F. M. SIMMONS' FAMOUS SECRET CIRCULAR

Under Which Thousands of Voters Were Disfranchised in 1892.

The following is a copy of a typewritten letter sent out to the chairmen of the several county Democratic committees and intended for their confidential use.

RALEIGH, N. C. Sept 29th, 1892

SIR:—I call your attention to the accompanying letter of Attorney-General Davidson.

The registrars must open their books and give proper notice of so doing on the 29th day of September and close them at 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, 29th day of October.

According to a recent decision of the Supreme Court, it is the duty of the registrar to read to each elector before he registers the enquiries at head of each column of the registration book, and he may record the voter's answer in the words in which he gives it or he may make the voter correct his answer, or give his statement more specifically.

The act is declared mandatory in the opinion referred to (Harris vs. Scarboro 110 N. C. Reports) and therefore the registration is unlawful if the elector fails to state his age, occupation, place of birth and place of residence of the elector, as well as the township or county from whence the elector has removed, in the event of a removal, and the full christian and surname by which the voter is known."

In answer to three questions, viz:

Place of residence, place of birth, and place from which voter has removed in case of removal, the court holds that it is not sufficient to enter simply the name of the State, but the name of the county at least must be entered. Where the registrar failed two years ago to enter the age, occupation, place of birth and place of residence of an elector as well as the township or county whence the elector has removed and the full name by which the voter is known, the elector still has the privilege of filling any blank or correcting any mistake,

I deem it unnecessary to call your attention to the importance of seeing that every Democrat is properly registered, and all registered two years ago who were not properly registered, to have the necessary correction in such registrations made.

You will please notify each registrar of your county promptly not only of the day of opening and closing the registration books, but take early occasion to see each one personally and give him full instructions as to his duty.

No more important duty devolves upon you in this campaign. This is a confidential communication and only intended for your guidance.

Yours truly,

[Signed] F. M. SIMMONS.
Chairman.

PINGREE'S FIGHT ON BURROWS.

Accuses the Senator of Lobbying Against Railroad Taxation Bill.

Washington Post.]

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. Oct. 17.—Gov. Pingree opened his campaign tonight in this city and gave evidence that his fight against the re-election of Senator Burrows will be to a finish. He declared that during the special session of the legislature Senator Burrows and McMillan used the Federal patronage at their disposal to influence members of the State Senate to vote against the passage of the railroad taxation bill. He demanded the defeat of Burrows and urged the voters to be careful whom they elected to the next legislature.

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The Peoples Party Congressional Ex. Committee met on the 11th in Durham and endorsed the nomination of Spencer B. Adams for Congress for the 5th Congressional District.

W. O. STRATFORD,
Ch'mn. P. P. Con. Com.

At a meeting of the Judicial Executive Committee of the Peoples Party, held in Durham on the 11th, nominated for Judge Wm. P. Bynum, Jr., and that of Wm. D. Merritt also for Solicitor for the district.

DR. WM. MERRITT,
Ch'mn. P. P. Judicial Ex. Com.
Per Stratford.

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An Advertisement in The Caucasian Brings Good Returns—Read What a Progressive Firm Says.

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ELKIN, N. C., May 21, 1898.

THE CAUCASIAN, Raleigh, N. C:

GENTLEMEN:—We enclose new copy of ad. for this season, and will thank you to insert instead of the old.

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Yours truly
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TAKE WARNING!

"The Man Whom the Democrats Think the Most Equipped to Organize "White Man's Government Unions."

RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 17, 1898.

As the Democratic State Executive Committee has seen fit in their wisdom to commission Hon. Frank D. Winston as the best equipped man to organize "White Man's Government Unions" in this State for political purposes, it may not be amiss to review the political history of this gentleman.

Prior to the year 1892 he was a Republican and resided in the County of Bertie, in the Second Judicial and Congressional Districts, and affiliated with the Republican party. No man in the State, white or black, showed greater love and solicitude for the colored man than did Mr. Winston. He canvassed his District, and urged the election of several colored men, among whom are J. E. O'Hara, H. P. Cheatham, and Geo. H. White. He not only canvassed for these men, but voted for them, and other colored men for County officers, and expressed his anxiety for their election.

