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**TIME TABLES.**

**Wellington & Powellsville RAILROAD.**

**PASSENGER TRAINS.**

| North                 | Time Table No. 2      | South   |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------|
| No. 2-A               | EFFECTIVE 4-27, 1899. | No. 1-A |
| 6:30 a.m. Lv. WINDSOR | Ar. 6:20 p.m.         | Butlers |
| 7:05                  | Askeville             | 5:40    |
| 7:15                  | Holly Grove           | 5:25    |
| 7:25                  | BRANNING              | 5:20    |
| 7:40                  | Powellsville          | 5:05    |
| 8:00 a.m. Ar. AHOOKIE | Lv. 4:45 p.m.         |         |

**CHESAPEAKE LINE.**  
U. S. Mail Steamers  
Atlanta and Charlotte  
To ALL POINTS NORTH EAST & WEST.

Norfolk, Jackson, 5:45 p.m.  
Old Point Comfort, 6:45 p.m.  
Ar. Baltimore, Pier 19, Light St., 7:00 a.m.

**B. & O. R. R. P. E. R.**

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Ar. New York, 12:35 p.m.

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Phone 222.

**E. T. LAMB, Gen. Agt.** **W. H. DOLL, Pass. Agt.**

**NORFOLK AND CAROLINA RAILROAD.**  
CONDENSED SCHEDULE  
Date, Nov. 20th, 1899.

| No. 100 | No. 49 | STATIONS.       | No. 100 | No. 49 |
|---------|--------|-----------------|---------|--------|
| P. M.   | A. M.  |                 | P. M.   | A. M.  |
| 9:30    | 9:00   | Lv. Norfolk     | 5:55    | 10:05  |
| 2:40    | 9:30   | Pineville       | 7:30    | 9:40   |
| 3:05    | 10:00  | Diverted        | 8:20    | 10:12  |
| 3:17    | 10:00  | Suffolk         | 8:50    | 10:12  |
| 3:50    | 10:34  | Gates           | 4:26    | 8:30   |
| 4:15    | 10:50  | Trenton         | 4:00    | 8:21   |
| 4:27    | 11:00  | Ahoke           | 3:41    | 8:04   |
| 4:50    | 11:20  | Rocky Mount     | 3:27    | 7:48   |
| 5:15    | 11:40  | Ar. Rocky Mount | 3:13    | 7:30   |
| 6:00    | 12:25  | Ar. Ferrisburgh | 3:13    | 6:45   |

**G. M. SERPELL, J. F. KENLEY,**  
General Managers, Sup't. Trains.

**T. M. EMBERTON,**  
General Passenger Agent.

**COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS**

Windsor, N. C. December 4, 1899.

The Board of County Commissioners met at the usual hour, with a full board present to wit: C. W. Spruill, G. L. Mardre, T. S. Norfleet and J. H. Lawrence. The minutes of last meeting read and approved.

On motion of T. S. Norfleet, C. W. Spruill was unanimously elected chairman for the ensuing year.

Ordered that the Branning mfg. Co. be allowed to build a wharf, at the foot of the public road at Sans Souci, said wharf to be public property as soon as finished.

Ordered that the Chapter of Orphans be allowed the use of the Court House on Dec. 11th 1899.

Ordered that the town lot of Prudence Spruill in Roxobel, be listed on the tax list at a valuation of \$125 for years 1898 and 1899, the same having escaped taxation.

Ordered that the town lot of Watson Ruffin, in Roxobel, be listed at the valuation of \$150 for year 1899, the same having escaped taxation.

Ordered that G. W. Baker be relieved of the taxes on \$6000, solvent credit erroneously listed year 1899.

Ordered that the valuation of C. L. Keeters land be reduced to one thousand dollars, the former valuation and that he be relieved of the taxes for 1899 on the excess.

Ordered that W. H. Pittman be relieved of the payment of Double tax year 1899.

Ordered that Dorsey Ward be relieved of the payment of the full tax 1899, on account of infirmity.

Ordered that W. L. Lyon have until 1st Monday in Jan. to make his office report.

Ordered that J. T. Morris be and is hereby employed as manager of the County farm for the year 1900, on the same terms as 1899.

Ordered that J. C. Pruden, be and he is hereby elected to the office of Standard Keeper for Bertie County for the next two years, and that he shall have until 1st Monday in January 1900 in which to give the required Bond.

Ordered that the report for November

ber, of Dr. H. V. Dunstan health officer he received as follows: There were no prisoners confined in jail; there are 10 prisoners confined in H. C.; there are 10 inmates in the Home. There is no serious case of sickness among prisoners or inmates. There is a serious epidemic disease prevailing among the cattle of one of our citizens.

Ordered that the report of the Grand Jury be approved.

Ordered that the Treasurers statements of the County General Fund and the Court House fund be approved and recorded.

