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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.
 9:25 P. M.—No. 35 daily for Atlanta and Charlotte; Air 25, a division, and all points South and Southwest. Carries through Pullman drawing-room buffet sleepers between New York, Washington, Atlanta, New Orleans, Savannah and Jacksonville. Also Pullman sleeper Charlotte to Augusta.
 8:49 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.
 8:53 P. M.—No. 7, daily, from Richmond, Washington, Goldsboro, Norfolk, Selma, Raleigh, Greensboro, Kuxville and Asheville to Charlotte, N. C.
 10:29 A. M.—No. 11, daily, for Atlanta and all points South. Solid train, Richmond to Atlanta; Pullman sleeping car, Richmond to Greensboro.
 10:08 A. M.—No. 36, daily, for Washington, Richmond, Raleigh and all points North. Carries Pullman drawing-room buffet sleeper, New Orleans to New York; Jacksonville to New York; Birmingham to New York. Pullman tourist cars from San Francisco Thursdays.
 8:53 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.
 7:08 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.
 6:27 A. M.—No. 10, daily, for Richmond; connects at Greensboro for Raleigh and Norfolk; at Danville for Washington and points North; at Salisbury for Ashville, Knoxville and points West.
 All freight trains carry passengers. JOHN M. CULP, W. A. TURNER, Traffic Mgr., Gen'l Pass. Agt., F. S. GANNON, Washington, D. C., Third Vice President and Gen'l Manager, Washington, D. C.
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 The Woodbury Messenger gives this version: "Sing a song of penitence, a fellow full of rye; four and twenty serpents dancing in his eye; when his eye was opened he shouted for his life; wasn't he a pretty chump to go before his wife? His hat was in the parlor underneath a chair, his boots were in the hallway, his coat was on the stair; his trousers in the kitchen, his collar on the shelf; but he hadn't any notion where he was himself; when the morn was breaking some one heard him call; his head was in the ice box, which was the best of all."

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