

COME MY WIFE PUT DOWN THE BIBLE.

BY AGENT ADRIANOFF.

Come, my wife, put down the Bible; Lay your glasses on the book...

Jack, the first of all the party, Came to us one winter's night...

Then a girl with curly tresses, Used to climb up my knee, Like a little fairy prince...

Then the last, a blue-eyed youngster, I've heard him prattle now, Such a strong and sturdy fellow...

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RAILROAD SCHEDULES.

PETERSBURG RAILROAD COMPANY. OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT, PETERSBURG, VA., Jan. 24, 1878. SCHEDULE OF TRAINS: TO TAKE EFFECT THURSDAY, JAN. 24TH.

GOING SOUTH. New York Express leaves Petersburg daily at 9:30 A. M. Arrive at Weldon at 12:30 P. M. Southern Express leaves Petersburg daily, except Monday, at 11:35 A. M. Arrive at Weldon at 2:15 P. M. Freight with Passenger coach attached, leave Petersburg daily, except Sunday, at 6:15 P. M. Arrive at Weldon at 8:15 P. M.

GOING NORTH. New York Express leaves Weldon daily at 3:30 P. M. Arrive at Petersburg at 6:15 P. M. Southern Express leaves Weldon daily, Monday excepted, at 4:30 A. M. Arrive at Petersburg at 7:15 A. M. Freight with Passenger coach attached, leave Weldon daily, except Sunday, at 7:50 P. M. Arrive at Petersburg at 10:45 A. M. Through tickets sold to all the North and South, en route, and through tickets through Petersburg, Weldon and New York, on the trains, and sleeping cars run through on night-trains. Sleeping cars between here and New York - Richmond to Baltimore.

L. L. CLARK, Superintendent of Trains. R. M. SULLY, General Superintendent.

RICHMOND AND PETERSBURG RAILROAD COMPANY. Commencing Monday, Feb. 21, 1878, trains on this road will run as follows: LEAVE PETERSBURG NORTH. 6:30 A. M. - Through Mail, daily, except Monday, connecting with Richmond and Chester Railroads for all points East and West. 7:30 A. M. - Accommodation daily (except Sunday) connecting with Richmond and Chester Railroads for all points East and West. 11:55 A. M. - Daily, except Sunday, with Passenger coach attached. 2:30 P. M. - Accommodation train daily, with Passenger coach attached. 4:30 P. M. - Through Mail, daily, connecting with Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroads, for all points East and West, making close connection with Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad for Virginia Springs and all points West and North. This train only stops at Manassas, in Chester County, and at the Hill connect at Chester daily (except Sunday) by the Richmond and Potomac Railroads.

LEAVE RICHMOND SOUTH. 7:40 A. M. - Through Mail, daily, connecting for Wilmington, Charleston, Savannah, Columbia, Augusta, Raleigh, Atlanta, Macon, Montgomery, Mobile, New Orleans, and all points South and Southwest. This train stops only at Manassas in Chester County. 1:40 P. M. - Accommodation, daily, except Sunday, stops only at Manassas and Chester. 4:15 P. M. - Freight, daily, except Sunday, with Passenger coach attached. 11:00 P. M. - Through Mail, daily, except Sundays, connecting for Wilmington, Charleston, Columbia, Augusta and Savannah. Pullman sleeping-car for Wilmington and the South.

Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars run between Petersburg and Baltimore on the light train. Passengers can remain in Car at Baltimore and take an Additional Charge for sleeping car accommodations \$1.00. All trains leaving Petersburg will start from the Appointment Depot. Feb 14th. Superintendent.

WILMINGTON & WELDON RAILROAD CO. Change of Schedule. MAIL TRAIN. Leave Union Depot daily at 9:05 A. M. Arrive at Goldsboro - 2:08 A. M. Rocky Mount - 1:40 P. M. Weldon - 3:10 P. M. Leave Weldon daily at 12:45 P. M. Arrive at Rocky Mount - 2:15 P. M. Goldsboro - 3:52 P. M. Union Depot - 7:15 A. M. EXPRESS TRAIN AND THROUGH FREIGHT TRAINS. Leave Union Depot daily at 11:00 P. M. Arrive at Goldsboro - 4:55 A. M. Rocky Mount - 4:21 A. M. Weldon - 11:00 A. M. Leave Weldon daily at 9:00 P. M. Arrive at Rocky Mount - 11:50 P. M. Goldsboro - 12:20 A. M. Union Depot - 8:50 A. M. The mail train makes close connection at Weldon for all points North via Bay Line and Aquia Creek routes. Express Train connects on with Aquia Creek route. PULMAN'S PALACE SLEEPING CARS on this Train. FREIGHT TRAINS will leave Wilmington tri-weekly at 8:00 A. M., and arrive at 1:40 P. M. JOHN F. DIVINE, Gen'l Superintendent.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE. OFFICE SUP'T. OF TRANSPORTATION, S. & R. R. COMPANY, Portsmouth, Va., Jan. 8, 1878. Trains of this Road will leave Weldon daily, except Sundays, as follows: Mail Train at : 3:15 P. M. Through Freight at : 4:30 A. M. Way Freight Tri-Weekly : 6:00 A. M. Through Freight : 5:0 A. M. Mail Train stops at all Stations. Steamer leaves Franklin Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, for Edenton, Albemarle Sound and landings on Blackwater and Chowan rivers. Apply to R. O. EDWARDS, Agent, Weldon, or to E. G. GHIO, Sup't. of Transportation, Portsmouth, Va.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE. RALEIGH & GASTON RAILROAD. SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 19, 1878. MAIL TRAIN. Leave Raleigh, : 10:30 A. M. Arrives at Weldon, : 3:00 P. M. Leaves Weldon, : 8:30 P. M. Arrives at Raleigh, : 6:15 P. M. ACCOMMODATION TRAIN. Leave Raleigh, : 8:30 P. M. Arrives at Weldon, : 5:00 A. M. Leaves Weldon, : 9:30 P. M. Arrives at Raleigh, : 6:25 A. M. Mail train makes close connection with the Seaboard and Roanoke Railroad and the Lenoir, Staunton, and New River, and with Petersburg Railroad via Petersburg, Richmond, and Washington City, to and from all points North and Northwest. Arrive at Raleigh with the North Carolina Railroad to and from all points South and Southwest, and with the Raleigh & Augusta Air Line to Haywood and Fayetteville. W. O. WILDER, Gen'l Superintendent.

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