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South Carolina Railroad.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

CHARLESTON, March 1, 1878.
On and after Sunday, next, the South Carolina Railroad will be run as follows:

FOR AUGUSTA.
(Sunday morning excepted).
Leave Charleston . . . 9 00 a. m. 7 30 p. m.
Arrive Augusta . . . 5 00 p. m. 6 55 a. m.

FOR COLUMBIA.
(Sunday morning excepted).
Leave Charleston . . . 5 00 a. m. 8 30 p. m.
Arrive Columbia . . . 10 30 p. m. 7 45 a. m.

FOR CHARLESTON.
(Sunday morning excepted).
Leave Augusta . . . 8 00 a. m. 7 40 p. m.
Arrive Charleston . . . 4 20 p. m. 7 45 a. m.

FOR COLUMBIA.
(Sunday morning excepted).
Leave Charleston . . . 5 00 p. m. 8 00 p. m.
Arrive Columbia . . . 12 15 a. m. 6 45 a. m.

Sammerville Trains.
(Sundays excepted).
Leave Sammerville . . . 7 40 a. m.
Arrive at Charleston . . . 8 40 a. m.
Leave Charleston . . . 3 15 p. m.
Arrive at Sammerville . . . 4 25 p. m.

Camden Train.
(Sundays excepted).
Leave Camden . . . 7 40 a. m.
Arrive at Charleston . . . 8 40 a. m.
Leave Charleston . . . 3 15 p. m.
Arrive at Camden . . . 4 25 p. m.

Connects at Kingsville daily (Sundays excepted) with day passenger train to and from Charleston. Passengers from Camden to Kingsville can go through without detention on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and from Columbia to Camden on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays by connection with day passenger train.

Day and night trains connect at Augusta with Georgia Railroad and Central Railroad. This route is the quickest and most direct to Atlanta, Nashville, Louisville, Cincinnati, Chicago, St. Louis and other points in the Northwest.

Night trains for Augusta connect closely with the fast mail train via Macon and Augusta Railroad for Macon, Columbus, Montgomery, Mobile, New Orleans and points in the Southwest. (Thirty-six hours to New Orleans.)

Day trains for Columbia connect closely with Charlotte Railroad for all points North, making quick time and no delays. (Forty hours to New York.)

The trains on the Greenville and Columbia and Spartanburg and Union Railroads connect closely with the train which leaves Charleston at 5 00 a. m. and returning they connect in same manner with the train which leaves Columbia for Charleston at 5 30 p. m.

Laurens Railroad train connects at Newberry on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Blue Ridge Railroad train runs daily, connecting with up and down trains on Greenville and Columbia Railroad.

S. S. SOLOMONS, Superintendent.
S. B. PICKENS, General Ticket Agent.

WILMINGTON, COLUMBIA AND AUGUSTA RAILROAD.

GENERAL PASSENGER DEPARTMENT.
COLUMBIA, S. C., August 6, 1877.

The following schedule will be operated on and after this date:

Night Express Train—Daily.
GOING NORTH.
Leave Columbia . . . 11 15 p. m.
Leave Florence . . . 2 40 a. m.
Arrive at Wilmington . . . 6 32 a. m.

GOING SOUTH.
Leave Wilmington . . . 6 00 p. m.
Leave Florence . . . 10 02 p. m.
Arrive at Columbia . . . 1 25 a. m.

This Train is Fast Express, making through connections, all rail, North and South, and water line connection via Portsmouth. Stop only at Eastover, Sumter, Timonville, Florence, Marion, Fair Bluff, Whiteville and Blenheim.

Through Tickets sold and baggage checked to all principal points. Pullman Sleepers on night trains.

Through Freight Train—Daily, except Sundays.
GOING NORTH.
Leave Columbia . . . 5 00 p. m.
Leave Florence . . . 4 30 a. m.
Arrive at Wilmington . . . 12 00 a. m.