The following is a copy of a letter he wrote Hon. Geo. H. White, then colored Solicitor for that District, and a candidate at that time for renomination, and now a member of Congress from that District, and candidate for re-election.

"Hon. Geo. H. White, Rocky Mt., N. C.

"My Dear Sir: I regret that I cannot attend the Judicial Convention on account of pressing engagements. Please put in a word to secure my nomination for Judge. While there is not much hope for an election, still the remote possibility of riding the District with you is a great pleasure. Wishing you success, I am,

Very truly yours,

("Signed) FRANCIS D. WINSTON.

The Convention nominated Mr. Winston for Judge, and Geo. H. White for Solicitor. This is the man whom the Democratic party has commissioned to organize these unions all over the State. At that time he wanted office, and he stated "the remote possibility of riding the District with you (Geo. H. White) is a great pleasure." Today this man is traveling from one of the State to the other, denouncing the colored man, and doing all he can to arouse race predjudice. There are many other prominent Democrats who are yelling "white man," whose character along this line is as "vulnerable" as Mr. Winston's. "Can the Ethiopian change his skin, or the leopard his spots" by simply changing his politics?

FOR THE DEMOCRATIC HANDBOOK.

The Following are Some Important Facts Which Were Left out of the Democratic Hand Book.

Thirty-three out of thirty-six members of the Democratic State committee are lawyers.

No Democrat has been honestly elected Governor of North Carolina since 1876—Wilmington Messenger (Democratic).

The Democrats of Madison county once nominated negro Todd Caldwell for county commissioner, but he would not accept.

In Weldon the Democrats fused with the negroes and elected their white candidate for Mayor and gave the negroes the police offices.

In 1870 and 1871 the Democratic State Senate elected Tom Christmas, a negro, to an office of the Senate over a disabled Confederate soldier.

The Democratic magistrates in Catawba county, a few years ago appointed a negro a road overseer, and the records will show it. He was in several years.

Once upon a time when the good old days of "White Supremacy" an offensive negro was brought out, supported and elected Mayor of an eastern town by Democrats over a decent and intelligent white Republican. The bringing of white "ladies" before this negro Mayor for trial would be an excellent subject for Josephus Daniels' cartoonist.

Under the present administration over $90,000 was collected and turned over from the office of Secretary of State to the State Treasurer in one year. Under no year under Democratic administration has there been turned over in one year as much as $60,000. Yet the Democrats make their platform say: "We denounce the scandal, extravagance, incompetency and corruption of the present Republican Administration."

In North Carolina the only State official who defaulted and left the State was a Democart. The Democratic State Treasurers of Alabama, Tennessee, Louisiana, Mississippi, Arkansas and Maryland embezzled hundreds of thousands of dollars of public money, and some of them are fugitives to-day. Shame upon those Democratic scoundrels! Yet they come before the people every election year with their goody-goody soft sounding resolutions of "reform."

In the good days of Democratic rule they had a certain Democratic legislature, and during a term of this legislature they had a Democratic lobby which joined Swepson, Coran and other Democratic railroad presidents and secured the appropriation of millions of fraudulent bonds. At a late date the sum of $25,000 in bonds was paid to a Democrat for his services in one case before our Supreme Court to try to fasten these bonds on the people of our State.

On the night before the canvassing board met in Brunswick county in 1884, one Bellamy and Sol Weill chartered a boat and at the hour of midnight went to Southport convened the canvassing board, all of whom were Democrats, and made the arrangements to throw out the entire Populist vote of that county on the grounds that the ballots were not printed on white enough paper, and the votes were thrown out.—"Secret Circular Simmons" General Manager.

To-day in Onslow county, negroes are housed in the same building on the county farm in the county poor house with whites. Not only that, but the white matron of this county is forced to wait on and attend to a decrepid old negro who cannot help himself. This is shocking. White men should rise up from one end of the State to the other and condemn it and put an end to such scandalous scenes Yet this is occurring in the Democratic county of Onslow.

When ex-Congressman Grady was recently county examiner in the county of Duplin he examined his white teachers and his negro teachers at the same time and in the same room. We are informed that on one occasion a charming white lady was forced to sit at the same table with a "big, black, burly" negro school teacher during the examination. This is truly shocking. Every white man in the State ought to rise up in indignation to condemn it. But the Ransom machine forgot to put this in their hand book.

