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No. 19--8:25 A. M. Local for Hamlet, Charlotte and all intermediate points--Through Sleeper Wilmington to Charlotte. Open for passengers at Wilmington at 10 P. M.

No. 18--7:27 P. M. Local for Hamlet, Charlotte, and all intermediate points.--Connecting at Hamlet for all points North, South and South West. Pullman Parlor Car Wilmington to Charlotte.

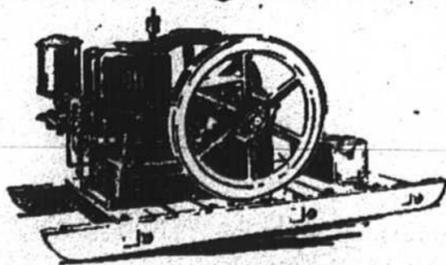
No. 20--8:35 P. M. Local for Wilmington and all intermediate points.--Through Sleeper Charlotte to Wilmington. Passengers may remain in Sleeper until 7 A. M.

No. 14--9:07 A. M. Local for Wilmington and all intermediate points.--Pullman Parlor Car Charlotte to Wilmington.

For additional information, as to rates, schedules, or reservations, call on local agent or write the undersigned.

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### FROM EVERYWHERE.

Happenings All Over the World in Paragraphs.

Kansas farmers are driving to town behind horses once more, owing to the increase in the price of gasoline. A decrease in motor travel has been noticed for several months.

Theodore Roosevelt has announced that, in the event of a war involving the United States, he and his sons, his sons-in-law, the kinsfolk and his sons' friends will offer their services to the government.

Leopold Fitchner, a landstrum infantryman, became insane while in charge of a police post in Vienna, Austria, and killed nine persons. The Vienna firemen subdued him with a stream of water.

Since the outbreak of the European war, 3,117 non-combatants have lost their lives in maritime disasters due to mines and submarines of hostile nations, according to an estimate made by Walter Runeman, president of the British Board of Trade.

Frank Tippolito, a New York city traffic policeman, recently snatched a little girl to safety from the path of a fire chief's automobile as the car raced through the business district, but could not save himself. It was said that he probably would die of his injuries.

More than 1,000 soldiers and members of the crew of the Chinese steamer Hsing-Yu were lost when the steamer went to the bottom after a collision with the cruiser Hai-Yung, south of the Chusan islands. One foreigner, 20 soldiers and 6 members of the crew were rescued.

William F. McCombs, for five years chairman of the Democratic National committee, has tendered his resignation to take effect after the National convention in St. Louis. It is probable that Fred B. Lynch, national committeeman from Minnesota, will be named as his successor.

What prospects Harry Schafer, serving a life sentence in Sing Sing prison, New York, had of being pardoned on the ground that his fractured skull caused his criminal tendencies, were ended by an X-ray photograph which showed the skull to be normal. Schafer is serving time for murder.

Miss Bernette Moyer, 16-year-old daughter of William Moyer, a farmer residing near Darby, Pa., risked her life to release 25 cows while her father's barn was burning. The flames were right over her head but she never gave up until the last cow was released. Later she crept into the same stable and released a faithful watchdog.

Nerve and pluck exhibited by the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Mitchell, of Lead, S. D., saved both himself and the family home from destruction by fire. The little fellow fought his way through the flames to the telephone and sent an alarm to the fire department. He was nearly overcome when firemen rescued him.

While H. Johnson, of Elma, Ore., was operating a cable at a height of 165 feet, the rope slipped, catching his hand and pinching off the fingers. In order to save his entire arm from being drawn into the block he grabbed the cable with his teeth and pulled in enough slack to release his imprisoned hand. Then he slid to the ground and walked to a physician's office to have his injury dressed.

Timothy J. Lyons, a San Francisco lawyer, and Mrs. Ada Diamond, a clairvoyant of Salt Lake City, were found dead in a hotel room at San Francisco, with the gas flowing from an open jet. The woman had written three notes in one of which she charged that the affections of Lyons for her had chilled and that he was using her as a plaything. She is believed to have turned on the gas after Lyons had fallen asleep.

