

Arrival of Trains.
The following change of schedule took effect July 4, 1897, 12 o'clock.

NORTHBOUND.
No. 8 arrives at 6 03 a. m.,
" 36 " " 10 07 a. m.,
" 12 " " 7 22 p. m.,
" 38 " " 9 02 p. m. (F)
" 62 " " 11 20 a. m. (Freight)

SOUTHBOUND.
No. 37 arrives at 8 49 a. m. (F)
" 11 " " 10 28 a. m.,
" 7 " " 9 02 p. m.,
" 35 " " 9 27 p. m.,
" 60 " " 5 05 a. m. (freight)

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

HARRY P. DEATON, Local Reporter.

SHORT ITEMS.

Paraphrased, reprinted and Properly Placed Here.

Go to John P Allison's for best guano for wheat and oats.

Have you property to trade? Write Devenny Bros., McKeesport, Pennsylvania.

Several loads of watermelons were on the streets today. The season is about over.

Rev. W C Alexander will fill his pulpit tomorrow morning and night, as usual, at the First Presbyterian church.

The Hebrew year 5658 begins with tomorrow at sundown. This is considered one of the most sacred days of all by the Hebrews.

FOR SALE—One good 6 year-old horse. Will work anywhere. Good traveler. Call on or address W A Stone, Concord, N. C. sp26

WONDERFUL are the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and yet they are simple and natural. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes **PURE BLOOD.**

There are ten public bridges over Rocky River in Cabarrus, built and kept up by the county. This is only one water course.

The team of Mr. Cress Alexander, of Bethpage, became frightened and ran away at the platform Friday afternoon. No serious damage resulted, however.

Dr. W H Wakefield, of Charlotte, N. C., will be in Concord, at the St. Cloud Hotel, on Thursday, October 14th, this one day only. His practice is limited to the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

THE STANDARD'S good friend, Julius Brown, of No 8 township, gave us a call this morning. He is among the most substantial Cabarrus farmers.

Mr. Stafford Goodman says that the recent rain put the ground in such a fix that the farmers can't plow to an advantage, the soil being too wet.

One Poland China sow and six pigs have been taken up by Mr. Anthony Bost, an East Depot street. Owner will please go for them and pay damages.

Laboring men and women who are able to lay aside a small amount daily or weekly, will find the Cabarrus Savings Bank the most convenient and effectual means of accumulating that end. sp28 d

A protracted meeting will begin at the Baptist church tomorrow night. Rev. Dr. Barron, of Tryon street Baptist church of Charlotte, will assist the pastor next week.

Humors in the blood, pimples, scrofula sores, are promptly eradicated by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the One True Blood Purifier, nervous tonic and health builder.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, biliousness. 25c.

Some time ago it was discovered that a regular traffic was being carried on by Chinamen in San Francisco, who imported Chinese women and sold them to the highest bidder, and now it has been discovered that "employment agencies" in New York entice colored girls and woman from Southern cities and sell them.—Wilmington Star.

BEGONIAS 5c to 50.
FERNE 10c. to 25c.
GERANIUMS 5c. to 25c.
PALMS 75c. to \$3.00
QUINT E SMITH

Lost.—Two desk and postoffice keys, and button hook on ring. Return to this office.

The Holy Communion will be administered at Trinity Reformed church tomorrow in connection with the service at 11 a. m.

Three Italians, harpist, flutist and violinist, struck town Friday morning and dispensed very sweet music on the streets at night.

Prices tell the tale. Read the advertisement of the Old Mercantile Company in this issue, and you will be convinced that they mean business.

See John P Allison before selling your cotton. He pays highest cash prices for all you can take him. He keeps the very best goods to suit the farmer and will sell as cheap as the cheapest.

Robinson & Franklin's big circus will show in Concord on Monday, October 11th. The bill-posters will be here on Tuesday next, and from that time on the whole county will be stuck up with pictures, etc.

Allison & Addison's guanos are the best on this market for wheat, for sale by Jno. P Allison. He sells them so close that it makes them cheaper than other brands of equal quality.

W P Hornbuckle was before Esquire C A Pitts, charged with assault, and J B Shambelin was tried for trespass. The court fined the men each a penny and costs. Mr. Hornbuckle appealed to the Superior court.

Invitations have been received in the city announcing the marriage of Mr. Alexander Parker, of Salisbury, to Miss Sallie Dayton Johnston, of Cincinnati, the ceremony to take place in the First Presbyterian church of Asheville, on Wednesday evening, October 6th.

A Lexington special to the Charlotte Observer says: Arthur Davis, a colored boy, was found near the depot by the railroad track last night as the vestibule passed, going south, in an unconscious condition. His head has a severe cut, blood came from his ears and he has some internal injury. It is not known whether he was stricken by a passing train or he jumped from it. He is improving, but does not seem to know the cause of his injury.

GALA DAY AT MT. GILEAD.

Old-Time Shooting Match—Great Loss in Cotton to Farmers—Other Items.

Today was a gala day at Mt. Gilead. At 1 o'clock p.m. the bright boys and the pretty girls of No. 5 township, made recitations and delivered declamations. We will tell you next week the programme in toto. We had ice-cream and any amount of nick-nacks.

In ancient times, there were old-fashioned shooting matches all over North Carolina. No. 5 township keeps up this innocent amusement. We simply buy a beef and the best shot gets the choice beef. Today some one will have the extra cut of Mr. Ed. Lips's pretty beef, and four others will get the remainder.

