

Arrival of Trains.

The following change of schedule took effect after 1 p. m. Nov. 15, 1896.

SOUTHBOUND.

No. 37 arrives at 8.45 a. m.
 " 11 " " 10.40 a. m.
 " 9 " " 9.02 p. m.
 " 35 " " 9.27 p. m.
 " 63 " " 5.15 p. m. (freight)

NORTHBOUND.

No. 10 arrives at 6.17 a. m.
 " 36 " " 10.07 a. m.
 " 12 " " 7.23 p. m.
 " 38 " " 9.02 p. m.
 " 64 " " 11.15 a. m. (freight)

No. 35, 36, 37 and 38 stop only at Charlotte, Cor. ord, Salisbury, Greensboro and Danville. Passengers for local points between these stations will have to use the other trains.

HARRY P. DEATON, local reporter.

SHORT-LOCALS.

BOARDERS WANTED—Apply to Mrs. Josie Fink.

Mr. George Blackwelder, of Mt. Pleasant, spent today in the city.

The Buckler Stock Company go to Charlotte from here, where they are billed to play three nights.

The new Methodist pastors will be heard for the first time at their respective churches tomorrow.

The Mooresville Athletic Club has challenged the Salisbury football team for a game Christmas day.

May Davenport's excellent company will present "Tribby" at Armory Hall next Friday night.

Now is the time to buy your holiday presents. Fifty engraved cards and plates for \$1.00.

A. J. & J. E. YORKE.

The slaughter of rabbits during the snow has been tremendous. One merchant bought more than three hundred today.

The white barber shop will add the third chair and also one of the best white barbers in the south next week.

The Standard Oil Company is about ready to open up business. The management will be in the hands of Mr. Rice.

Buckler's splendid orchestra is composed of the following artists: Prof. H. L. Blaker, M. Eichleberger, H. O. Blaker, H. M. Quisenberry.

John Farrier, a leading jeweler of Charlotte, made an assignment Friday for the benefit of his creditors. Liabilities about \$12,000; assets same.

We learn through the Salisbury World that Rev. Mr. Smoot, who has been quite sick, is somewhat improved. He is under the treatment of his son, Dr. J. E. Smoot.

Read the advertisement of Dry & Wadsworth in today's paper. This is a hustling firm and they offer up-to-date furniture at remarkably low prices for the holidays.

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The long looked for barber chair has come at the white barber shop. Now let the citizens come and give us a call. Come one, come all.

Prof. Henry Lewis Smith, of Davidson College, will occupy the pulpit at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow morning and evening. The church will be well warmed and ventilated.

For every variety and phase of the many diseases which attack the air passages of the head, throat and lungs, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral will be found a specific. This preparation allays inflammation, controls the disposition to cough, and prevents consumption.

R. P. Foster, master of trains for the third division of the Southern Railway (which includes the Western North Carolina road), has been made agent at Asheville. C. L. Ewing, who has been at Durham for six months but who is from Chicago, succeeds him as trainmaster.—Statesville Landmark.

If you're in doubt whether your trouble is indigestion or dyspepsia just take a few doses of Simmons Liver Regulator it will settle the whole question. "I have tried Simmons Liver Regulator for Dyspepsia and find it just the thing to relieve me. A small dose after meals is sure to prevent indigestion."—S. S. Perkins, Sharon, Ga. "Its the best medicine to aid digestion."—J. J. Black, Duncan, Arizona.

Tax Payers Take Notice—Positively the Last Call.

My duties as Sheriff of Cabarrus county, having this day ceased (which duties I have tried faithfully and honestly to perform) there remains nothing else for me to do, no public duties for me, except to collect the balance of the taxes for 1896. The taxes for 1895 were probably more nearly all collected than usual. Still there were more insolvents than should be, hence I propose, if possible, to reduce the list for 1896. As I am compelled to work for a support for my family and expect to leave Concord the first of January, 1897, I most earnestly request every tax payer to come at once and settle same, otherwise I am compelled to come or send a deputy collector, who will most positively (wherever the law will allow) attach cost to your taxes. If you can pay your taxes with additional cost, most assuredly you can pay the tax without the cost and I certainly prefer your keeping the cost. I take this method of again giving you public notice that the law has been changed. Your taxes are due before the close of the year and I propose, as fast as possible, to enforce the law. A word to the wise is sufficient.

