

THE STAR OF ZION.

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ANNUAL CONFERENCES

New Jersey Conference—Meets in Red Bank the 2d Wednesday in April, 1884.

BISHOP J. P. THOMPSON, Presiding.

Central N. C. Conference—Meets in Wm. N. C. on the 4th Wednesday in November, 1884.

BISHOP S. T. JONES, Presiding.

Georgia Conference—Meets on the 3d Wednesday in Nov., at...

BISHOP LOMAX, Presiding.

Philadelphia and Baltimore Conference—Meets in 1885.

BISHOP J. W. HOOD, Presiding.

Arkansas Conference—Meets in Little Rock, Arkansas, on the 2d Wednesday in November.

BISHOP J. P. THOMPSON, Presiding.

North Carolina Conference—Meets in Lancaster on the 3d Wednesday in November, 1884.

BISHOP J. J. MOORE, Presiding.

Virginia Conference—Meets at New McBride church, Camden county, N. C., on the 3d Wednesday in November, 1884.

BISHOP S. T. JONES, Presiding.

East Alabama Conference—Meets at...

BISHOP J. W. HOOD, Presiding.

West Tennessee and Mississippi Conference—Meets at Canton, Mississippi, on the 1st Wednesday in December.

BISHOP J. P. THOMPSON, Presiding.

North Carolina Conference—Meets on the 1st Wednesday in December, 1884, at...

BISHOP T. H. LOMAX, Presiding.

West Tennessee and Mississippi Conference—Meets at Canton, Mississippi, on the 1st Wednesday in December.

BISHOP J. P. THOMPSON, Presiding.

West Alabama Conference—Meets in Birmingham, on the 2d Wednesday in December.

B. LOMAX, Presiding.

Louisiana Conference—Meets on the Wednesday in January, 1885, at...

BISHOP LOMAX, Presiding.

Florida Conference—Meets at Jacksonville, on the 3d Wednesday in Feb. 1884.

B. J. J. MOORE, Presiding.

New York Conference—Meets in Williamsburgh, N. Y., on the 2d Wednesday in May, 1885.

BISHOP JONES, Presiding.

New England Conference—Meets in Hartford, Conn., on the 3d Wednesday in April, 1885, at 12 m.

B. S. T. JONES, Presiding.

Genesee Conference—Meets in Ithaca, N. Y., 1st Wednesday in September, 1884, at 10 o'clock A. M.

B. J. P. THOMPSON, Presiding.

*NOTE—As soon as the place and date of holding Conferences, that have not been specified, have been named, the Bishop of such district will please inform us, and we will publish the same.—EDITOR.

NOTE—The places and dates left blank will be filled in due time by the presiding Bishop.

New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and New Jersey yet to be appointed for the ensuing year.

According to the present arrangements, Bishop Thompson will be the presiding Bishop of New Jersey, and Bishop Moore the presiding Bishop of New York, after June 1st.

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RAILROADS.

PETERSBURG RAILROAD SCHEDULE IN EFFECT MAY 11th 1883.

Trains leave Petersburg (Washington street Depot) as follows:

PASSENGER TRAINS, daily—12:30 and 3:39 p. m.

Daily, except Sunday—FREIGHT TRAINS, daily except Sunday—5:00 p. m.; 9:30 p. m.

LEAVE WELDON.

PASSENGER TRAINS, daily—2:25 a. m.; 2:51 p. m.

Daily, except Sunday—6:50 a. m. FREIGHT TRAINS, daily except Monday—6:00 a. m.

FREIGHT TRAINS, daily except Sunday—1:10.

Train leaving Petersburg at 3:39 p. m. stops only at Bedford.

Sleeping cars and first-class coaches on night and day trains.

No change of cars between Wilmington and Washington.

Through Tickets sold to all Eastern, Northern and Southern points, and baggage checked through.

Passengers going South will purchase tickets and check baggage at Washington street depot.