GOING SOUTH.
Leave Wilmington . . . 2 30 p. m.
Leave Florence . . . 2 35 a. m.
Arrive at Columbia . . . 10 10 a. m.

Local Freight Train leaves Columbia Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday only, at 6 a. m. Arrives at Florence at 3 30 p. m.

A. J. POPE, G. F. & T. A.
J. F. DEVINE, Superintendent.

Magnolia Passenger Route.

PORT ROYAL RAILROAD.
Augusta, Ga., June 1, 1878.

The following passenger schedule will be operated on and after June 2nd:

NIGHT PASSENGER TRAIN.
Going south—No. 1, Daily.
Leave Augusta via P. R. Railroad 10 00 p. m.
Arrive at Yemassee via P. R. R. 2 50 a. m.
Leave Yemassee via S. C. R. R. 3 20 a. m.
Arrive Charleston via S. C. R. R. 8 20 a. m.
Arrive Savannah via S. C. R. R. 8 00 a. m.
Leave Savannah via S. C. R. R. 4 10 p. m.
Arrive at Jacksonville via P. R. R. 9 55 a. m.
Leave Jacksonville via P. R. R. 3 55 a. m.
Arrive at Port Royal via P. R. R. 4 58 a. m.
Arrive at P. R. R. 6 15 p. m.

Day—No. 2, Daily.
Leave P. R. R. 11 00 p. m.
Leave P. R. R. 1 23 p. m.
Leave P. R. R. 1 00 a. m.
Arrive via Fla. Cent'l 4 45 p. m.
Leave via A and G R R 8 40 a. m.
Arrive via S and C R R 8 30 p. m.
Leave via S and C R R 1 20 a. m.
Leave via P. R. Railroad 2 40 a. m.
Arrive via P. R. Railroad 6 40 a. m.

Sleeping Cars between Augusta and Port Royal invited to connections of Green Augusta and Charleston. Green Augusta and Charleston. Special parts of the city. Ticket for sale at all principal points.

W. G. FLEMING, Superintendent.
J. S. DAVIS, General Ticket Agent.

Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta R. R.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

CHARLOTTE, COLUMBIA & AUGUSTA R. R.
GENERAL PASSENGER DEPARTMENT.
COLUMBIA, S. C., Jan. 27, 1878.

The following passenger schedule will be operated on and after this date:

Mail Express—Going North.
Leave Augusta . . . 6 40 p. m.
Arrive Columbia . . . 11 20 p. m.
Leave Columbia . . . 11 30 p. m.
Arrive Charlotte . . . 4 58 a. m.

Mail Express—Going South.
Leave Charlotte . . . 9 48 p. m.
Arrive Columbia . . . 2 54 a. m.
Leave Columbia . . . 3 04 a. m.
Arrive Augusta . . . 7 05 a. m.

Run daily, and make close connection at Charlotte and Augusta for all points North, South and West. Stop at following named stations only: Fort Mills, Rock Hill, Chester, Blackstock, Winnsboro, Ridgeway, Doko, Columbia, Lexington, Batesburg, Ridge Spring, Johnston's, Pine House and Graniteville.

Day Passenger—Going South.
No. 1
Leave Charlotte . . . 12 30 p. m.
Leave Chester . . . 2 42 p. m.
Arrive Columbia . . . 5 44 p. m.
Leave Columbia . . . 5 54 p. m.
Arrive Graniteville . . . 9 51 p. m.
Arrive Augusta . . . 10 36 p. m.

Day Passenger—Going North.
No. 2
Leave Augusta . . . 5 30 a. m.
Arrive Columbia . . . 9 35 a. m.
Leave Columbia . . . 9 40 a. m.
Leave Chester . . . 12 45 p. m.
Arrive Charlotte . . . 2 58 p. m.

Now 1 and 2 run daily, and make close connection at Augusta and Charlotte for points North, South and West, and stop at all regular pass stations.

T. D. KLINE, Sup't.
A. POPE, Gen'l F. and P. Agent.

FIRE INSURANCE.

