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RAILROAD SCHEDULE

Table with columns for destination (Northbound, Southbound) and time.

TIME OF CLOSING OF MAIIS.

The time of the closing of mails at the Concord postoffice is as follows: Northbound, Train No. 36-10:30 a. m., Train No. 12-6:30 p. m., Train No. 38-7:30 p. m., Train No. 30-11 p. m.

Bible Thought For The Day

Blessed is the man that trusteth in the Lord, and whose hope the Lord is. Jeremiah 17:5, 7.

LEAGUE SANCTIONED IN AMERICA

The United States has not entered the League of Nations, owing to Republican in power in Washington, but the majority of the American peoples, judging by their actions and sentiments as expressed since the Greece-Italian situation became acute, favor the principles which the League stands for.

In defending his action in declaring the League has nothing to do with the present difficulties between Italy and Greece, the Italian Premier expresses surprise that America of all nations, has not come immediately to the aid of Italy.

A special report of the Bureau of Railway Economics just made public shows that the net operating income of the Class I railroads of the United States in the thirty-five months period from September 1, 1920 (the date upon which the six months' guarantee expired) to August 1 this year, has been at the average annual rate of 3.97 per cent. for the country as a whole.

In the Eastern district the average rate of return on an annual basis earned in the thirty-five months period has been 4.08 per cent.; in the Western district 3.83 per cent.; and in the Southern district 4.08 per cent.

Italy is a full-fledged member of the League but at present she seems anxious to show her bad faith in an aggravated form by withdrawing from the organization the first time things don't go her way.

SEES CONTINUED PROSPERITY FOR THE SOUTH. James H. Farley, of New York City, the guiding spirit in a chain of stores operated in eighty-five cities in the South, is a booster for the Southland.

CREAMERY FOR COUNTY.

A number of prominent business men of Concord and farmers of Cabarrus county are making plans now to install a modern creamery in this county. The situation has been studied carefully by these men, and they have arrived at the conclusion—and a wise one, we think—that such a proposition would pay in this county.

in the South exceeds that of the North right now and homes and new business operations are progressing on a big scale. The smallest towns now demand 'Fifth Avenue styles' and are as up-to-date in this regard as any of the big cities.

Cabarrus County is getting a lot of publicity out of her fair and she will get even more. Inquiries about the fair the coming in from all parts of the country now, and the occasion will bring many strangers to the county.

The men behind the creamery proposition deserve full co-operation and support from everyone who want to see the county land another progressive and paying business enterprise.

GO TO SCHOOL—AND STAY THERE.

This is the time of the year when many children have a hard time trying to decide whether or not they will enter school or college this fall. The problem is equally as great for many parents who had rather have the earnings of their children than to see the children properly educated.

The question should not be a hard one to decide. Let the child go to school by all means, and once he is there, keep him there. The chances of children of grammar school age staying out of school in this State are slim.

And it is with the older students that the temptation to drop educational advantages for a steady job is greatest. In many instances the employer is to blame. He has his selfish interest at heart, and instead of advising the boy to resume his studies, he tempts him with a small increase in pay.

A high school education has a strengthening influence on youth. The wildest youths of today, generally speaking, are those who have had no education. Most of the inmates in our prisons are persons without education.

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

According to statistics published in Railroad Data, earnings of Class I railroads in the United States during the past 35 months have been much less than is generally known.

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For the first seven months of this year the net operating income of the Class I railroads was at the annual rate of return of 5.51 per cent., on their tentative valuation. In dollars, the net operating income was \$528,219,300, compared with \$418,394,650, or 4.46 per cent. for the same period in 1922.

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Bethpage Betterment Club.

The Bethpage Betterment Club met Wednesday the 5th, with Mrs. E. J. Rumples as our demonstrator. Miss Cathleen Wilson, was on her vacation, we decided to discuss problems concerning our high school which we hope will be of convenience and profit.

The hostess served delicious cake and ice cream assisted by Mrs. W. A. Wilkinson and Mrs. Charles Walker.

Mrs. J. W. FISHER, Concord, N. C.

KANNAPOLIS DEPARTMENT. Kannapolis, Sept. 8.—Mesdames M. L. Troutman and W. L. Yost left Friday for Blowing Rock to spend the week-end with Mrs. K. B. Rankin.

Miss Julie English, of Mocksville, is visiting Miss Lucille Cline. The teachers of the Kannapolis schools are beginning to arrive. All are required to be here by 11 A. teachers' conference is to be held the balance of the week mapping out the work previous to the beginning of the school on the 17.

