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Dogs bond with their downward-facing humans; what the first dog will eat; and other news.

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Will the First Dog Chew Organic, Grass-Fed Bones?

The New York Times blog on Dining Out ponders the question: Will the Obamas feed their new pup a commercial kibble, given the recent outbreaks of tainted pet foods?

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Battle Over Frozen Dog Sperm Gives Judge Pause

Family Court Judge Cheryl Matthews is accustomed to making tough decisions in custody matters, but she was temporarily stumped when a divorced couple showed up in her courtroom with this question – who gets the dog sperm? The Detroit Free Press reports.

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Bonding With Their Downward-Facing Humans

Call it a yogic twist: Downward-facing dog is no longer just for humans, The New York Times reports.

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Pennsylvania Burglar Sues Over Injuries From Police Dog

An inmate at a Pennsylvania state prison is suing police over the injuries he got during his burglary arrest, The Associated Press reports.

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Puppy Shot Outside Santa Cruz County Home

An 18-month-old puppy, who belongs to a 6-year-old boy in Boulder Creek, Calif., was shot Tuesday morning near the family's new home, the San Jose (Calif.) Mercury News reports.

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