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THE NEW DEPOT

Now On the Road to Completion—A Great Improvement of Accommodation—Changes to Be Made Thereabout—The Dimensions of the Rooms.

Though the new passenger depot is not as large as some had expected it to be, still there will be a great improvement over the service rendered in the past. Ere many months, if the statements of the superintendent of that part of the work are upheld, Concord will scarcely look like herself at the depot.

The new passenger depot building is now up and almost at this time covered. The building is 70 feet and 2 inches long and 21 feet and 2 inches wide. In each end of the building is a waiting room measuring 21 by 29 feet. Between these two rooms there is an apartment 10 by 21 feet intended for the ticket agent and telegraph operators. As to whether the telegraph operators will occupy this place, it is not yet fully decided. On the side next to the railroad, at the middle of the building, is a bay window for the operator, in order that he may see approaching trains from either direction.

The roof, which is covered with slate, projects far over the edge, forming a nice shelter during rain and giving shade in the summer time.

Besides the constructing of this depot, quite a number of improvements and changes are to be made. It is the purpose of the superintendent to put a cement pavement around the depot, and to have the yard enclosed, except on the side next to the rails, by an iron fence. The timbers have already been placed near the rails to hold a walk of 400 feet in length.

The water tank, now standing near the bridge, will be torn down, and already have the foundations been built for two stand-pipes—one for engines going in each direction.

The side track between the new station and the main line will be torn away, so that there will be no track to cross to get upon the cars. A baggage room is yet to be built, too, below the passenger depot next to the Cannon mills. There will be a considerable change in the side-tracks thereabout, and as Superintendent Dodson said, "before he gets through here the large bank on the other side near the water tank will be torn away."

Mr. Dodson, who is superintendent of this part of the Southern's work, seems to be desirous of giving Concord better accommodation than she has been having, and it is hoped that soon Concord, unlike in the past, can be judged somewhat by its appearance at the depot.

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MONTHLY REPORT

Of the Graded Schools For November—The Standard Is High, But Some Reach It.

The following is the report for November:

CENTRAL BUILDING.

Boys 161, girls 162, total 323; attendance 94 per cent, cases tardy 32, corporal punishment 8, truancy 1, visitors 39.

CANNONVILLE.

Boys 34, girls 46, total 80; attendance 92 per cent; cases tardy 6, corporal punishment 0, truancy 0, visitors 0.

FOREST HILL.

Boys 38, girls 43, total 81; attendance 96 per cent, cases tardy 3, corporal punishment 0, truancy 0, visitors 0.

COLOR'D.

Boys 72, girls 100, total 172; attendance 94 per cent; cases tardy 83, corporal punishment 14, truancy 1, visitors 0.

Whole number in attendance, white, 484, colored 172, total 656.

HONOR ROLL.

9th Grade—Flossie Pounds, Nina Dayvault.

7th Grade—Shirley Montgomery, Myrtle Dayvault, Minnie Ross.

5th Grade—Lina Hartsell, Lawson Upchurch.

4th Grade—Yernie Blume.

3rd Grade—Margaret Woodhouse, Frances Goodson, Mary Morrison.

2nd Grade—Nellie Herring, Carrie Petrea, Lucile Pitta, Leslie Bell.

1st Grade—Annie Cook, Maggie Hendrix, Luther Sappenfield.

COLORED SCHOOL.

3rd Grade—Mamie Turner.

2nd Grade—Sadie Pressley, Shakespear Spears, Charlie Alexander, George Moore.

REMARKS.

The conditions of being on the honor roll is that the child must not be below 90 in any study and must not be absent nor tardy any during the month. This may seem like a high standard. But there is no honor in doing what anybody can do. After a while the children will come up to the standard. More regular attendance will help much. There will be one week of vacation for holidays.

C. C. COLER, Supt.

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The complete returns from the recent elections rather fail to support the contention that the negro vote was suppressed and the Democrats won by a policy of intimidation. Our Raleigh correspondent stated in Thursday's paper that the figures show a larger vote on the 8th of last month than was ever cast before—larger than that of 1896 or of any other presidential election year. High-water mark in the Democratic vote was reached when Governor Fowle in 1888 received 147,000 votes. This year the Democrats polled 30,000 more votes than that, or 177,000. There is nothing like waiting for the figures. —Charlotte Observer.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mrs. Geo. W. Brown returned home from Salisbury this morning.

—Prof. Jas. P. Cook returned home this morning from a trip south.

—Miss Lizzie Gray returned from Charlotte last night after spending several days.

—Mrs. D. F. Cannon went up to Salisbury last night to visit her relatives. She will return next week.

—Mr. Bachman Miller, of Rowan county, passed through here yesterday afternoon on his way to Mount Pleasant. He returned here this morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Woodruff, of New York, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Odell, went to Norfolk this morning. Mr. Odell accompanied them as far as Durham.

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The Funeral Services Held This Morning.

The remains of Mr. Harry Woodhouse arrived here Thursday night, accompanied by Mrs. Woodhouse and Mr. Irvin Woodhouse, who reached Augusta before his death.

The funeral was conducted at the residence of Mrs. Woodhouse, on Loan street, this (Friday) morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. W. C. Alexander, of the First Presbyterian church, after which the remains were interred in the city cemetery.

Winter Excursion Tickets Now on Sale By Southern Railway.

Commencing November 1st, 1898, the Southern Railway will sell from principal stations on its lines, round trip winter tourist Excursion tickets to best resorts in Florida, the South, and Asheville, N. C., in "The Land of the Sky," at greatly reduced rates for the round trip.

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In connection with the above the Southern Railway offers the quickest and finest train service and connections to all resorts in the South, Mexico, California, Cuba and Porto Rico.

Any information as to rates, schedules, sleeping car service, accommodations, etc., cheerfully furnished upon application to any agent Southern Railway or R. L. Vernon, traveling Passenger Agent, 11 South T. you St., Central Hotel Building, Charlotte, N. C.

Attention, Pythians.

Regular meeting of Concord Lodge No. 51 K. of P., tonight at 8 o'clock. Every Knight requested to be present. Work in 2nd rank. R. L. McCONNELL, C. C.

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