The last Democratic Board of Newberne voted for and elected to board of city council the following negroes: Cicero Robbins, V. A. Crawford and Wm. James.

GLEANINGS HERE AND THERE.

For the Clinton CAUCASIAN.]

There is one man in our county who says that Hon. Charles R Thomas has got to go to Congress, after the coming election, if he has to take his mule and cart and convey him up to Washington. Well we suspect that Congress would adjourn in their honor if they should get there.

There is a certain Democrat who expresses great surprise, because Mr. J. E. Royal, a prominent merchant, farmer and ginner, of Clinton, has employed a Populist as his cotton weigher. We give Mr. Royal credit for having too much sense to think that a Populist is a worthless creature and that nobody can do any thing with credit except he be a Democrat. And besides, the Populists of our county grows a large per cent. of this product and they will not grumble because one of their number weighs their cotton. Some of our Democrats are pretty aspects to behold, and the man of whom we speak is one of the number. No man of any other political faith has ever been known to speak so foolishly.

One Lockamy, a Democratic conductor on the C. F. & Y. V. R. R., while passing the little station of Parkersburg a few days ago, asked the depot agent, Mr. Simmons, if he was ready to vote and to be sure to go to the election and vote the Democratic ticket. That if he did not he would have to sweep out his office the day after the election and leave it. Mr. Simmons is a Republican and told the conductor that he did not think he would go about the election. Don't you see how the bosses attempt to force their inferiors to do their bidding. "Sink or swim," if we were in place of Mr. Simmons we would vote according to the dictates of our conscience.

Yes let the Democrats who will, stay at home after the election, and protect their wives and daughters who are subject to the great deluge "The Negro Racket" which they say is playing havoc with everything that is in sight. Poor scared creatures. How we sympathize with them in this hour of great distress, when they have no office to protect them.

The News and Observer of October 12th says that there are two kinds of Populists, one kind who are Populists from principle, and another kind who are Populists for pie. Well it may be, that that is true, but I wish the Observer would kindly tell us how many kinds of Democrats there are. We know the party is the possessor of the above named two kinds, and we think there is a kind the height of whose ambition is this "Oh! Lord!" help us to do everything that F. M. Simmons and the other bosses of the Democratic party say for us to do we humble ask thee. Amen."

W. F. S.

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HON. J. E. FOWLER AT PARKERSBURG

Fowler Made Votes—While Kerr Simply Made an Oration That Was a Complete Failure so Far as Votes are Concerned.

For the Clinton Caucasian.

Hon. John E. Fowler and Mr. E. W. Kerr spoke at Parkersburg, Thursday, October 6th. Mr. Fowler made the opening speech of about one hour. He turned the rays on the Democratic nigger squalling machine. He told the people how Democrats had appointed and voted for negroes.

He made Mr. Kerr own that a number of the most influential Democrats of Fayetteville voted for negro George Scurlock against B. F. Grady for Congress. Well this confession completely killed the Democrats who were not informed on the nigger question.

After Mr. Fowler had recited a few more instances where the Democratic machine had honored their brother in black, he discussed the more important issues, as the free and unlimited coinage of silver, National Banks, governments by injunction, 99 year midnight railroad steal &c. Mr. Fowler made a strong speech and it was well received. We know of one Democrat who was honest enough to say after the speaking that he was disgusted with the Democratic machine and would cast his first Populist vote on the 8th day of next November.

Well Mr. Editor I would like to give a brief report of Mr. Kerr's speech, but guess you have heard the wind blow. Well that was what his speech was composed of. Mr. Fowler knocked the nigger prop from under him in the first round. He reminded me of a pump without a handle or a ship at sea without a helm. After his mouth was shut on the nigger, he was completely lost. He managed to collect his thoughts enough to pay his respects to the ladies (about one-half dozen present) and after he had finished his compliments to the ladies the next we heard from him he was telling us how easy Dewey cleaned up the Spaniards at Manila. We next found him away up North about the Klondike. He soared high in the skies and there found a movement that had been erected to a Mr. Cleas, some noted sailor. On his way back home he stopped at the foot of the Blue Ridge Mountains and viewed the grave of the lamented Vance. Here his voice began to tremble as though he was about to shed tears. About the time an old gentleman came along who Mr. Kerr thought was a Democrat and tried to prove an assertion by him, but on receiving a reply in the negative, he got another knock out and the whole thing bursted.