Yours most respectfully,

JOHN A. SIMS,

Tax Collector.

Dec. 7th

TO CURE A COUGH IN ONE DAY
 Take laxative Broomo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Mr. Sandy Propat, of No. 4, a mile north of Hileman's mill, Tuesday killed two hogs—one weighing 365 pounds and the other about 360. Mr. Jesse Skeen, of Mt. Pleasant, killed a hog on last Tuesday which weighed 396 pounds. How's this?

During the prevalence of la grippe, those who made use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral found it prompt to act and sure to cure. No other medicine is so safe and efficacious in all diseases of the throat and lungs, and it is the only remedy successful in consumption.

Salisbury will vote on the question of issuing \$100,000 bonds for the purchase of the water works and the erection of an electric light plant.

Arbuckle Bros., the coffee dealers, will erect a sugar refinery and compete with the sugar trust.



When a young couple runs away to get married half the world says: "How Romantic!" the other half says: "How silly!" But you can't tell either way until the "honey-moon" is over. When this young couple get settled down to the regular hum-drum of life, they'll manage all right and find solid happiness in any case, if they have good hearts and sound health. All depends on that.

It's wonderful how much health has to do with married happiness. Sickness affects the temper. You can't be happy nor make others happy if you're ailing. When you find yourself irritable, easily worried, beginning to "run-down" it's because your blood is getting poor. You need richer blood and more of it. Your blood-making organs need to be vitalized by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It imparts new power to produce an abundance of the healthy, red corpuscles, and gives you a fresh supply of pure, rich blood. It's a blood-creator; it is for everyone whose blood is impure or in a poor, "run-down" condition. It prevents the germs of disease from getting a hold on your system. Even after disease is settled on you, it is driven out by the blood-creating properties of the "Discovery." It is a perfect cure for general and nervous debility, catarrh, malaria, eczema, erysipelas, scrofula and every form of blood-disease. It is not called a consumption-cure but even consumption, which has its roots in the blood—is driven out by the "Golden Medical Discovery" if taken in time. The "Discovery" is the prescription of one of the most eminent physicians and medical writers in this country.

BACKACHE AND RHEUMATISM FORGOTTEN
 by Dr. Miles' Nerve Plaster.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

The Ebb and Flow of the Human Tide at This Port, as Seen By Our Reporter.

—Lawyer Crowell is in Charlotte on business today.

—Mr. W. M. Ridenhour, of Greensboro, is in the city.

—Mr. B. F. Rogers came in today from a business trip South.

—Miss Nonie Boyd has returned from a pleasant visit to Newell's.

—Mr. S. P. Swicegood, of Salisbury, spent last night in Concord.

—Mrs. Dr. Register returned to her home in Charlotte this morning.

—Mr. D. C. Cecil, a brick contractor of Lexington, is stopping at the Morris House.

—Miss Mabel Barrier, of Mt. Pleasant, is visiting at the home of Mrs. John D. Barrier, on Bell avenue.

—Mr. Geo. J. Studdert, of Washington, D. C., is registered at the St. Cloud.

—Miss Antoinette Allen, who has been visiting relatives in Concord, went to Charlotte this morning.

—Mr. A. B. Correll leaves for Raleigh tonight. Mr. R. H. White will continue his business here until the 1st of January.

—Mr. W. E. Holdbrook, agent of the Charlotte News, was a welcome caller at the sanctum of THE STANDARD this morning.

—Mr. M. B. Hartsell returned home this morning and will resume his duties at the ticket office tomorrow.

Plaint of a Dyspeptic.