Ordered that the reports of the following officers under sec. 728 of the Code, be approved and recorded, to wit: T. C. Bond Sheriff and Treasurer; W. L. Lyon C. S. C. E. E. Etheridge Register of Deeds; and the following Justices of the Peace.

|                   |                   |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| W. T. Asbell      | Chas. Bond        |
| W. E. Ballard     | Wm. T. Brown      |
| J. H. Bowen       | Haywood Cherry    |
| Noah Cherry       | J. W. Cooper, Jr. |
| W. R. Capehart    | Simon Cherry      |
| A. S. Collins     | J. R. Cherry      |
| John S. Drow      | T. T. Early       |
| G. N. Green       | C. M. Early       |
| J. W. Green       | H. W. Hathaway    |
| J. Law Harrington | W. E. Harrell     |
| J. H. Lawrence    | W. F. McLaughon   |
| E. R. Outlaw      | W. P. Phelps      |
| G. M. Phelps      | J. B. Saunders    |
| W. A. Saunders    | W. S. Tayloe      |
| W. J. Watson      | E. H. Walke       |
| T. Gillam         | J. H. Holder      |
| H. P. Harrell     | C. J. Joyner      |
| W. M. Mitchell    | J. P. Morris      |
| E. C. Pittman     | W. W. Perry, Jr.  |
| M. J. Rayner      | R. J. Shield      |
| J. P. Slade       | Chas. Tayloe      |
| E. W. Waters      | A. J. White       |
| W. T. Heckstall   | G. A. Harden      |
| Jno L. Harrington | W. A. Jenkins     |
| J. S. Jenkins     | J. B. Mitchell    |
| C. J. Morris      | A. L. Pritchard   |
| H. K. Parker      | D. W. Stewart     |
| W. H. Smithwick   | L. C. Stokes      |
| E. Tayloe         | Bryant Walton     |
| John H. White     |                   |

Ordered that the following persons be given help outside Home for Aged and Infirm:

|                   |                             |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| Thos Brogden \$5  | Jno Castellow 15            |
| Aug. Mizell 5     | Nancy Carter 5              |
| Eliza Biggs 4     | Silas Williams 4            |
| Elisha Williams 9 | Geo Ward 2                  |
| Winnie Ward 3     | Bettie Harrell 3            |
| Sellie Backus 3   | Clarky Moore 4              |
| Hester Riddick 2  | M'ta Burden 3               |
| Maria Speller 3   | Peter Casper 3              |
| Charlie Todd 3    | M. E. Copeland 3            |
| Martha Melton 3   | Mary Bird, temporary help 2 |

The following accounts were audited and ordered to be paid:

|                                                               |        |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| G. N. Green, J. P. cost in lanacy case                        | \$2.00 |
| Mrs. Catherine Mizell, traveling expenses for son to hospital | 12.00  |
| J. H. Ward, guarding Jail 6 nights                            | 6.00   |
| C. L. L. Cobb, conveying W. R. Tyler to asylum                | 23.45  |
| T. F. Rice & Bro. mdseCo.                                     | 29.54  |
| J. T. Morris, ser Mgr Co Fm                                   | 214.17 |
| J. J. Mardre & Bro. mdse                                      | 28.85  |
| Mrs. J. T. Morris, sewing                                     | 3.74   |
| W. E. Parker, mayor's fees in case State vs John Artice       | 3.70   |
| J. R. Cherry, J. P. cost in State vs Sol Butler et al         | 1.90   |
| Chas Bond, State vs T Staten                                  | 6.90   |
| E. C. Pittman vs Mary Sherod                                  | 3.42   |
| J. H. White case of lunatic                                   | 2.60   |
| Dr. W. B. Watford do                                          | 2.90   |
| E. W. Waters, J. P. case L. Bond                              | 3.77   |
| J. B. Gray, 1-2 fees in State case                            | 5.50   |
| T. C. Bond, Sh'ff fees various                                | 89.30  |
| E. E. Etheridge, ser. bill on file                            | 52.18  |
| John Mitchell, lumber and work Wills Or & Cashie bridges      | 87.40  |
| W. T. Heckstall, lumber for b'dg                              | 23.88  |
| G. W. Cobb, work on bridge and road at Holley's mill          | 7.50   |
| J. B. Gray, repairs to Cashie b'd                             | 51.37  |
| W. E. Daniel, solicitor's fees                                | 25.00  |

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**NOTICE**

By authority of a decree made by the Superior Court of Bertie county in the special proceeding pending between Thos. W. Todd and others defendant, we will sell for cash to the highest bidder, at public auction on Monday February 20th 1899, at 12 m., at the court house door in Windsor, N. C. the following lands:

1st. The tract of land on which Grandson Todd now lives, adjoining the lands of T. G. Castellow, and others and containing 120 acres more or less and being the land on which Solomon Todd lived and died.

2nd. The tract of land on which William Todd lives, adjoining the lands of Todd, land, Timothy Hoggards land and others.

3rd. The Billy Mizell tract of land, now called the Levi Hagler land, adjoining the lands of Dorsey Castellow, the James land, J. T. Castellow and others.

4th. The Powell tract of land which belonged to Solomon Todd, containing 30 acres more or less.