Mr. G. A. Bryant arrived Friday from Baltimore, where he had been called Sunday on account of the critical illness of his mother. Death came Monday to Mrs. Bryant. She is pleasantly remembered here by many of our people, having visited here a number of times.

Mr. Ray Housel, who is in the Concord Hospital, is progressing fine. Mr. Housel has a case of flu and a slight attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Frances Rippelmyer, of Salisbury, has arrived at the Mary Ella Hall, having accepted a position as dietitian. The Caldwell evangelistic party is leaving Monday or Tuesday for Hendersonville, where they will rest a week at the home of Mr. J. C. Coston, choir director, prior to commencing their next evangelistic campaign.

Mr. R. K. Sain and his bride arrived this afternoon at the Mary Ella Hall after spending the week elsewhere. Mr. and Mrs. Sain were married Monday. Both are Kannapolis people, and their many friends are glad they will continue to make their home in their midst.

Mr. McGee and family, of Walnut street, moved this week to Charlotte. They have made Kannapolis their home for a few years, and have many warm friends who regret their departure. They are prominent members of the First Baptist Church. Mr. McGee having served as deacon, and Mrs. McGee as one or more of the daughters having been members of the choir. They have won the esteem of all our people and we wish them much success in their new field of employment.

MISSIONARIES FROM CAROLINA ARE SAFE.

Rev. S. A. Stewart and Family and Others on Way to Japan Accounted For. Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 6.—Grave concern of southern Methodist mission board officials for the safety of workers believed to have been in the stricken Japanese areas were allayed here on receipt of cables reporting the arrival of steamships bearing the workers to the orient.

Advices received stated that all ships of the Admiral line of Seattle, were safe and that the President Madison is acting as a relief ship between Kobe and Yokohama. The President Madison sailed from Seattle on August 18 and was due in Yokohama August 30, leaving there August 31 and arriving at Kobe, on September 1, for subsequent departure for Shanghai on September 2. It is believed that in operating this schedule the President Madison escaped the disaster at Yokohama.

Southern Methodist missionaries on board the President Madison were: Rev. S. A. Stewart, wife and two children, of Monroe, N. C.; W. A. Hearn and wife, of Little Rock, Ark.; Joseph Whiteside, of Alabama; Miss Mary Belle Wynne, of Columbia, S. C.; Miss Lillian Brandt, of Appleton, Wis.; Miss Cornelia Crozier, of Fayetteville, Ark.; Miss Annie Peay, of Byron, Ga.; Miss Moselle Tulin, of Winder, Ga.; Miss Melston Rowland, of MARYVILLE, Tenn.

The message also reported the steamships Australia, the Jefferson and the Canada safe. Southern Methodist missionaries aboard the Canada were: Miss Lillian Wahl, of Paris, Ark.; Miss Clara Hoard, of Kathleen, Ga.; Miss Margaret Light, of Romney, W. Va.; Miss Blanche Houser, of Hafftown, N. C.; Mrs. M. E. Godlett, of Savannah, Ga.; Miss Laura V. Edwards, Hereford, Texas; Miss Hallie Buie, Wesson, Miss.; Miss Miriam Godwin, Morganton, N. C.; Miss Mabel Cherry, of Winston-Salem, N. C.; Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon, of Maxton, N. C.

Sally Post-Season Games Are Unlikely.

Charlotte, Sept. 7.—Prospect for a post-season series between Charlotte, winner of the first half, and Macon, virtual winner of the second half of the South Atlantic league schedule, appeared slim here tonight, according to an announcement by President Felix Hayeman of the Charlotte club club.

Mr. Hayeman said: "We are unable to reach an agreement with the Macon owners and I do not think there will be a series. We made them a proposition for staging the games which we felt sure would make money for the two clubs, and they declined it."

President Hayeman said negotiations for playing a post-season series with the winners of the Virginia league would be opened.

Democratic Success.

New York, Sept. 8.—A. Mitchell Palmer, Attorney General in the administration of President Wilson, sailed on the Olympic today with his bride and daughter for a tour of Europe. Mr. Palmer predicted the election of a national Democratic administration and that the next President of the United States would be either William G. McAdoo, Senator of Indiana, or Senator Underwood, of Alabama.

KLUCKERS DENOUNCED FOR USE OF VIOLENCE.

