

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

RAILROAD DIRECTORY.

Table showing train arrivals and departures for various routes including Richmond & Danville, Atlanta & Charlotte Air-Line, and Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta.

INDICATIONS.

WAR DEPARTMENT. OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, WASHINGTON, Oct. 2, 7:30 P. M. For the South Atlantic States, increasing cloudiness, northeast to southeast winds, stationary or higher temperature lower barometer.

Local Report for Yesterday.

Table with 4 columns: 7 A. M., 12 P. M., 5 P. M., and Clear. Rows include Barometer, Thermometer, Relative Humidity, Wind-Direction, Velocity, and Weather.

Meteorological Record.

Table with 4 columns: Stations, Barom, W. ind, Vel., and Weather. Lists various stations like Atlanta, Augusta, Charleston, etc., with their respective weather conditions.

Home Academics.

Meeting of the mining board at the office of Gen. Drayton this evening at 8 o'clock.

Sportsmen may now attack the unsuspecting partridge without fear of molestation, the 1st of October having arrived.

The chairman of the board of county commissioners has signed all the road tax lists and they are now ready to be sent to the various supervisors who are required to proceed at once to collect them.

Our John Brookfield, the auction man, has established still another branch of his business in Rock Hill. This makes about a half dozen different houses owned and run by him, and all seem to be prospering.

Mr. George Lethen, an energetic and steady young man of this city, formerly with Kyle & Hammond, has gone into the hardware business in Spartanburg, being the "Co" in the firm of Dillinger, Baker & Co. We wish him the best possible luck.

The manager of Bessie Darling, the English actress, the woman who possesses both good looks and good clothes, has written to the manager of the opera house for all his open dates in January. So we are likely to have still another star.

Capt. John Rosser, of Memphis, Tenn., a former resident of this county, and lately connected with this section of the State, was on the train which met with an accident on the Air-Line recently, and received several bruises, which have confined him to his room since his arrival. He is at the residence of Mr. C. H. Wolfe.

V. G. Groner, Esq., owner of the cotton compress, is very ill at the Central Hotel.

Col. Jas. H. Bion, of Winnsboro, S. C., is one of the counsel engaged in the Spartanburg & Asheville Railroad reference case, now being heard in this city.

Mr. A. T. Moss, who represents Chess, Corley & Co's oil business in this city, has just returned from a visit to the central office in Louisville. We understand that they propose to open up an extensive trade in turpentine at various points along the Carolina Central Railway, by which the tank cars which bring out oil will take back turpentine.

The firm controls the oil business in the South and should succeed in making the arrangements with the railroads desired it may be the means of giving new life and energy to the turpentine business in central and eastern North Carolina.

Negligence in Furnishing Educational Statistics.

The register of deeds has been compiled, through the negligence of school committee members throughout the county, to send a very incomplete list of school children in the county to the superintendent of public instruction. Notwithstanding the committees were formally called upon to make proper returns to the board of county commissioners very few of them responded, and no facts and statistics whatsoever have been furnished that are official as to the number of children in attendance upon the public schools last year, number of school houses, value of property, &c. The same negligence exists as to the agricultural statistics which the tax assessors were required to procure when they were receiving returns.

The Charlotte Horses in Atlanta.

The following notice of the Charlotte race horses in training at Atlanta for the fair, is from the Atlanta Dispatch's account of a visit to the fair grounds: "Mr. T. H. Fevry, owner of the splendidly looking young and the aged stallion 'Santuck,' a bright chestnut. His best time was 1:19, at three-fourths of a mile. A model in more respects than is generally seen in any one horse is the three-year-old 'Mackelburg.' He expects to try chances with the celebrated Ben Hill, Jr., at our coming fair. He is by Planet, from Mary Weaver. His two-year-old sorrel filly, 'Mollie,' is a perfect beauty. She moves as if she knew she was the observed of all sight-seers. Her shoulders are deep, sides stand well out, with legs clean and muscular, and a loin that indicates great power. She is by Abel Kopp, and is worthy of special mention. Great sport may be looked for this fall—between the 20th and 27th of October—at our great North Georgia Fair. Secretary Wrenn has not taken an hour's sleep in the last thirty days."

Feats in Cotton Picking.

Stories of feats in the line of cotton picking have commenced to come in from the country. In Long Creek to Whship, last Tuesday, Maggie Kearns, aged 17, picked, between sunrise and sunset, 216 pounds; Ed Kerkey, aged 14, gathered 222 pounds; and Will Kearns, aged 13, packed 216 pounds in his baskets. This is the best picking yet done in Long Creek by the "younger set" this season.

Mayor's Court.

There was quite a large crowd at his honor's levee yesterday morning. Bennett Barnes, M. Kendrick and Paul Eagle were arraigned for an affray in front of the Central Saloon, about a week ago. It was shown by the evidence that Barnes and Kendrick began to fight, and that Eagle pitched in, some witnesses testifying that he used a stick, and others saying that they saw nothing in his hand. Eagle was fined \$20 and cost, Barnes a penny and cost, and Kendrick \$7. The cost of the last took an appeal to the Inferior Court.

