quoted, no doubt, by the Bar in the future. A tame wild goose, Mr. Clerk, has a white ring around his neck just below the chin; please have that visible in your illustration, as a good many geese will probably adorn the pages of your record as time wears on.

"Mr. Sheriff, you will see that the juror's baggage is taken to the boat whenever he wishes it."

Zebulon thanked the court for the leave, and also for the kind remembrance of his baggage, of which he had none except a large bone hid under the court room, but would not trouble any dog with that as he could handle it himself without inconvenience.

There being no further business brought to the attention of the court, the regular order—the trial of Zeb the suspect—was proceeded with.

The Commonwealth's Attorney first addressed the court, opening the case and stating to the jury what the prosecution expected to prove.

Mr. Rover said: "May it please your honor and the jury, Christmas times you know are noted among these creatures called men for good eating. The past season had been a prosperous one and these creatures always extreme in every thing,—but kindness to our race—had made up their minds to get enough of base during this festive season."

To that end an unusual amount of country had been consumed by them, in what way, it is neither my purpose to attempt an explanation, nor any part of your duty, as jurors in this case, to find out.

All those familiar with the History of the United States are aware that this

government has acquired Territory in various ways. For instance, by purchase, as in the case of Louisiana and Florida, by annexation as in the case of Texas and Oregon, and *et cetera* (dog latin) as in the case of California.

"Now it is but reasonable to suppose that the people of the United States have as many methods of acquiring poultry as the government has for acquiring territory; therefore you see we had best not go into the question 'how did they get it?' They had it or said they had it which is the same thing among them.

"Now every industrious dog knows that about this time of the year is a mighty good one to roam about your neighbors' lots; many good billets may be picked up, especially if the cook hung up her stocking and got a little cash in it and had a glass of egg-nogg in the morning, they are not so saving as they are about July and August. It was in these days of plenty that this unfortunate dog made these raids on sundry chicken coops and raised such an alarm among poultry owners that it was not safe for any canines individual to pay the shortest nocturnal visit to his neighbor's yard in search of the surplus articles that are usually found in such cases.

"We expect to prove that a large white animal, supposed to be a dog, was seen in the neighborhood of these depredations about the time of the occurrence. We expect to prove that this Zeb is a large white animal."

Mr. McCann followed in a happy strain and said he should rest his case on the former good character of the accused, and the entire want of direct testimony against him.

"Every dog has his day, and the youngster who to-day stands before us, surrounded with such a fog of suspicion, will, ere long, move among his fellows with his character—like a pair of boots only shining the brighter by the application of the blacking."

This burst of eloquence so overcome the hearers that a general whine echoed the sentiment.

By mutual consent the suspect was first put upon the stand.

His testimony was given more after the manner of a stump speech than as one on trial. He scorned the brute that suspected him of such a mean thing. "My manner of life," said he, "from my youth up has been that of a gentleman. Reared at the feet of a church Warden, associated with bank officers, a frequent visitor at the Cotton Exchange and the beef and produce marts are facts that it seems would exonerate me from this Fowl deed."

The court here decided that no human testimony would be admitted in the case; anything that any of the canine race might have heard said by any human being would be admitted, subject to due allowance for the race prejudice known to exist.

The Commonwealth's Attorney was surprised to hear this. He said the principle evidence against Zeb was from the human race and he wished to get one of them on the stand.

McCann said he was in hopes that human evidence would be admitted; he too wanted one of these "lords of creation" on the stand; he thought that he could make any witness of that character "flea from the wrath to come!"

Judge Kribbs said as dinner time had arrived, he would adjourn the court until to-morrow at ten o'clock—eight or nine o'clock was suggested, but the Judge was of the opinion that early courts were not popular in North Carolina. He noticed that it drew very badly for Judge Bennett.

Office of Secretary and Treasurer, BOARD OF TRUSTEES NEWBERN ACADEMY.

New Bern, N. C., Jan. 24, 1883.

The Regular Monthly Meeting of the Trustees of Newbern Academy will be held at the office of the Principal on

Friday Afternoon, Jan'y 26, 1883, at half-past three o'clock.

The Annual Election of Officers will take place, and other important business will be brought before the meeting.

By order of the President,
W. M. WATSON,
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PAMLICO LINE.

On and after MONDAY NEXT, the New Bern and Pamlico Steam Transportation Company will dispatch their

New and Fast Sailing Steamer ELM CITY

as follows:

Mon. 22	Leave Bayboro for New Berne 8 a.m.
Stop at Stone wall, Vandemere and Adams Creek.	
Tue. 23	Leave New Berne for Bayboro 10 a.m.
Stop at Adams Creek, Vandemere and Stone wall.	
Wed. 24	Leave Bayboro for New Berne 8 a.m.
Stop at Stone wall, Vandemere and Adams Creek.	
Thu. 25	Leave New Berne for Bayboro 7 a.m.
Stop at Adams Creek, Vandemere and Stone wall.	
Mon. 29	Leave Bayboro for New Berne 8 a.m.
Stop at Stone wall, Vandemere and Adams Creek.	
Tue. 30	Leave New Berne for Bayboro 10 a.m.
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Wed. 31	Leave Bayboro for South Creek 9 a.m.
Stop at Stone wall and Vandemere.	
Thur. 1	Leave South Creek for New Berne 10 a.m.
Stop at Adams Creek.	
Fri. 2	Leave New Berne for South Creek and Bayboro 10 a.m.
Stop at Adams Creek, Vandemere and Stone wall.	
Sat. 3	Leave South Creek for Bayboro 9 a.m.
Stop at Vandemere and Stone wall.	

Having good accommodations both for passengers and freight at very low rates, ask that the merchants and producers along its line give it their cheerful support.

For further information enquire at the office, Foot of Craven street.

S. H. GRAY,
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40,000 Domestic Cigars, in lots of 2,000, at cost and freight.
5,000 lbs Coffee from 84 to 11 1/2 cts.
25 Barrels Sugar, 7 1/2 to 9 cts.
20 Cases Brandy Cherries, quarts, at \$3.00.
40 Cases Brandy Peaches, quarts, at \$3.25.
10 Cases Brandy Peaches, ptes, \$4.50.
75 Cases Canned Goods, 150 doz. to 200.
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PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to a judgment of the Superior Court of Craven county, I will sell at public vendue, at the Court House, door in the City of New Berne, on the

First Monday in March next,

—March 5th, 1883—at TWELVE O'CLOCK, M., a certain piece of land lying in the City of New Berne, N. C. on the south side of Queen street, near the corner of East Front street, containing 27 feet front by 107 feet 3 inches back being part of Lot No. 119 on the plan of New Berne, belonging to the estate of Charles Tucker, deceased.

Terms of sale: One-half cash; balance on credit of six months, secured by note and mortgage on the lands. Jan. 23, 1883. New Berne, N. C. J. R. C. HARRISON, Adm'r of Chas. Tucker's dec'dt

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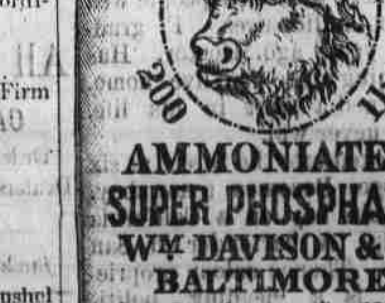
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