The equinoctial storm has spoiled our pretty lint cotton, and it is getting yellow. The loss is great to the farmers—especially where no picking was done. All the talk about a big cotton crop and a down grade in prices, is bosh. It is not in the country. The dry weather set the hair on a month's crop, and as the negro says, the "economical storm" of the past three days did the rest.

Mr. George Krimminger is quite sick. His case is chronic, but we hope time will improve and relieve him.

C A Cline is having his house repainted, and finished up. Mr. Cline has a splendid country home and a beautiful yard, adorned with fruitful trees.

The bad weather did not stop the wood haulers; they go and come all day long.

Mr. Bob Cline has enough land in sweet potatoes to make him, he says, 600 bushels. His last year's crop averaged 300 bushels on 1 1/2 acres.

The Concordians, who went possum hunting in this township, Thursday night, caught more dew and cold than they did possums.

Your new correspondent,
PEARLE.

Prices Tell The Tale.

READ THE FOLLOWING:—

36 inch Fancy mixed all wool Suiting at 25 cents.

36 inch all wool SUITING at 22 1-2 cents.

36 inch all wool SERGE, blue and black, at 23 1-2 cents.

54 inch all wool FRENCH COVERT CLOTH worth 75c. for 60 cents.

52 inch all wool at 33 1-3 cents.

C L E CASHMERE, the 20 cent. grade for 12 1-2 cents.

36 inch all wool Henriettas at 25c.

46 inch all wool Henriettas. The 65 cent grade for 37 1/2 cents. A genuine bargain.

50 inch all wool Storm Serge that would be called a bargain by others at 65c. Our price 50c. Call for it.

46 inch all wool Storm Serge, the greatest bargain in Dress Goods ever shown, price 42 1/2c.

We are well known as the leaders of low prices and will continue to lead.

Shoe Department.

We have shoes for everybody and below all competition. SEE US. We are out for business, and if fair dealing and more goods for money than any house in the State will get it we will get our part.

OLD MERCANTILE COMPANY.

The Cash Bargain House of Concord

Odell Manufacturing Co.,

MANUFACTURERS OF

Fire Ginohams,
Outing Cloths,
Plaids, Sheetings
and Sal Bars

Dealers in
GENERAL
MERCHADISE

Buvers of
COUNTRY
PRODUCE

of all kind and 4-foot
wood always wanted—
best prices for same.

We invite an inspection
of all the goods
we manufacture.

ODELL MFG. Co.,
Concord N. C.

It Has the CASH RING.

Fancy mixed Silk and Wool Suiting new and un-to-date, 27 1-2c.

Fancy all wool Suitings, all the rage, only 25c. yard.

44 inch all wool Serge, 37 1-2c. yard.

36 inch all wool Serge 25c. yard.

English Coyerts for the Tailor Made Suits. 54 inches wide, 75c.

Satin finish wool Soliel, just out.

52 inch all wool suiting, 37 1-2c. yard.

The celebrated C L E cashmere, always sold at 20c. yard. Our price 15c.

See us and save Money.

Cannon & Fetzer Company

FREE.

We desire to call the public's attention to the fact that we are now prepared to furnish anything in our undertaking department from the cheapest coffin to the best burial cases. We give our personal attention to all funeral work.

FREE HEARSE.

Our elegant new hearse has arrived and we offer it FREE OF CHARGE to all our customers who may have occasion to need it. This offer applies to the citizens of China Grove, Enochville, Mt. Pleasant, Harrisburg and anywhere in Cabarrus county as well as in Concord.

We have a large stock of FURNITURE. Call to see us. Quick sales and small profits.

Very respectfull,

CRAVEN BROTHERS,

Next door to D.P. Dayvaults.

The Concord National Bank

Offer the business public a reliable, permanent, conservative and accommodating banking institution.

We solicit your business with the assurance of honorable treatment and due appreciation of your patronage.

If we can serve you at any time, we shall be glad to have you come and see us.

LIBERAL ACCOMMODATIONS TO CUSTOMERS.

Capital and Surplus \$70,000
D. B. COLTRANE, Cashier
J. M. ODELL, Pres.

MADE ME A MAN

ALL NERVOUS DISEASES—Failing Memory, Impotency, Sleeplessness, etc., caused by Abuse or other Excesses and Indiscretions. They quickly and surely restore Lost Vitality in old or young, and fit a man for study, business or marriage. Prevent Insanity and Consumption in taken in time. These are shown immediate improvement and effects a CURE where all other fail. List upon having the genuine Ajax Tablets. They have cured thousands and will cure you. We give a positive written guarantee to effect a cure. Price 50 CENTS per bottle, or six bottles (full treatment) for \$2.50. By mail, in plain wrapper, upon receipt of price. Circular sent. A. J. AXELSON, 19 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill.

For sale by R P J Gibson, Druggists

Needs No Explanation.

Madison, N. C., Aug. 4, 1897.
Goose Grease Liment Co., Greensboro, N. C.

Dear Sirs:—Please ship us at once one gross Goose Grease Liment. We are entirely out. Don't fail to ship at once. Please give us jobbers prices. It is the best thing we have ever seen.

W C JONES & Co.

GROVES



TASTELESS CHILL TONIC

IS JUST AS GOOD FOR ADULTS. WARRANTED. PRICE 50 cts.

GALATIA, ILL., Nov. 16, 1893.
Gentlemen:—We sold last year, 600 bottles of GROVES' TASTELESS CHILL TONIC and have bought three gross already this year. In all our experience of 14 years, in the drug business, have never sold an article that gave such universal satisfaction as your Tonic. Yours truly,
A. E. CARR & Co

For sale and guaranteed by all druggists.

SPINAL weakness easily cured by Dr. Miles' Nerve Plaster.