Gin House Burned.

One day the early part of this week the gin house of Squire Hinson, of Clear Creek township, about fifteen miles from the city, was destroyed by fire, and sufficient cotton in the seed to have yielded five or six bales. A part of this cotton belonged to Mr. Hinson, a part to Rev. Mr. Ellington, and the remainder to other neighbors. The fire broke out on gin, cotton and an out-house or tobacco shed, and were consumed, is estimated at between \$2,000 and \$2,500. How the fire originated is not known with certainty. The theory is that it was caused by a match in the cotton being ignited as it passed through the gin. The fire occurred in daylight while Mr. Hinson was from home.

The New Counterfeit.

The following is a description of the new counterfeit \$5 note on the National State Bank of Troy, N. Y., of which \$17,000 were found upon the person of William Cluff, when arrested by secret service officers in New York city Saturday evening last. The counterfeit has the name of John C. New, Treasurer, and a pointed seal, the genuine note bearing the same name has a scalloped seal, and the words "series of 1875" in colored ink, which the counterfeit has not. The old genuine issue of this bank, which has the pointed seal bears the name of F. E. Spinner, Treasurer. In the counterfeit the word Treasury under the name of Allison is spelled Treasury. The note is printed from the skeleton plates sold by Henry C. Cole before his arrest, to New York parties. The printing is much below the average of this class of work.

Railroad Notes.

In response to an inquiry as to which railroad was responsible for the delay in the building of the union passenger car, the Air-Line responds through one of its officials, "Not Me," and no one here doubts the statement.

Freight Conductor Moore, who recently met with the horrible fatality on the Richmond & Danville Railroad, was a great favorite on the line. As a mark of respect to his memory all the conductors' cars on the freight trains are draped in mourning. Such an honor is rarely shown to an employe.

The Duffie Mine Passes Under New Management.

The Duffie mine, situated about fifteen miles from the city, in Gaston county, three miles from Woodlawn and four miles from Brevard Station, on the Carolina Central Railroad, has just been taken in hand by parties who intend to work it vigorously. The property contains about 114 acres. We learn from a gentleman of long experience in mining who has just visited the mine and made a minute examination of it, that the vein length in the sand is about a half mile and is situated on the bank of a bold wooded gulch which runs down the center of the mountain. The mill is situated near the center of the track and directly over the main shaft. There are sufficient houses on the property for all practical purposes. The mill has ten stamps with a heating apparatus and is operated by a forty horse power engine. The mine has been worked considerably. The underground works consist of three levels 50 feet, another 70 feet and the third and deepest 110 feet. On this last named level, adits have been driven 60 feet south and 95 feet north. The vein is fully six to fourteen feet wide, all free easy milling ore and very easily worked.

September 23 P. M. Smart took charge of the mine as superintendent, with Capt. Wm. Richards as foreman and manager. Capt. Richards has been mining in the Carolinas for thirty years, and is thoroughly conversant with mining matters. Superintendent Smart arrived here night before last with 720 pwt. of amalgam from forty-four pans run with eight stamps (two being disabled). He is on his way North to procure capital to fully operate this valuable property. The number of men now employed in the mine is twenty-two.

Acquitted of the Charge of Murder.

A few weeks ago we published an account of the killing of Dr. J. J. Horton, brother of Mr. C. C. Horton, of this city, by Jas. C. Bennett, a tenant in Lancaster county, S. C. Bennett was tried last week at Lancaster and acquitted. The circumstances of the killing as adduced in evidence before the court are given by the Chester Bulletin as follows: "Bennett was a tenant on the plantation of Dr. Horton, working on shares. When the time arrived for a division of the crop of fodder, a controversy arose as to the terms of the contract—Horton contending that Bennett was to haul the fodder from the field, and Bennett insisting that he was only bound by the contract to pull and stack the fodder and that Horton should have it removed. The controversy continued a short while when Horton becoming incensed, called Bennett a 'd-d liar,' and charged Horton with having violated his contract in not digging a well on the place, which he had agreed to do, whereat Horton advanced upon Bennett with a stick, striking him two blows, and was in the act of striking a third when Bennett fired upon him with a pistol, the ball penetrating and severing the femoral artery. Dr. Horton lived only a very short time. We should say here, that it is a disputed point as to which first passed the lie; but Bennett in his statement to the jury claimed that Horton did. The State's witnesses testified that after striking Bennett two blows, Horton walked off to the fodder stack when Bennett fired upon him; but it was in evidence that the same witnesses had said before the convening of the court that Bennett fired immediately after striking him two blows, and that Horton was in the act of striking a third blow."

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The Proposed New Western Freight Rates.