The St. Paul Fire

—AND—
Marine Insurance Company
CAPITAL \$1,704,888

THE SAFEST COMPANY IN THE UNITED STATES

Will underwrite on all kinds of property, real and personal, in Barnwell county, including gin, gin-house, mill and machinery, cotton ginned and unginned at the lowest current rates.

H. M. THOMPSON,
Local Agent, Wilmington, S. C.

N. B. Policies issued in best English Fire Companies if preferred, confined to dwelling houses, stores and contents.

Barnwell Lands for Sale

A FEW choice Cotton Plantations can be bought at reasonable rates, situated near Williston and Blackville, between the South Carolina Railroad and the Edisto river. For terms apply to H. M. THOMPSON, Williston, S. C.

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HAS MOVED to the Hotchkiss Store, opposite Thomas R. Rhoads and the Fountain, and next store east of F. E. Salinas' Grocery Store, and he will be glad to see his old patrons and as many new ones as may desire Good and Cheap Lamps, Crockery, Glassware, Kerosene Oil, and his usual variety of Goods needed by every house-keeper. No. 1 Kerosene, 18c. to 20c. a gallon; and also sells the

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Charleston, S. C.

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WOMEN'S LETTERS.

A Washington Editor of Large

Observation Expresses His Mind Upon the Post Office Decision.

(Washington Capital.)

It has been lately decided by the highest authority that the husband has no right to his wife's letters.

This is wise. It is wiping out the last remnant of the greatest brute once known to civilization as the husband-at-common-law.

This creature was a relic of barbarism. It came down to us from a period that ante-dates the birth of Mary, the mother of God, when women were regarded as something inferior to man.

And this in the face of heathen mythology and Christian records. With the heathens—grand old fellows they were, too—Jove shared his power with Juno; and, while war and rough work of all sorts had male gods to represent them, wisdom and the arts had goddesses, save and except Mercury, the god of thieves, and therefore the deity in and about Washington. If we turn to the Hebrew chronicles, we find that Eve, our first mother, was made from a rib of Adam. Therefore Adam was only the raw material out of which this fiber and more perfect article was manufactured.

From the same history we learn that Adam, though strong of body, was weak of mind and the women led him. The women led him into a devil of a business, to be sure. But that came from the lack of training, which Eve, from the peculiar way in which she was brought out, could not have. And, after all, our dear old mother only ended where had little boys begin—in robbing orchards.

Thanks to the progress in pomological culture, choice fruits, such as pippins, bell-flowers and other savory sort of apples, are more common and not so precious. Therefore when a boy invades an orchard and is caught at it the owner contents himself with fanning his little bay window with a slipper. We suppose that at the early day referred to, when our first parents transgressed, a real choice article of bell-flower was worth ten cents apiece, and in heavy demand at that.

However, to return to our nutt— and a tough old ram the husband at common-law was—we say that the claim to a wife's letter on the part of the husband, lately disposed of, was a remnant of that barbarism which, regarding the women as inferior to the men, had the wife entirely absorbed in the husband. She was regarded only as a process through which children could be brought into the world, and something to have enough individuality to be beaten. Blackstone, the great law commentator, gives us the sized stick to be used in such punishment.

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Evidence Discovered of his Complicity in the Famous Hell-Hole Swindle.

A correspondent writing from Columbia to the News and Courier, under date of November 6, says: The Court of General Sessions met at 10 a. m. The case of the State vs. Sallie Williams, murder, was tried; verdict, not guilty. At the conclusion of this case the grand jury was called, and a little ripple of excitement occasioned by the solicitor handling to the grand jury quite a bulky looking indictment in the case of the State vs. D. H. Chamberlain et al., charging them with conspiracy to cheat the State. The solicitor stated that he had two witnesses—Messrs. DeSausure and Cochran—who would now go before them, and if their evidence was not considered sufficient he had another whom he expected to-morrow morning.

