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SCHEDULE SOUTHERN - RAILWAY.

IN EFFECT JAN. 18, 1897.
This condensed schedule is published as information, and is subject to change without notice to the public:

TRAINS LEAVE CONCORD, N. C.
9:27 P. M.—No. 85, daily for Atlanta and Charlotte Air Line division, and all points South and Southwest. Carries through Pullman drawing-room buffet sleepers between New York, Washington, Atlanta, Birmingham, Galveston, Savannah and Jacksonville. Also Pullman sleeper Charlotte to Augusta.

8:48 A. M.—No. 37, daily, Washington and Southwestern vestibuled limited for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis, Montgomery, Mobile and New Orleans, and all points South and Southwest. Through Pullman sleeper New York to New Orleans and New York to Memphis. Dining car, vestibuled coach, between Washington and Atlanta, Pullman tourist car for San Francisco, Sundays.

9:02 P. M.—No. 9, daily, from Richmond, Washington, Goldsboro, Norfolk, Selma, Raleigh, Greensboro, Knoxville and Asheville to Charlotte, N. C.

10:30 A. M.—No. 11, daily, for Atlanta and all points South. Solid train, Richmond to Atlanta; Pullman sleeping car, Richmond to Greensboro.

10:07 A. M.—No. 36, daily, for Washington, Richmond, Raleigh and all points North. Carries Pullman drawing-room buffet sleeper, Galveston to New York; Jacksonville to New York; Birmingham to New York. Pullman tourist cars from San Francisco Thursdays.

9:02 P. M.—No. 38, daily, Washington and Southwestern vestibuled, limited, for Washington and all points North. Through Pullman car Memphis to New York; New Orleans to New York; Tampa to New York. Also carries vestibuled coach and dining car.

7:22 P. M.—No. 12, daily, for Richmond, Asheville, Chattanooga, Raleigh, Goldsboro and all points North. Carries Pullman sleeping car from Greensboro to Richmond. Connects at Greensboro with train carrying Pullman car for Raleigh.

6:17 A. M.—No. 10, daily, for Richmond; connects at Greensboro for Raleigh and Norfolk; at Danville for Washington and points North; at Salisbury for Asheville, Knoxville and points West.

All freight trains carry passengers.
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Official Programme for Sunday School Convention.

The Cabarrus county Sunday School convention will meet at Bethel church, No. 10 township, Tuesday, August 19. The following is the official programme.

Bible Reading and Devotional Exercises by the President at 9:30.

Enrolling Delegates.

Song.
At 10.15—Address by Rev. J D Arnold, Subject—"The Province of the Sunday School in the Temperance Work."

Song.
Open Conference.

Song.
At 11.15—Address by _____, Subject—"Home Preparation of Sunday School Lessons."

Song.
Open Conference.

Intermission.
AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 1.30—Song Service.
Address by Rev. Homer Barnhardt, Subject—"Modern Habits that Hinder Youthful Spiritual Development."

Song.
Election of Officers for ensuing year and other business.

Adjournment.
D. B. COLTRANE } Ex. Committee.
S. W. WINECOFF }
J. D. BARRIER }

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Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a severe Kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to cure all Kidney and Liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statement. Price 50c and \$1.00 at Fetzler's Drug Store.

Wilmington Tomorrow.

Excursionists will leave at an early hour for the coast—several hundred from this city.

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Mr. Robbins tells a STANDARD reporter that about 250 people will go from Forest Hill and quite a large number from down town. The train will leave the passenger depot promptly at the time advertised.

Returning the excursion train will leave Wilmington at 6 o'clock Friday evening, arriving here on its return at 4 o'clock Saturday morning.

Five coaches and a refreshment car will make up the train. The fare for the round trip is only \$2.50, and all those who have never seen the ocean, now's your chance.

August 12th, 13th and 14th, the Southern railway will sell excursion tickets to Washington, D. C., Richmond, Va., and Norfolk, Va., and return (from Concord) at rate of one first class fare for round-trip. Tickets iron-clad and good fifteen days from date of sale. This will be an excellent opportunity for our merchants to go North and buy their goods for the fall trade, as well as for those desirous of visiting the above cities for pleasure or otherwise.

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