Misguided in Attempt to Promote Americanism Behind Sheets and Masks. Greensboro News. The Ku Klux Klan was denounced yesterday morning by Rev. L. B. Hayes at Park Place Methodist Church as "among those who resort to force and violence to accomplish their ends."

"You cannot frighten intelligent people. The challenge of the Klan is being met and will continue to be met by such courageous men as the governor of Oklahoma. No organization that allies one race against another, one religion against another, can promote true Americanism or true democracy."

The sermon was on "Violence in the Kingdom of God," the text from Matthew 11:12—"And from the days of John the Baptist until now the kingdom of heaven suffereth violence." Mr. Hayes spoke from the passage describing the incident where John the Baptist sent to Christ asking if he were the Messiah. John was in jail and was greatly surprised that Christ had not come to him by some form of force and rescued him. His courage failed him, said the preacher, because of his misconception of the Kingdom of God. Christ's answer that the blind received their sight, the lame walked and the poor had the gospel preached to them was an indirect answer but carried with it a true idea of what the kingdom of God really meant.

"In this day," said Mr. Hayes, "we have flung out the challenge afresh to God as to how he is running this thing. One of the admirals of our navy is quoted as having said that if one of his captains could not run his ship any better than God is running the world, he would be fired in less than a week. And we are not positive that the real trouble with our world is that men have not learned the gospel of a loving patience but that they still resort to violence and force in trying to accomplish their aims."

"It is a dangerous thing to build from the bottom after the structure has been completed and yet we find it possible in some cases to add to and build up a more lasting foundation. It is possible to do some of this kind of work in the Kingdom of God but often it is necessary to tear away the superstructure and get down to rock bottom for a fresh start."

"I'm glad that no good has come from the war and that no country has received any benefit that is lasting, because we shall possibly learn the lesson that lasting good does not come from any form of violence and destructive forces. Possibly God is able to justify the infernal disturbance that have recently wrecked Japan. Possibly that is necessary that the earth's surface may finally come to a state of rest that it may be more habitable for man."

Just as long as the spirit of man is rebel to God, so long is he unteachable of the love of God. The thing that we must fight today is not the natural phenomena but we must build up a greater and nobler spirit which is not content with violence. The kingdom must come through a loving spirit."

CHURCH BUDGET IS PUSHED EVERYWHERE.

Southern Baptists Are Busy Placing Their Finances Upon Better Basis. Throughout the summer period Baptist workers in the various states of the South have been busy setting up their organizations for reaching all the churches within their borders with a message on the church budget, with the embodiment of the best system of both local church and general denominational finances. As a result the organizations are being rapidly completed and the prospect is that an intensive campaign on this matter will be waged throughout the South during the fall months.

Dr. O. E. Bryan of Nashville, budget director of the Baptist 75 Million Campaign, is in general charge of this work of the South and is being assisted by the various state secretaries and special church budget directors. A number of associations have already set-up their organizations and will assume responsibility for carrying the movement to all the churches in their territory.

It is the belief of those who are pushing this movement, that if the local churches will put their local finances, as well as their contributions to the general missionary, educational and benevolent work of the denomination, upon a regular budget that will be contributed to regularly by all the members of the churches, the time will come soon when both the local churches and the general boards of the denomination will have sufficient funds with which to adequately carry on all their work.

Legion Meeting to Be Held Next Week.

Rocky Mount, N. C., Sept. 8.—Executive men, several thousand strong, are expected to gather here Wednesday and Thursday for the fifth annual convention of the North Carolina department of the American Legion. Rocky Mount already is preparing to receive the men who answered Uncle Sam's call in the past war. Program for the convention has been completed and only final touches remain to be made to arrangements before the city will be in readiness to receive the Legionnaires.

In conjunction with the convention of the state department of the American Legion will be the annual meeting of the North Carolina division of the American Legion auxiliary. Several hundred women are expected to attend.

Principal among the speakers on the Legion convention program are Major General John A. LeJeune, of the United States Marine Corps, Brigadier General Frank T. Hines, director of the Veterans Bureau, Brigadier General A. J. Boney, commanding officer of Fort Bragg, and Frank A. Hampton, of Rocky Mount.

The Author—You can't appreciate it. You never wrote a book. The Critic—No, and I never laid an egg, but I'm a better judge of an omelette than any hen in the country.

TWO NEGROES BURNED TO DEATH IN NIGHT BLAZE.