We think if the Democrats will send Mr. Kerr all over the county that the Peoples Party will get the largest majority on record.

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SENATOR TILLMAN

Speaks at Fayetteville to a Good Sized Audience—Advises Populists to Help Democrats if Ransom Machine Was in Control.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Oct. 22, 1898.

EDITOR CAUCASIAN:—Yesterday was Ben. Tillman day in Cumberland The day was inauspicous raining all the morning, nevertheless there were from three to four thousand, including ladies, to hear the great South Carolinian.

The Populists of Cumberland had looked with many misgivings as to the consequences of Tillman day for Cumberland county politics.

The Fusion candidates began their county canvass at a remote part of the county on that day.

Your humble correspondent had faith in Tillman, and advised his Populist friends to come out and hear him, many came and were well repaid.

Thos. W. Mason, a noted Democratic howler of North Carolina, preceeded Tillman, so as to set the pace for the South Carolinian to give him points in North Carolina politics. He began with many apologies and assurances that he was speaking at Tillman's request. He raved, ranted, and beat the air to no purpose for forty minutes, and in this short time had to stop twice to assure the crowd that he was speaking at Tillman's request, and would close in a few more minutes.

About 1 p. m., the great Ben. Tillman arose to address the crowd. He began slowly. The world has but one Ben. Tillman. One almost imagines when he looks at Tilman, when he is in repose, that he was made at the forge of vulcan, from the thunderbolts of Jove, and when that stern face is clouded one almost expects to see the lightning flash from the terrible brow, but Tillman can look pleasant sometimes, and so he looked yesterday when he rose and looked over that great audience, including hundreds of ladies who had come out to do him honor on that rainy morning. He said that never before had he been in so much doubt as to what he should say. But with few preliminaries and no hesitation, he proceeded to cut and slash the Democrats and Populists of North Carolina, without mercy, but admitting to a certain amount of ignorance as to the actual situation here, those who did know, saw that he was really exonerating the Populists, and giving it to the Democrats hip and thigh. He proposed to castigate the Democrats and rub salt on the sores, after which he proposed to throw some salt and pepper in the Populists eyes. While he was unmercifully flogging the Democrats the crowd yelled and roared with applause. He spoke of North Carolina Democrats as political idiots, and the idea was cheered with a will. When the time came to whale down on the Populists, he proceeded with many misgivings, and so hedged his remarks with "ifs and ands" that his house was really praise. The vast audience became lantern-jawed and silent. The great oratorical gladiator thrust in his keen blade time and again for Populist blood, yet it remained bright and stainless. The vast audience became more funeral-like and sad. Finally the great man paused, and looking all over the grief-stricken crowd, he said: "My God! people, I thought I was brought here to talk to Democrats, but judging from what the crowd cheers for, and assumes a funeral aspect at, this audience must be all Populists.

He said if Mat Ransom was behind the Democratic machine in North Carolina, that he could not advise the Populists to go to its rescue.

He said if the old aristocratic ring that formerly ruled in North Carolina, were trying to get back in power, that they would fail and deserved to fail; that if such was the case, for the free silver Democrats and Populists to rub out, and commence of a new, to get a lot of soap and go to the spring and wash themselves and then get together for white supremacy and good government, and let the old Ransom gang go.

The rank and file of the Democrats seemed pleased with Tilman beyond measure. He said himself, that the Populists loved him more than any living Democrat—that he had a Populist nerve in his back, about the size of his finger.

I almost forgot to say that "Old rain in the face" was on hand, and undertook to rave to the crowd after Tillman ceased, but it was no good; the crowd began to break, as he began his rawings, and in twenty minutes he subsided and bowed with poor grace to the inevitable.

One fellow undertook to guaranthe to Tillman, that the Populist's franchise would be protected, if they would let the Democrats in, but Tillman said he did not get much by the guarantee of a North Carolina "red shirt." He would prefer to hear from the State Executive Committeo. With two whites to one negro, Tillman seemed to think very little of North Carolina "red shirts," and remarked favorably on their scarcity in the audience.

