

Hints to Business Men.

Says an exchange: "No town will become a good business center as long as the majority of its business men rely upon a few merchants to make the efforts to bring trade to town. Too often the men in the clothing and dry goods trade are about the only ones to reach out after customers. Other merchants wait until these enterprising business men induce the people to come to town and content themselves with the trade that drifts to their places. A public-spirited man should ask himself if he is doing his part to attract people to town. He may be holding his trade well, and even by fair dealings and popular ways, getting his full share of the trade that naturally belongs to the place, but he is not doing his part as a member of the business community, if he is not helping to extend the business of his town. Any merchant who induces people to trade is helping the entire business community, and is not a success unless all lines are working to extend the trade as far as possible and trying to bring a larger territory in the circle of which the town is the business centre."

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A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on the affected parts, is better than a plaster for a lame back and for pains in the side or chest. Pain Balm has no superior as a liniment for the relief of deep seated, muscular and rheumatic pains. For sale by all druggists.

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WHY THEY MARRIED.

Postal cards having been sent out to married men with the inquiry, "Why did you marry?" a large number of responses came to hand, from which the following are selected:

- "That's what I've been trying for eleven years to find out.—X."
"Married to get even with her mother, but never have.—W."
"Because Sarah told me that five other young men had proposed to her.—C."
"The father thought eight years courtin' was long enough.—B."
"Please don't stir me up.—J."
"Because I thought she was one among a thousand; now I think she is a thousand among one.—E."
"Because I yearned for company; now I have it all the time.—K."
"Because it is just my luck.—P."
"Because I had more money than brains.—B. D."

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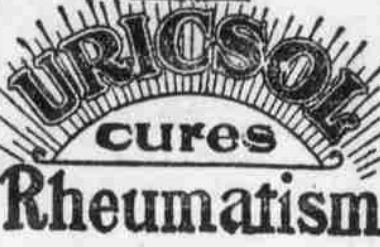
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SOUTHBOUND: Leave Norfolk daily (except Sunday) 10:00 a. m. Arrive Eliz. City daily (except Sunday) 11:36 a. m. Arrive Edenton daily (except Sunday) 12:30 p. m. Leave Edenton daily (except Sunday) 12:45 p. m. Arrive Belhaven daily (except Sunday) 5:20 p. m. Leave Norfolk daily ex. Sunday 4:10 p. m. Arrive E. City daily ex. Sunday 5:45 p. m. Arrive Edenton daily ex. Sunday 6:40 p. m. Trains stop at all intermediate stations. Connect at Norfolk with trains to and from Virginia Beach and Currituck Branch Virginia Beach Division.

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For further information apply to J. J. Hassell, Agent, Plymouth, or to the General Office of the N. & S. E. R. Co., Norfolk, Va. M. K. KING, H. C. HUDGINS, Gen'l Manager, Gen'l Ft. & Pass Agt.

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CONDENSED SCHEDULE.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH

Table with columns for Date, No. of Train, Direction, and Station. Includes dates like May 25th, 1902, and stations like Weldon, Rocky Mt, Tarboro, etc.

TRAINS GOING NORTH

Table with columns for Date, No. of Train, Direction, and Station. Includes stations like Florence, Fayetteville, Wilson, etc.

Train on the Scotland Neck Branch road leaves Weldon 3:15 p. m.; Halifax 3:35 p. m.; arrives Scotland Neck 4:10 p. m.; Greenville 5:47 p. m. Kinross 6:45 p. m. Returning leaves Kinross 7:30 a. m.; Greenville 8:30 a. m.; arriving Halifax 11:05 a. m.; Weldon 11:30 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leaves Washington 6:00 a. m. and 1:45 p. m., arriving Parmele 6:35 a. m. and 3:10 p. m., returning leaves Parmele 6:15 a. m. and 2:25 p. m., arriving Washington 10:35 a. m. and 6:15 p. m., except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday 4:35 p. m. Sunday 4:35 p. m. arrives Plymouth 6:35 p. m. 6:30 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday 7:30 a. m. and Sunday 9:00 a. m., arrives Tarboro 9:55 a. m. 11:00 a. m.

Train on Midland, N. C., Branch leaves Goldsboro daily except Sunday 5:00 a. m., arriving Smithfield 6:10 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield 7:00 a. m., arrives Goldsboro 8:35 a. m.

Trains on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mount at 9:30 a. m., 4:00 p. m. arrive Nashville 10:30 a. m., 4:35 p. m., Spring Hope 11:30 a. m., 5:15 p. m. Returning leave Spring Hope 11:30 a. m., 4:45 p. m., arrive Rocky Mount 12:10 a. m., 6:30 p. m., daily except Sunday.

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