Were Boys of Ceb Garland, and Were Asleep In-House When It Was Burned to Ground. Additional facts relative to the burning of a negro's home in No. 10 township last week, show that two negro children and not four, were burned to death in the house. Reports reaching Concord last week stated that four boys were burned in the house, but full reports show that only two were burned.

The children were sons of Ceb Garland and the house was on a farm of Mr. A. P. Widenhouse. The colored people of the community, according to reports, were having a protracted meeting and each night they left their children in the house, one grown person remaining with them. On the night the house was burned a negro woman was left with ten children. Eight of the children were on the ground floor and were asleep when the woman discovered the blaze. She carried the eight children out of the house, but every time she went in to get a child, those already carried out would follow her in. That made it necessary for her to carry the eight children a considerable distance from the house, and for this reason she was unable to reach the two boys who were asleep on the top floor.

The charred bodies of the boys, aged 12 and 14, were found the day following the fire. Will Scrap Twenty-One Battleships Next Month. Washington, Sept. 9.—Twenty-one battleships and cruisers of the United States are to be sold for scrap in a series of sales to begin next month. The vessels for elimination from the navy lists by the limitation of armament treaty ratified August 17, last, and must be scrapped within 18 months from that date, according to the treaty provisions.

The first sale, said a navy department announcement, will be held on October 25, and will include four battleships under construction at the New York, Mare Island and Norfolk navy yards, the South Dakota, Indiana, Montana and North Carolina. With them will be offered the battle cruisers Constitution and United States, also construction at the Philadelphia navy yard.

Rowan Farmers Will Tour Davie County.

Salisbury, Sept. 9.—County Agent Yeager is arranging a tour for Rowan farmers into Davie county for Friday. He is expecting a hundred automobiles to gather at Coolee by 9 o'clock. The first stop will be made at the Reynolds-Lybrooks farms and from there the Rowan farmers will go to the Sanford and Carter farm where the state guernsey meeting will be held and a sale of fine blooded cattle will take place.

Chattel Mortgages, 2 For 5 Cents, 25 \$1.50 for 100, at Times-Tribune.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Cabarrus County, N. C., made in the special proceedings entitled, Ollie B. Black et al vs. Clyde Burleyson, et al., the undersigned commissioner will, on Monday, the 8th day of October, 1923, at 12 o'clock M., at the court house door in Concord, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, those certain tracts or parcels of land lying and being in No. 10 Township, Cabarrus County, N. C., and more particularly described as follows:

First Tract: Beginning at a stone on the west side of road, Tucker's and Starwood corner, and runs N. 29 1/2 E. 54 poles to a pine in the road; thence N. 18 E. 16 poles and 6 links to an iron stake on the west side of the road; thence N. 14 1/2 E. 16 1/2 poles to a stone; thence S. 12 1/2 W. 21 1/2 poles to a stone; thence S. 57 E. 36 1/2 poles to a flint stone on the bank of a drain; thence S. 84 E. 19 2-3 poles to a stone; thence S. 4 1/2 W. 41 3-5 poles to an iron stake; thence S. 77 1/2 E. 57 poles to a stone; thence S. 50 W. 22 poles to a stone, Starwood corner; thence N. 75 W. 60 1/2 poles to a stone on the east side of the road; thence S. 38 E. 8 poles to a stone on the west side of the road; thence N. 71 W. 52 1/2 poles to the beginning, containing 32 acres, on which is located the dwelling house, outhouses, store house and gin house and improvements thereon.

Second Tract: Beginning at a stone, formerly a pine, Linker's corner, and runs a new line S. 4 W. 34 poles to a stone, corner of lot No. 3; thence N. 86 W. 1-3 poles to a stone on the old line; thence with the old line N. 15 E. 34 1/2 poles to the beginning, containing 15 3-4 acres, and has a right of way over lot No. 4 in the division of the lands of W. W. Burleyson to the public road.

The two above tracts is the land laid off to Francis J. Burleyson as her dower in the lands of W. W. Burleyson and recorded in Record of Deeds No. 78, page 300.

This the 8th day of September, 1923. L. T. HARTSELL, Commissioner.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS AND WARRANT OF ATTACHMENT.

North Carolina—Cabarrus County, J. M. Edington, Plaintiff, vs. R. E. Oliver, Mike Costello and Richard Costello, trading as Oliver & Costello Bros., Defendants.