A poor unfortunate who has been there contributes in an exchange the following gem for immortality:

"Backward, turn backward, O time in thy flight, feed me on gravel again just for tonight; I am so weary of restaurant steak, petrified doughnuts and vulcanized cake; oysters that sleep in a watery bath, butter as strong as Goliath of Gath; weary of paying for what I don't eat, chewing up leather and calling it meat. Backward, turn backward, for weary I am, give me a whack at my grandmother's jam; let me drink milk that has never been skimmed; let me but once have an old fashioned pie, then I'll be willing to curl up and die."

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale at P. B. Fetzler's Drug store.

Last Notice—Town Taxes.

I must have your taxes by the 1st of January. I will have to settle with the town on that date. I hope all persons owing the same will call and settle at once. I will be compelled to advertise if not paid by that time. I hope you will settle and save costs.

J. L. BOGER, Town Tax Collector.

Oct. 15, 1896

Old Mercantile Co's GRAND RUG SALE
 begins today.

Just think of it. Rugs made out of **MOQUETTE AND VELVET CARPET** worth \$1 to \$1.50 per yard will be sold in rugs 1 1/2 yards long fringed for \$1 per rug. Everybody get one. They are going to move.

Old Mercantile Company
 THE BARGAIN MERCHANTS.

KEEP WARM.

The famous North Carolina **BLANKETS** 10-4 11-4.

See us on Ladies' Wool Vests. Can do you good.

Stick a pin right there.

CANNONS & FETZER.

A NEW LOT OF **CAPES, JACKETS**

just in from New York. The very latest style. Every one a bargain. Come at once and see them.

We want, particularly to call your attention to our **Ladies and Children.**

-SHOES-

They are known as "Long Wearing." Every one who tries them come back when in need of another pair. Our line of Children Shoes can not be excelled. Try them and be convinced.

A Nice Line of **KID GLOVES** Just Received.

We are daily adding to our stock in all its line. Will take great pleasure in showing our goods.

Come to see us

GIBSON & MORRISON.

LOWE & DICK.
 THE CHEAP STORE.
 HEADQUARTERS.

The Price Regulators.

It's bound to come when you see the crowd moving our way. Where the whole public can get all of their wants supplied at the very lowest possible price. No one doubts that, as it is a conceded fact that this is the

Cheapest Store in Town.

You at once hear the small dealers cry out

REMOVAL SALES,

CLOSING OUT.

FIRM CHANGES Etc

When they can't keep up with the procession they have to fall out of line. We want to say right here that we are here to stay. These people are entirely too good to us for us to think of making a change. Our sales this year will double previous years and it makes the merchants look very ugly at us, who have to stand around with nothing to do, when they see the multitudes of trading people flock in and out of our house.

Investigate very closely all prices that you pay when you deal with these fake sales. We are rolling along buying goods at prices that enable us to sell them at our small profits and it is still under a great many cost sale prices.

-HEAVY YARD WIDE-

SHEETING

5 cents per yard. Heavy Plaids to any one that wants them 3 cents. Men's Undershirts 1 1/2 cents. Zephyrs, Wash Silks, Crochet Silks, in nice line of colors.

Keep up with the crowd and you will land at

HEADQUARTERS.

LOWE & DICK'S.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONCORD, N. C., Dec. 1, 1896. The Southern Express Company will sell, at public auction, at D. P. Davault's store, for charges, about three hundred freight packages, being on hand six months and over, on Saturday, January 9th, 1897, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. unless called for, charges paid or otherwise disposed of before day of sale.

D. P. DAVVAULT, Agent.

O. M. SADDLER, Superintendent.

L. T. HARTSELL,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

CONCORD, - - N. C.

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Tired and broken down women will find that **DR. KING'S ROYAL GERMETUER** is a priceless boon and blessing to them. It gives appetite, brings restful, refreshing sleep, aids digestion, tones the nerves, builds up the strength and puts disease and pain to flight. For

FEMALE TROUBLES

Including all menstrual and womb difficulties, it has no superior—used both locally and internally. It is emphatically

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