Passengers going North and stopping at Petersburg will claim their baggage at Washington street depot.

Freight trains on this road are intended exclusively for freight, and no provision is made on them for the comfort or convenience of passengers. Persons who travel on these trains are specially notified that they are liable to delays, inconveniences, and risks not incident to passenger trains.

Agents are not required to open their offices for the sale of tickets for freight trains. North-bound freight trains will stop all night at Mt. Airy, and all passengers will be discharged at that point.

R. M. SULLY, Gen. Superintendent.

W. J. BROWN, Dispatcher of Trains.

RICHMOND & PETERSBURG R. R. CO., OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, RICHMOND, VA., March 20, 1883.

RICHMOND & PETERSBURG RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE IN EFFECT MAY 26, 1883.

Trains leave Appomattox Depot as follows:

PASSENGER TRAINS, daily—5:00 A. M., 8:15 P. M.

PASSENGER TRAIN, daily except Sunday—7:20 A. M.

FREIGHT TRAINS, daily except Sunday—7:40 A. M.

SUNDAY EXCURSION TRAINS—8:00 A. M., 4:00 P. M.

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RICHMOND AND DANVILLE RAILROAD COMPANY.

CONDENSED SCHEDULES, IN EFFECT AUG. 3d, 1884.

Through Pass Train No 50 Daily

Through Pa'r and M'l T'n No 52 Daily

Leave Richmond at 1:30 p. m. 1:28 a. m.

Arrive at Burkeville 3:38 p. m. 3:42 a. m.

Keyville 4:25 p. m. 4:32 a. m.

Chase City 6:05 p. m. 6:00 a. m.

Five Forks 6:53 p. m. 6:53 a. m.

Sutherland's 6:36 p. m. 6:34 a. m.

Danville 7:52 p. m. 7:56 a. m.

Greensboro' 9:45 p. m. 9:30 a. m.

Aleahigh 11:57 p. m. 11:38 a. m.

Salem 11:57 p. m. 11:13 a. m.

Salisbury 1:35 a. m. 12:35 p. m.

Charlotte 4:28 a. m. 3:45 p. m.

Spartanburg 5:43 a. m. 4:55 p. m.

Greenville 1:00 p. m. 11:30 a. m.

Lynchburg Passenger No 44, Daily, except Sunday—Leaves Richmond at 10:55 p. m. and arrives at Burkeville at 1:05 p. m.

Train No 44 connects at Burkeville with Norfolk and Western railroad for Farmville, Lynchburg and all southwestern points.

Train No 50 (through passenger) stops at all stations, connecting at Keyville for all points on R and M railroad; at Sutherland's with Milton and Sutherland Narrow-Gauge railroad for Milton; at Greensboro' for all points on Salem Branch; at Atlanta for all points South and Southwest; at Salisbury for all points on Western North Carolina railroad.

Train No 52 (through passenger and mail) stops at Salisbury, Greensboro' and Benja; Reidsville, High Point, Thomasville, Lexington and Concord, between Danville and Charlotte and all stations between Richmond and Danville; at Sutherland's with Milton and Sutherland Narrow-Gauge railroad for Milton; at Greensboro' for all points on Salem Branch and North Carolina division; at Charlotte with Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta railroad for Columbia, Augusta, Savannah, and Florida points, with Atlanta and Charlotte division for Atlanta and all points South and Southwest. Trains from the South arrive at Richmond at 7:41 a. m., 4 p. m., and 7:14 p. m.

BON AIR PASSENGER SERVICE.

(Daily except Sunday).

Trains Leave Richmond at 6:00 p. m.

Arrive Bon Air 6:25 p. m.

Coalfield 6:37 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Coalfield at 8:05 a. m.

Bon Air 8:18 a. m.

Arrive Richmond 8:41 a. m.

All regular passenger trains stop at Bon Air.

PULLMAN-CAR SERVICE.

On train 50—New York and Atlanta via Washington and Danville.