The defendants in the above entitled action will take notice that on the 10th day of September, 1923, a summons in said action was issued against said defendants by J. B. McAllister, Clerk of the Superior Court of Cabarrus County, N. C., plaintiffs claiming the sum of \$925.53 due him for work and labor performed for the defendants, which summons is returnable on the 20th day of October, 1923. The defendants will also take notice that a warrant of attachment was issued by the Clerk of the Superior Court on the 10th day of September, 1923, against the property of said defendants, which warrant is returnable on the 20th day of October, 1923, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Cabarrus County, N. C., at which time and place named for the return of the summons, when and where the defendants are required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint, or the relief demanded will be granted.

This the 10th day of September, 1923. J. B. McALLISTER, Clerk Superior Court.

Albemarle Schools Have Good Opening.

Albemarle, Sept. 6.—Opening exercises of the City Graded Schools of Albemarle were featured with addresses by Supt. M. S. Beaman, members of the school board, the county superintendent and other citizens of the town. The school opens under favorable circumstances and with the largest enrollment it has ever had. The number of High School students has increased in the past four years over 400 per cent, the High School enrollment this year being about 250. There has been a large increase in all the departments of the school, so that within the past four years the number of teachers has been doubled within that time. The High School faculty now consists of nine teachers besides the superintendent. Six new rooms have been added.

"Ethel," he said, "you have your father's bonnie blue eyes." "Go on," she laughed, "don't talk so silly." "But you have, dear, and you have your mother's golden hair." She clapped a hand over his mouth and whispered: "Sh! Don't speak so loud, John. She doesn't know I'm wearing it!"

THE PROGRESSIVE FARMER A WHOLE YEAR FREE.

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This offer is open to both old and new subscribers. If you are already taking The Times all you have to do is to pay up to date and \$2.00 more for another year, and The Progressive Farmer will be sent you a whole year free. If you are already paid in advance to The Times, just pay \$2.00 for another year; your subscription will be so marked and we will send you The Progressive Farmer a full year also. Address, THE TIMES, Concord, N. C.

PENNY COLUMN.

All Who Are Interested in Center Church cemetery please meet there Thursday afternoon, September 13th, for the purpose of cleaning off cemetery. Bring tools. 10-11 p.

Wanted—Two Fresh Jersey Milk Cows. J. C. Misenheimer, Route 3, Concord. 10-21 p.

Good Two-Horse Farm For Rent. No stock furnished. George T. Host, R. 5, Concord. 10-21 p.

I Want to Hear From Some One Who has 3 or 4 horse farm for rent. J. H. Barbet, R. 4, Concord. 10-21 p.

Wanted—Life Insurance Company. That has just opened business in state, desires active representative, very attractive contract. Address Box 67, Shelby, N. C. 6-21 p.

For Sale—Registered Angus-Aberdeen bull and seven-year old horse. See M. A. Blackwelder, Concord Route 6. 6-41 p.

New Gln For Concord. Look For Our announcement in this issue. 5-31 p.

Singer Sewing Machine. Phone 550R. 6-21 p.

Sewing Machine Repair Work Guaranteed. Phone 550R. 6-21 p.

Old Machines Taken For Part Pay In exchange for new Singer Machines. Phone 550R. H. D. Carpenter. 6-21 p.

Our Friends Are Notified That We Must charge 5 cents a line for notices of entertainments, box supplies, etc., where an admission fee is charged or anything is sold. 30-11 p.

Pay \$2.00 in Advance For The Times and we will send you The Progressive Farmer one year absolutely free. The Progressive Farmer is the best farm paper published. Address, Times, Concord, N. C.

We Have the Most Beautiful Line of adding invitations and announcements to be found anywhere, as we represent one of the best engravers in America. Times and Tribune Office, at Times and Tribune office.

New Fall Hats.

Sport and Dress Models—Felt, Duveltyne and Velvet. All the new shades in ostrich.

MISS BRACHEN BONNET SHOP.

CONCORD COTTON MARKET. Cotton, old 27 1/2; Cotton, new 27; Cotton seed 50.

CONCORD PRODUCE MARKET. (Corrected Weekly by Cline & Moore.) Figures named represent priced paid for produce on the market: Eggs 30; Butter 25 to 30; Country Shoulder 15; Country Sides 22; Young Chickens 18; Hens 25 to 30; Turkeys 12 to 12; Lard 12 to 12; Sweet Potatoes 12 to 12; Irish potatoes 12 to 12; Onions 12 to 12; Peas 12 to 12.