Securities aggregating in value \$433,000, believed to have been stolen from a United States mail wagon on a ferry-boat in New York city Feb. 26, were recovered a few days ago when the police arrested Edward J. Quigley in that city. The man had the securities wrapped in old newspapers in a satchel. The recovery of the collateral was an accident, as Quigley was arrested merely on suspicion of raising money orders in St. Louis.



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### Scotland County.

Mr William D. McLaurin, Scotland county's popular sheriff, and his brother, Murdock McLaurin, were here today selling cotton. Mr. McLaurin is rounding out his sixteenth year as sheriff. He is the first and only sheriff that county has ever had. He is a candidate for re-election this year, and has no opposition in either the Democratic primary or the general election. He is so popular that all parties and factions have long since ceased trying to defeat him. He tells us that his county is in fine shape financially. When the county was first established, sixteen years ago, it issued bonds to the amount of \$18,000. This was for the purpose of building a court house and a jail, and its proportionate part of Richmond county's indebtedness. This bonded indebtedness has been paid down to \$18,000 and the county has sufficient money in its treasury to meet all current expenses. He says that the annual running expenses of his county is only about \$8,000. They have but one innards in the county home, and have no chain gang. They have five Superior courts a year--three criminal and two civil terms. This strikes us as a fine showing for a new county. --Edmont Dispatch.

### A Tragedy.

It was a town girl--and the same old story that, alas, has often been told, and checked many a young life which had its beginning in sunshine, surrounded by luxury and the wealth of the world. Her eyes were now wild and staring, her face was flushed and her hands were nervously working. She was a deeply troubled and injured woman, and we hear her saying: "Oh, cruel one, you have injured the very foundation of my being! Day by day you have tortured me, and yet I could not bear to give you up. When we first met, how your ease and polish attracted me! When you became my own, how my friends envied me. But your understanding is too small for my large soul. You are opposed to my advancing myself. You have injured my standing in society. If we had never met I might have walked in peace. So now begone! We part forever!" There was a moment's convulsive breathing, a gritting of teeth and a sharp sigh. It was all over. By a supreme effort she had pulled off her new shoe.--Ex.

### The Prize Hog.

The subject of this is some hog. He weighs 1,175 pounds. Stockyard boys know no hog like him. He arrived the other day in Cincinnati from the farm of Thomas Weisner, at Ripley, O., where he was born and spent his youth. As soon as he was born he began to grow and no one tried to stop him, for every day he would put on a pound of pork chops, the retail price of which was about 20 cents. Finally he was ready for market.

It is considered that a 1,175 pound hog will produce 975 pounds of food, including two hams, weighing 87 pounds each; 395 pounds of bacon, 94 pounds of lard and 258 pounds of sausage. At prevailing retail prices, the food value of this pig would be \$807.98. It is also estimated that there are enough bristles on his back to make 40 first-class four-inch brushes that will sell at 90 cents each, and a couple dozen smaller brushes at 35 cents each.

Paul Burgess, thirteen years of age, son of Mr. A. C. Burgess of Mt. Airy, was accidentally shot and killed Saturday afternoon by Carl Jones another boy of about 15 years of age.

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Sanford	11.15	Durham	11.90	Louisburg	12.75
Monroe	8.95	Hamlet	10.05	Laurinburg	10.40
Pittsboro	11.65	Oxford	12.55	Norlina	13.15
Wadesboro	9.60	Lumberton	10.95	Aberdeen	10.60
Raleigh	12.00	Henderson	12.85	Warren Plains	13.20

Tickets on sale May 18th to 17th inclusive and for trains scheduled to arrive in Birmingham before noon of May 18. Final return limit May 25. Tickets can be extended until June 14 by payment of 50c additional and depositing same with Special Agent, Joseph Richardson, on or before May 25. For Pullman reservations and further information as to rates etc., call on your local Agent or address, H. E. PLEASANTS, T. P. A. JOHN T. WEST, D. P. A. Wilmington, N. C. Raleigh, N. C. JAMES KER, JR., T. P. A., Charlotte, N. C.