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Every man and woman in his or her daily routine work may be attacked by Typhoid, Typhus or Scarlet Fever, Small Pox, Chicken Pox, Measles, Diphtheria, Erysipelas, Appendicitis, Meningitis, Diabetes, Pneumonia, Sunstroke, etc., etc., etc.

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Yours to serve,

John A. Sims,
Agent.

Rev. Durham to Conduct Services.

Tomorrow morning Rev. Plato Durham, professor of Biblical Literature at Trinity college, will deliver his lecture "Christian Education" at Central Methodist church. Tomorrow night he will deliver a sermon in Forest Hill Methodist church.

Woes of a Wife.

"Oh, that I should have married a funny man?" she wailed. "What is the matter, lovely, dear?" asked her most intimate friend. "He came home and told me he had a sure way of keeping jelly from getting moldy at the top, and when I asked him how, he said turn it upside down."—Boston Traveler.

Philosophy of the Heathen.

As I understand it," said the heathen, "you propose to civilize me."
 "Exactly so."
 "You mean to get me out of the habits of idleness and teach me to work."
 "That is the idea."
 "And then lead me to simplify my methods and invent things to make my work lighter."
 "Yes."
 "And next I will become ambitious to get rich, so that I will not have to work at all."
 "Very likely."
 "Well, what's the use of taking such a round-about way of getting just where I started? I don't have to work now."—Ex.

NO RIGHT TO UGLINESS.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly, and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvet skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run down invalid. Only 50c. at Fetzler's Drug Store.

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Special Rates.

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 Account Annual Convention and Tournament N. C. Volunteer Firemen's Association at Washington, N. C., tickets on sale August 7, 8, 9; limited August 12. Round trip \$10.15, via Selma and Goldsboro.
 Account Annual Meeting Society of Friends at High Point, N. C., tickets on sale August 7 to 12; limited August 20. Round trip \$3.00.
 Account State Farmer's Alliance at Hillsboro, N. C., tickets on sale August 4 to 8; limited August 17. Round trip \$5.45.
 State Parents Conference at Oxford N. C., tickets on sale August 1 to 5; limited August 8. Round trip \$6.85.
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Southern Railway SCHEDULE.

IN EFFECT JUNE THE 1. TH, 1898.

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Trains leave Concord N. C.—
 5:52 A. M.—No. 8, daily, for Richmond; connects at Greensboro for Raleigh and Goldsboro; at Goldsboro for Norfolk, at Danville for Washington and points North, at Salisbury for Asheville, Knoxville and points West.
 7:19 A. M.—No. 33, the New York and Florida Express, carries Pullman Sleeping Cars between New York and Aiken, S. C., New York and Tampa, Fla., and Norfolk to Charlotte.
 8:49 A. M.—No. 37, daily, Washington and Southwestern 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, vestibule coach, between Washington and Atlanta.
 10:00 A. M.—No. 36, daily, for Washington, Richmond, Raleigh and all points North. Carries Pullman drawing room buffet sleeper, New Orleans to New York; Miami, Jacksonville to New York; Pullman tourist cars from San Francisco via New Orleans and Southern Pacific Mondays and Thursdays.
 11:23 A. M.—No. 11, daily for Atlanta and all points South. Solid train, Richmond to Atlanta.
 7:09 P. M.—No. 12, daily, for Richmond, Asheville, Chattanooga, Raleigh, Norfolk, and all points North.
 8:51 P. M.—No. 7, daily, from Richmond, Washington, Goldsboro, Selma, Raleigh, Greensboro Knoxville and Asheville to Charlotte, N. C.
 8:51 P. M.—No. 38, daily, Washington and Southwestern limited, for Washington and all points North. Through Pullman car, Memphis to New York; New Orleans to New York. Also carries vestibule coach and dining car. Close connection at Greensboro with sleeper for Norfolk.
 9:20 P. M.—No. 35, daily, for Atlanta and New Orleans, carries Pullman sleeper New York to New Orleans, New York to Jacksonville and Charlotte to Atlanta. Also Pullman tourist car Washington to San Francisco, via New Orleans Wednesday and Saturday.
 9:45 P. M.—No. 34, daily, the New York and Florida Express, carries Pullman Sleeping Cars between Aiken, S. C. and New York, Tampa, Fla. and New York and Charlotte to Richmond. Carries sleepers Charlotte to Norfolk via Greensboro.

First sections of regular through or local freight trains carry passengers only to points where they stop according to schedule.

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