JOHN MCDUFFIE.

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Office of County Supervisor
Whiteville, N. C., October 17, '98.

FOR THE CAUCASIAN.]

Mr. D. J Lewis has joined the Populist party and has been placed upon the Populist and Republican ticket as State Solicitor in place of Mr. Cameron, who has been taken down. Mr. Lewis will enter upon the campaign right away. Our Populists are proud of his accession to our party. The three leading lawyers of Whiteville are now Populists. Four years ago we did not have but one.

Mr. Lewis speaks Wednesday, October 19th, Wadesboro.

The Populist county commissioners have reduced the county debt in the last two years about two thousand dollars. The public school fund has increased from 70 cents per capita in 1895 under Democratic rule to $1.10 per capita in '97-'98 under Populist rule.

Mr. Eli Hinson is the keeper of the County Home. He has made a splendid record so far. He has made a good crop of corn, peas, potatos and other vegetables for the support of the paupers, which has never been done before. In short, the Populist administration is a great improvement on the Democratic administration, socially, morally and financially. The Dems. are crying "nigger, nigger, nigger," which is their only hope.

W. H. SELLERS.

GEN. WEAVER WILL BE ELECTED

The Peoples Party Candidate for President will be in the Next Congress.

The Washington Post is opposing the election of General Weaver to Congress, but the following is what it says about him and the fight he is making for Congress in his district in Iowa:

"In the Sixth District General Weaver is making a supreme effort to defeat Maj. Lacy. Weaver represented this district in 1878-80. He dropped out in 1890 to become the Greenback nominee for President, and in 1882 was defeated by M. E. Cutts. He was elected as a fusionist in 1884, re-elected in 1886. Weaver is a past master in the campaigning art. He can kiss the babies, knows what to say to the farmer's wife, and has a magnetic hand-shake which has done yeoman's work service in many a hard campaign. Although his career is marked with more defeats than victories, he is always a dangerous foe, resourceful and ever active. He is now engaged in making a house-to-house canvass of the district.

Major Lacy does not underestimate his opponent. He has known him too long to do that, but he fears Gen. Apathy more than he does Gen. Weaver, and thinks that the latter can defeat him only through the aid of the former."

It is safe to say that Weaver will be elected. He will be a power in the next Congress. If the majority in Congress was made of such men as Weaver, prosperity would be soon restored.

A Card From Railroad Commissioner John H Pearson.

To Whom it May Concern.

Public speakers have been stating, without contradiction, that the Railroad Commissioners, as now constituted, have increased the taxable valuation of horses, mules, cattle, hogs, sheep and bicycles. This attempt is untrue. The Commission, composed of Messrs. J. W. Wilson, President, S. Otho Wilson and D. H. Abbott, about June 1897, as the records will show, unanimously agreed to increase the valuation of horses, mules, cattle, hogs and sheep, and so ordered.

Ending that this had already been done, I proposed, at the meeting of the commissioners on July, 1898, to increase the tax on bycicles so as to bring them up in all counties where the assessments was below the average. Dr. Abott suggested that inasmuch as the valuation of railroads and telegraph lines had been increased five million dollars by us, that a corresponding increase ought to be made in the valuation of land.

This proposition was opposed by me on the ground that it was not just, and for the further reason that the charge could not be properly made unless the Commissioners could visit every county and confer with the local assessors. Chairman Caldwell expressed his concurrence in my views, and, for that reason, Dr. Abbott's proposition was not submitted in the shape of a motion.

JOHN H. PEARSON.

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To the Taxpayers of Gates County.

The following report is submitted for your consideration:

NORTH CAROLINA, } Office of Reg.
Gates County. } of Deeds.

I, Lycurgus Hofler, Register of Deeds for Gates county, do hereby certify that the following is a true and exact statement of the county orders for the time indicated, viz:

From Dec. 1st, 1892, to Dec. 1st, 1893,	$ 3,824 26
From Dec. 1st, 1893, to Dec. 1st, 1894,	2,603.08
From Dec. 1st, 1894, to Dec. 1st, 1895,	3,224.33
From Dec. 1st, 1895, to Dec. 1st, 1896,	2,937.45
Total,	$ 12,589,12

COUNTY TAXES.

