

Arrival of Trains.

The following change of schedule took effect March 12, 1899.

NORTHBOUND.

No. 8 arrives at 5 52 a. m.
 " 36 " " 10 00 a. m.
 " 12 " " 7 00 p. m.
 " 34 " " 8 51 p. m. (flag)
 " 34 " " 9 45 p. m.
 " 62 " " 2 00 a. m. (freight)

SOUTHBOUND.

No. 37 arrives at 8 49 a. m. (flag)
 " 11 " " 11 23 a. m.
 " 7 " " 8 51 p. m.
 " 85 " " 9 20 p. m. (flag)
 " 33 " " 7 19 a. m.
 " 61 " " 8 49 a. m. (freight)

No. 35, when running ahead of No. 7, is flagged if necessary for through travel south of Charlotte, and is stopped for passengers arriving from Lynchburg or beyond. No. 36 stops regularly for passengers for Salisbury, High Point, Greensboro, Reidsville, Danyville and principal stations between Danyville and Washington. No. 37 stops for passengers coming from Lynchburg or points beyond, and to take on passengers for regular stopping places south of Newells. No. 38 stops to let off passengers from regular stopping places south of Newells and to take on passengers for regular stopping places, Lynchburg or beyond.

Nos. 33 and 34 stop at Concord for passengers to or from the C. C. & A. Division—Charlotte to Augusta—and other points in South Carolina, Georgia and Florida, reached through Columbia or Augusta.

Nos. 7, 8, 11 and 12 are the local trains and connect at Salisbury with trains of W. N. C. Division.

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Short Locals.

One-third of '99 gone.

Miss Carrie Richwine, of Salisbury, spent Sunday at Mr. Geo. W. Brown's.

Miss Barbara Coughenour has gone to Rowan county to visit her relatives.

The bleachery is shut down this week on account of repairs being made on the boiler.

Miss Constance Cline and Miss Ruth McLinn, teachers at Elizabeth college, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. H. B. Adams, of Monroe, is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Houston.

Miss Sophia Paul has returned to Gastonia, after spending some time here with home folks.

Policeman Eagle, of Charlotte, attended the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Daniel Eagle, Sunday.

Mrs. Belle Brown, of Mooresville, has returned home, after spending a week here with her niece, Mrs. D. F. Cannon.

Mr. Joseph Neisler, of Rock Hill, spent Sunday here, having been called here by the death of his sister, Mrs. Daniel Eagle.

Mr. Ben Craven, who for a week or more has been canvassing this place in the interest of the Raleigh Post, has left. He went to Charlotte from here.

Jno. Goodman returned home last Saturday night from Raleigh, after working there for several weeks. He is employed at the Times office again.

We see from the Observer that a Burial Association has been incorporated at Charlotte, with Mr. S. J. Lowe as one of the three incorporators.

Mr. Marvin Smoot spent Sunday at his home in Salisbury. His mother, Mrs. V. B. Smoot, accompanied him here and will spend some time at Dr. J. E. Smoot's.

Mr. Dawson Harwood, who is employed as a book-keeper in Winston, passed through here last Saturday on his way to his home in Stanly county to visit his relatives.

Mrs. M. E. Houston has returned to Monroe after spending Sunday with her son, Dr. W. C. Houston. She has just returned from Florida, where she has been spending the winter.

Mr. W. A. Wilkinson, who for a number of years has been a salesman in the store of the Odell Manufacturing Co., has severed his connection with that place.

Mr. Joseph Goodman left Monday night for Augusta, where he has accepted a position as a pharmacist at the place where he was employed once before.

Col. and Mrs. J. H. Long passed through town today to visit their daughter, Mrs. Chas. McCrary, of Arnold, Davidson county. They will be gone for a week.

Mr. J. M. Purcell, who gives the graphophone concerts and is a dealer in that line, gave one of his entertainments at Mt. Pleasant last Saturday night for the benefit of the Pi Sigma Phi society.

He Returned to the Chaingang.

Will Jackson, a negro, who only a few days ago was brought from the chaingang to jail, has now been given another sentence to the gang for thirty days. He was confined to jail in a default of a bond to keep the peace. On Sunday he became a little "gay" in his cell. He broke up a water bucket and with the wire hoops managed to tear the register off of the heater and also broke one of the window glasses. He was tried for the offence and given a thirty-days' job on the road.

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He Is Improving Rapidly.

Each day Carl Johnson, who is in the Whitehead-Long sanatorium, continues to improve and was able to walk out on the streets Sunday. He will be home in a week or more.

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PHONE 122. **ROBERT INGRAM.**

The Grand Jury's Report.

The following report was handed in by the grand jury of last week's court:

"We have acted on all bills sent by the solicitor as far as we could procure witnesses. Made presentments of all things so far as known to us.

"Visited the jail in a body. Found it in good sanitary condition. Talked with prisoners who said that they were well fed and cared for. Would suggest some repairs to be done on right hand front cell on window facing, also that the window sash be arranged so the lower part of the sash can be raised. Would suggest some spit-boxes be placed in the different cells.

"Visited the different offices of the court house and found them well kept.

"Visited county home by committee and found the home and inmates well kept—buildings and bedding clean. Found 27 inmates—health good as could be expected.

"Would suggest that some repairs be made on plastering in the room of the buildings and that the roofing be repaired. Found the stock and farm in good condition."

The President on the Raleigh.

President McKinley visited the Raleigh Friday morning at Philadelphia and had a formal reception, where he made the following impressive address:

"Captain Coghlan and men of the Raleigh: It gives me great pleasure—very great pleasure—to bid you welcome home and to congratulate each one of you on the heroic part played in the great battle on the first day of May at Manila, which was a most glorious triumph of American arms, and made a new and glorious page in American history. I assure you that when I give you welcome, I am only speaking the hearty welcome of seventy-five millions of American citizens. I honor you all for your splendid services to our country. This feeling not only extends to your great admiral, whom we all love and honor, but to the humblest member of the crew who was in that great fight at Manila. I give you all a warm and generous welcome and many thanks."

After giving the President and Secretary three rousing cheers [the naval "boys" pleased them with the following yell:

"Who are we? Can't you see? We are members of the new navy. Rah-rah-rah-Raleigh!"

You Must Wear Mismatched Hosiery.

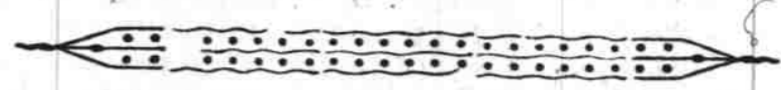
Mismatched stockings are the latest new things to attract the attention of the fair sex. To be ultra fashionable one stocking must differ from the other in color. For instance, the left stocking may be black with a sprinkling of red silk polka dots and the right stocking of red with black silk polka dots. A pale blue stocking with bronze clocks has a mate of bronze with pale blue clocks. And so the combinations go. Only the similarity of decoration in the stockings announces the fact to the uninitiated that they have anything in common. The riotous fancy of the moment also stripes the hosiery in harlequin fashion. The stockings are divided into halves and quarters, the brilliant colors presenting sharp contrasts. Sometimes the upper halves alone indulge in the motley color, leaving the boot in somber tones of black, blue or brown. The stockings come in the finest weave of cashmere or in lace patterns of lisle thread. They range in price from seventy-five cents to \$2.—New York World.

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