It will be remembered that in his letter addressed to Col. W. R. Myers and published in THE OBSERVER about ten days ago, Maj. J. W. Wilson, president of the Western North Carolina Railroad, proposed, with a view to removing the cause of complaint, that might have existed against his road regarding freight discriminations, to prorate with the Atlantic, Tennessee & Ohio and Carolina Central Railroads on all business going either way over these roads on a per mile basis, mile for mile. The proposition was accepted by both these roads, and in accordance with Maj. Wilson's request, Superintendent Gormley, of the Atlantic, Tennessee & Ohio road, made up a schedule of rates and forwarded them to him, with the request that he put them into effect as early as practicable. The Carolina Central is now engaged in making up its tariff under the proposed new order of things, and will send it forward as soon as completed. The rates as forwarded by Capt. Gormley have not as yet come into operation. At the time of their forwarding Maj. Wilson was in Florida, on business connected with his line, and it may be that since his return he has been engaged with more pressing matters, and that this explains the delay. It is hoped that the new rates will be put into effect at as early a day as possible, as, in the meantime Charlotte is daily losing deal on much western business which, under the new arrangements, she will be able to command. Doubtless Maj. Wilson will be heard from on the subject in a few days.

Associate Reformed Synod of the South.

The seventy-seventh annual session of the Associate Reformed Synod of the South held at Union church in Chester county, S. C., closed recently after a very full, pleasant and harmonious meeting. It was opened with a sermon by Rev. W. S. Moffatt, of Ohio, the retiring moderator. Rev. J. H. Peoples, of Tennessee, was elected moderator, and Rev. D. B. Pressly, assistant clerk. In addition to the routine business we present the following summary of the proceedings: There was a long discussion on the subject of extension of the boundaries of the Church in the far West. The older congregations were earnestly exhorted to aid weak churches in the erection of buildings. Dr. Boyce delivered a sermon, by special appointment, on "The Discipline of the Church as a Divine Ordinance," which he was asked to have published. Rev. Dr. Scouthern, of Ohio, messenger of the United Presbyterian Church of the North, was presented and addressed the Synod briefly. The committee on Erskine College submitted a report through its chairman, Rev. W. B. Pressly, but discussion thereon was postponed. As a special order a conference was held on the subject of foreign missions. Interesting addresses were made by Revs. E. E. Boyce, D. G. Phillips, J. C. Galloway, J. H. Peoples, J. A. Myers, W. B. Pressly and Dr. Scouther. A long letter was read from Mrs. Griffith, the missionary in Egypt. A committee of conference with the United Presbyterian Church was appointed to open negotiations looking to a union of the two churches. Rev. Drs. James Boyce and J. I. Bonner and Hon. Mr. Simpson, of Tennessee, were appointed delegates to the Presbyterian Council, to meet in Philadelphia in September, 1880. Resolutions were adopted sustaining the mission in Charlotte. Rev. James Boyce, D. D., who has been for thirty-two years stated clerk of this Synod, tendered his resignation of this office, and Rev. L. Lathan was elected to fill his place. A board of church extension was organized with Rev. R. A. Ross, D. D., chairman, and Joseph Wylie, secretary. Rev. Dr. Ranson, of North Carolina, was appointed to edit and superintend the preparation of the series of the international questions for the use of Sabbath schools. The Synod adjourned to meet next year at Oak Hill, Ala.

Many a lady, whose complexion would be otherwise simply perfect, has just visited the unnoted department of the blood that mars it a little. Dr. Bull's Blood Mixture is the best remedy for the complexion.

DIED.

In Charlotte township, on the 22nd ult., of convulsive cholera, David Franklin Glenn, aged 79 years.

Case Attainable by the Rheumatic.

Yes, although they may despair of relief, it is attainable by rheumatic sufferers, for there is a remedy which carries off, by means of increased activity of the kidneys, the important channels for blood purification—the serum element to which the morbid elements of the system are attached—a theory completely borne out by urinary analysis. The name of this grand depurative is Hosianna, a preparation likewise celebrated as a remedy for constipation, which causes contamination of the blood, and therefore any one desiring means of relief in dyspepsia, fever and ague, and nervous ailments, it is, perhaps, the finest tonic extant, and is highly recommended as a medicinal stimulant by distinguished physicians and analysts who pronounce it to be eminently pure and very beneficial. The press also endorses it.

"They Are All Sold!"

"I am too late for this month's drawing!" is the tenor of a complaint which is becoming very general among those who letter and wait until the day immediately preceding the monthly drawing of the Louisiana State Lottery Company, which draws invariably at New Orleans, on the second Tuesday of every month. The fact is that the benefits which attend the purchase of this institution is characterized by an strengthened reputation that its tickets are sold every month some days before the drawing and therefore any one desiring to invest in this manner should suffer no time to secure before they correspond with M. A. Baudin, R. F. Box 992, New Orleans, or same person, No. 319 Broadway, New York, relative to the 118th Grand Monthly Drawing which occurs on October 14th.

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New Advertisements.

LOST—A rather large cameo coral lady's gold bracelet, between the residences of Gen. R. Barringer and Mr. E. T. Butler. A suitable reward will be paid to the finder if sent to Mr. Gen. Barringer, or left at this office. Oct 15

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