Taxes for 1892,	$ 3 501.08
Taxes for 1893,	3.537.57
Taxes for 1894,	3.611.22
Taxes for 1895,	3,483 59
	$ 14,133 46
Balance due county	$ 1,544.34
	$ 14,133.46

Witness my hand, this 17th day of October, 1898.

LYCURGUS HOFLER,
Reg. of Deeds.

This is what the Democratic administration has done in four years for the taxpayers of Gates county. Ask yourselves the question, can you again afford to intrust the government of your county into their hands?

The above statement shows conclusively that the Democrats, while in control of the county government 4 years, failed to account for $1,544 34 of the county tax.

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Ar Durham	†7 32am	†4 16pm
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Monroe	6 43am	9 12pm
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Charlotte	*7 50am	*10 25pm
Ar Chester	*8 05am	*10 59pm
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Ar Columbia S.A.L.	*9 45am	*12 14am
Greenwood	10 36am	1 07am
Abbeville	11 03am	1 38am
Belton	12 07pm	2 41am
Ar Athens	1 18pm	3 43am
Ar Winder	1 56pm	4 28am
Ar Atlanta (Central time)	2 50pm	5 20am

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 402.	No. 38.
Lv Atlanta (Central time)	*12 00n'n	*7 50pm
Lv Winder	2 40pm	10 40pm
Lv Athens	3 13pm	11 19pm
Elberton	4 15pm	12 31pm
Abbeville	5 15pm	1 35am
Greenwood	5 41pm	2 03am
Clinton	*6 30pm	*2 50am
Ar Columbia C. N & L. R. R.	*7 45am	
Lv Chester, S. A. L.	*8 13pm	*4 25am
Ar. Charlotte	*10 25pm	*7 50am
Lv Monroe	*9 40pm	*6 05am
Hamlet	*11 15pm	8 00am
Ar Wilmington	*12 05pm	
Lv So. Pines	*12 00am	9 00am
Raleigh	*2 16am	11 25am
Ar Henderson	3 28am	*12 57pm
Ar Durham	†7 32am	†4 16pm
Lv Durham	†7 00pm	†10 19am
Ar Weldon	*4 55am	*2 45pm
Richmond A.C.L.	8 20am	7 35pm
Washington, Penn R R	12 31pm	11 30pm
Baltimore	1 46pm	1 08am
Philadelphia	3 50pm	3 50am
New York	*6 23pm	*6 53am
Ar Portsmouth	7 25am	5 20pm
Norfolk	*7 35am	*5 35pm

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	STATIONS	5 Passenger daily. P. M.	3 Passenger Daily except Sunday P. M.
W	Goldsboro*	5 20	3 40
Lv	Beste	a 5 40	a 4 00
W	LaGrange*	a 5 49	a 4 09
	Falling Creek	a 6 00	a 4 20
W	Kinston*	a 6 12	a 4 32
	Caswell	f 6 21	f 4 41
Ar / Lv	Dover	a 6 30	a 4 50
W	Core Creek	a 6 42	a 5 02
	Tuscarora	f 6 54	f 5 14
	Clark's	f 7 00	f 5 20
W / Ar / Lv	Newbern*	a 7 15 / f 7 25	a 5 35 / a 5 45
	Riverdale	a 7 50	f 6 10
	Croatan	a 7 53	f 6 13
	Havelock	a 8 05	a 6 25
W	Newport*	a 8 18	a 6 38
	Wildwood	8 24	f 6 44
	Atlantic	f 8 29	f 9 29
Ar / Lv	Morehead City*	a 8 37 / a 8 42	a 6 57 / 7 02
	Atlantic Hotel	.....	.....
W / Ar	M. City Depot*	8 50	7 10
		P. M.	P. M.

WESTBOUND TRAINS.

	STATIONS.	4 Passenger Daily except Sunday. A. M.	6 Passenger daily. A. M.
Ar	Goldsboro*	11 05	7 00
	Beste	a 11 43	a 6 38
W	LaGrange*	a 10 32	a 6 27
	Falling Creek	a 10 22	a 6 17
W	Kinston*	a 10 12	a 6 07