J. B. MARTIN,  
F. D. WINSTON,  
Commissioners.

**A POLYGAMOUS LETTER.**

Washington, D. C., Dec. 5, 1899.  
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Mrs. Brigham H. Roberts,  
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Mrs. Brigham H. Roberts,  
Salt Lake City, Utah.  
Salt Lake City, Utah.  
Salt Lake City, Utah.

My Dear Wife—I arrived here yesterday,  
My Dear Wife—I arrived here yesterday,  
My Dear Wife—I arrived here yesterday,  
and am now being kept very busy explaining and am now being kept very busy explaining and am now being kept very busy explaining why I am so muchly, why I am so muchly, why I am so muchly.

Your loving hubby,  
Your loving hubby,  
Your loving hubby,

"BRIG."  
"BRIG."  
"BRIG."

**BLOOD TROUBLES CURED BY B. B. B.**

Eating Sores, Tumors, Ulcers, Cancers, are all cured by B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm), which is made especially to cure all deep-seated, obstinate Blood Diseases. Persisten, Sores, Blood and Skin Blemishes, Scrofula, that resist other treatments. Skin Eruptions, Pimples, Boils, Itching Eczema, Scabies, Blisters, Red or Brown Patches, Catarrh, Rheumatism, etc., are all due to bad blood, and hence easily cured by B. B. B. Blood Poison, (producing Ulcerated Sore Throat, Aching Bones, Painful swellings, Eruptions, Falling Hair, etc.) cured by B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm). For sale by druggist everywhere. Large bottles \$4.00; six for \$5.00. Write for free sample bottle, which will be sent prepaid. Describe symptoms, and personal free medical advice will be given. Address: B. B. B. Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga.

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**COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' ANNUAL EXPENSES ENDING NOV. 1, 1899.**

In compliance with Sec. 713 of the Code, I hereby make the following as my report of the compensation of the Board of County Commissioners; the number of days in session etc., for the year ending November 1st 1899.

C. W. SPRUILL.

|                                           |                 |
|-------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| By 75 days service as Com at \$2.50 a day | \$187.50        |
| By 500 miles traveled at 30 c a mile      | 150.00          |
| May 1—To order on Treas.                  | \$2.00          |
| Aug 7—do                                  | 1.00            |
| Oct 2—do                                  | 1.00            |
| Nov 2—Balance due C. W. Spruill           | \$2.00          |
| <b>Total</b>                              | <b>\$343.50</b> |

1899. J. H. LAWRENCE

|                                           |                 |
|-------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| By 75 days service as Com at \$2.50 a day | \$187.50        |
| By 500 miles traveled at 30 c a mile      | 150.00          |
| Feb. 1—To order on Treas.                 | \$2.00          |
| May 1—do                                  | 1.00            |
| Aug 7—do                                  | 1.00            |
| Nov 2—do                                  | 1.00            |
| <b>Total</b>                              | <b>\$343.50</b> |

1899. W. T. MINTON

|                                           |                 |
|-------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| By 75 days service as Com at \$2.50 a day | \$187.50        |
| By 500 miles traveled at 30 c a mile      | 150.00          |
| May 1—To order on Treas.                  | \$2.00          |
| Aug 7—do                                  | 1.00            |
| Oct 2—do                                  | 1.00            |
| Nov 2—Balance due W. T. Minton            | \$2.00          |
| <b>Total</b>                              | <b>\$343.50</b> |

1899. GEO. L. MARDRE

|                                           |                 |
|-------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| By 75 days service as Com at \$2.50 a day | \$187.50        |
| By 500 miles traveled at 30 c a mile      | 150.00          |
| May 1—To order on Treas.                  | \$2.00          |
| Aug 7—do                                  | 1.00            |
| Nov 2—Balance due G. L. Mardre            | \$2.00          |
| <b>Total</b>                              | <b>\$343.50</b> |

1899. THOS. S. NORFLEET

|                                           |                 |
|-------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| By 75 days service as Com at \$2.50 a day | \$187.50        |
| By 500 miles traveled at 30 c a mile      | 150.00          |
| May 1—To order on Treas.                  | \$2.00          |
| Aug 7—do                                  | 1.00            |
| Oct 2—do                                  | 1.00            |
| Nov 2—Balance due T. S. Norfleet          | \$2.00          |
| <b>Total</b>                              | <b>\$343.50</b> |

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true statement of the compensation of the members of the Board of County Commissioners, that no unverified accounts were audited.

This 26th November 1899,  
E. E. ETHERIDGE,  
Clerk to the Board.

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Not worth paying attention to, you say. Perhaps you have had it for weeks. It's annoying because you have a cough, but it's not worth your attention because you think it's a little thing. At least it is a little thing. At least it is a little thing. At least it is a little thing. At least it is a little thing. At least it is a little thing.

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quickly conquers your little hacking cough. There is no doubt about the cure now. Doubt comes from neglect. For over half a century Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has been curing colds and coughs and preventing consumption. It cures Consumption also if taken in time.

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