On train 52—Washington and Augusta, Washington and New Orleans, Richmond and Danville on train 52, returning Greensboro' and Richmond on No. 53.

Tickets sold to all points south, southeast, and southwest, and baggage checked through.

No lay-over checks given on local tickets.

M. H. WHITE, General passenger agent.

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RAILROADS.

NORFOLK AND WESTERN RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE IN EFFECT MAY 26, 1883.

WESTWARD.

Eastern Standard Time. No. 12. No. 3. No. 21.

At Norfolk 8:45 P. M. 8:30 A. M. 8:15 A. M.

At Petersburg 8:10 P. M. 7:55 A. M. 7:40 A. M.

At Farmville 10:00 P. M. 9:45 A. M. 9:30 A. M.

At Lynchburg 10:38 P. M. 10:23 A. M. 10:08 A. M.

At Rocky Hill 11:25 P. M. 11:10 A. M. 10:55 A. M.

At Big Spring 1:07 A. M. 10:52 A. M. 10:37 A. M.

At Christiansburg 1:43 A. M. 11:28 A. M. 11:13 A. M.

At Central 3:07 A. M. 12:42 A. M. 12:27 A. M.

At Pocahontas 3:15 P. M.

At Wytheville 8:28 A. M. 8:13 A. M. 7:58 A. M.

At Marion 4:24 A. M. 10:30 P. M. 10:15 P. M.

At Abingdon 4:24 A. M. 11:28 P. M. 11:13 P. M.

At Bristol 4:40 A. M. 12:05 P. M. 11:50 P. M.

At Bristol 11:25 A. M.

At Central 8:40 P. M. 8:25 P. M. 8:10 P. M.

At Christiansburg 4:10 P. M. 10:15 P. M. 10:00 P. M.

At Big Spring 4:47 P. M. 10:48 P. M. 10:33 P. M.

At Rocky Hill 5:34 P. M. 11:30 P. M. 11:15 P. M.

At Farmville 6:20 P. M. 11:58 P. M. 11:43 P. M.

At Lynchburg 7:40 P. M. 1:00 A. M. 1:00 P. M.

At Farmville 7:04 A. M.

At Burkeville 9:40 A. M.

At Petersburg 11:40 A. M.

At Norfolk 1:00 P. M. 1:30 P. M.

At Norfolk 1:45 P. M. 2:05 P. M.

Daily, Daily except Sunday.

At Norfolk No. 1 and 4 connect with S. V. railroad east. Pullman Sleepers to New York without change via S. V. railroad and Harrisburg on both trains.

At Lynchburg Nos. 1 and 4 connect with V. M. R. R. for Washington and the East. Train leaves Lynchburg 1:30 P. M. and 9:45 A. M. daily.

No. 3 makes connection at Petersburg for Richmond, arriving at Richmond 12:38 P. M. daily except Sunday. At Norfolk No. 3 arrives at 8:00 P. M., connects with Day Line steamer, leaving Norfolk daily except Sunday for Baltimore at 6:00 and with Old Dominion for New York on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday.

NEW RIVER DIVISION.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY) WESTWARD.

At Norfolk 11:10 A. M. 11:10 A. M. 11:10 A. M.

At Petersburg 11:35 A. M. 11:35 A. M. 11:35 A. M.

At Farmville 12:15 P. M. 12:15 P. M. 12:15 P. M.

At Lynchburg 1:00 P. M. 1:00 P. M. 1:00 P. M.

At Rocky Hill 1:45 P. M. 1:45 P. M. 1:45 P. M.

At Big Spring 2:30 P. M. 2:30 P. M. 2:30 P. M.

At Christiansburg 3:15 P. M. 3:15 P. M. 3:15 P. M.

At Central 4:00 P. M. 4:00 P. M. 4:00 P. M.

At Pocahontas 4:15 P. M.

At Wytheville 8:28 A. M. 8:13 A. M. 7:58 A. M.