Judge Pressley said to the grand jury that they had all doubtless heard that the State, some years ago, had appropriated a large sum of money for the purchase of homes for colored men. He told the jury that they must disregard everything that they had heard about this land commission business, and must direct their investigation exclusively to determining whether the persons charged in the indictment, C. P. Leslie, D. H. Chamberlain, H. H. Kimpton and Miles G. Parker, had conspired to cheat the State by purchasing a tract of land in Charleston county, for which they actually paid a certain sum, and returned it to the State as having been purchased at a much larger sum. In other words, laying aside all prejudice, they were to determine whether there was enough evidence before them to warrant a trial of the defendants by a petit jury, for having, either as land commissioners, or as the advisory board of the land commission, conspired together to cheat the State out of the difference between the price they actually paid for the said land, and the amount they pretended to have paid, as charged in the indictment. If the testimony then produced before them was sufficient to convince them that the defendants should be tried by a petit jury for the offense charged against them they should find a true bill, and, if not, should hold the matter over until to-morrow, when another witness would be sent before them. Messrs. DeSausure and John R. Cochran were then sworn, and the grand jury retired. The trial of Keziah Burke, for arson, was then begun.

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Buy a Home.

(See Francisco Chronicle.)
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GENERAL NEWS.

There are over 1,000 prisoners in Kentucky Penitentiary.

The peanut crop of North Carolina is expected to reach 30,000 tons.

A bee sting can be instantly cured by rubbing it with a scented tannin leaf.

Moody, the revivalist, weighs 300 pounds. His constant antagonist, John A. Campbell, appears to agree with him.

Charleston, S. C., under the Democratic government of Wade Hampton, has the finest negro regiment in the world.

Cholera is sweeping over Central and Southern Morocco. Business is completely paralyzed and hundreds are dying of starvation.

Dr. Wm. Martin, of Columbia, tells us that he has tied some fifteen hundred matrimonial knots during his long ministerial career.

A young lady about to marry a farmer, said: "Mother, I've married a gardener." She forgot to add that, owing to the match, the gardener lost his situation.

"Sandy, what is the state of religion in your town?" "Bad, air; very bad. There are no christians except David and myself, and I have my doubts about David."

Up to date the applications for pensions on account of the late war amount, in round numbers, to 500,000, 260,000 of which were made by men and 240,000 by widows.

The Spartanburg and Asheville Railroad has been placed in the hands of Col. James Anderson, as temporary receiver, pending litigation in the United States Courts.

Mr. Wm. H. Vanderbilt has bought the four years old Maud S., that trotted recently in 2:17 1/2, making the best record in the world for her age. The price paid was \$21,000.

"Heroes are scarce, but the man who can make poverty respectable is one of them." Measuring by this standard, South Carolina can boast of many heroes and heroines.

"One-half of the world don't know how the other half live!" exclaimed a gossiping woman. "Oh, well," said her neighbor, "don't worry about it; 'tisn't your fault if they don't know."

But the point of a needle without magnet, stick it through a cork, drop it into a tumbler of water, and you will have a cheap and reliable compass, as the cork will float and the needle will then point to the North.

The New Orleans papers announce that Mrs. Jefferson Davis is seriously ill, and that her husband is fearfully prostrated by anxiety and care for his wife, combined with the recent death of his son, Jefferson Davis, Jr.

Nearly \$100,000 appropriated for the benefit of the penal and charitable institutions of the State has been paid in full, and South Carolina does not owe a dollar on that score. How will this compare with Radical rule?

John Chamberlain swore in open court in New York, a few days ago, that he and his brother paid General Butler while he was in command at New Orleans \$1,800 per month for the privilege of keeping their farm bank in full blast.

The yellow fever pestilence has afforded persons who desire to do as a chance to be thought dead, for it was easy to get their names transferred to the death roll. Many natives from justice are known to have endeavored in that way to stop a suit. One of these was the distinguished treasurer of Bloomington, Ill.

Italy is the only civilized country in the world free from debt. She has a balance in her treasury of 60,000,000 florins and reduction in taxation is to result. At a time when other European governments are increasing their taxes and their