

Local Items.

RAILROAD SCHEDULES.—The following are the hours at which the trains on the C. C. and A. R. R. pass Winnsboro:

REGULAR PASSENGER—NIGHT.
For Charlotte, 10.22, P. M.
For Augusta, 2.00, A. M.

ACCOMMODATION FREIGHT—DAY.
For Augusta, 11.45, A. M.
For Charlotte, 1.00, P. M.

The ministers prayed for rain on Sunday.

Our "Associate" is off on a visit to cooler latitudes. We ask, therefore, that proper allowance be made for the paucity of local matter in this issue.

Historians say that such weather as we are now having is good for fishing. Can't some of our enterprising friends make up a party, and allow us to share in the dividends? Don't all speak at once.

PERSONAL.—Rev. C. E. Chichester returned home yesterday, from a pleasant trip to New Orleans, to attend the meeting of the General Assembly of his church. We are pleased to learn that he is much improved in health.

We have been requested to announce that there will be a meeting of the Mount Zion Society in the Town Hall this morning at 9 o'clock. A full attendance is desired, as business of importance will come up for consideration.

FAIRFIELD FIRE ENGINE COMPANY.—At the meeting of this organization on Friday night last, a committee was appointed to make arrangements for a hop, to be given at an early day for the resuscitation of the company's treasury. When the arrangements are perfected, due announcement will be made in these columns.

We beg leave to call the attention of our "city fathers" to the condition of the covering of the Court House cistern. There is a hole in it caused by decay large enough to admit a good-sized foot, and it is barely possible that a suit for damages might be the result unless it is looked after immediately.

The Mount Zion Society, at its recent quarterly meeting, appointed a building committee, consisting of Messrs. I. N. Withers, James A. Brice and T. R. Robertson, who were specially charged with the matter of repairs on the school house, and the purchase of necessary furniture for the school room. The building is sadly in need of repair, and we are glad to learn that the committee have gone to work at once to make the necessary arrangements to remedy the defects. The school room furniture most desirable at this time are globes and outline maps and it is to be hoped that the committee will find no trouble in providing these necessary adjuncts.

"Ye old folks" are busily engaged in preparing themselves for the "greate concert" which they propose to give some evening next week, and the entertainment promises to be a complete success. This is the first time such a concert has ever been given in Winnsboro, and the costumes and the musical selections have all been carefully adopted with a view to the fundamental idea of the entertainment,—a presentation of the ways of the olden time. The best musical talent of the town will take part, and the choruses are being drilled, so that there may be nothing to mar the pleasure of the entertainment. Refreshments will be served during the evening. The proceeds will be devoted to Winnsboro's crack company, the Gordon Light Infantry. Fuller particulars will be given hereafter.

The Columbia Register states that on Thursday morning Joe Belton, Frank Johnson and Jackson Burns, convicts from this county in the Penitentiary, all colored, made an effort to escape by plunging into the river and swimming for the islands. They had nearly reached one of the islands near the mill before

they were discovered by the guard. The signal of escape was at once given, when the guards along the line opened a brisk and continuous fire at the escaping convicts, which was kept up until several hundred shots were fired. The whole force of guards were employed in trying to capture the convicts, and after much difficulty succeeded. It was discovered after the convicts were re-captured that Belton was shot in several places, while Johnson had received a ball in his back which passed out through his mouth. Burns was unhurt. Belton died on Friday, and Johnson is not expected to live. All three of the convicts had been convicted of burglary. Joe Belton was a desperado and an old offender, this last being his third time in the penitentiary. He escaped once. Several years since, he got into an affray with another colored man and was so badly cut in the abdomen that his intestines protruded. Prior to his last conviction he was a fugitive from justice for some time, and on one occasion fired several shots at his pursuers. It is a fortunate circumstance that this hardened and desperate criminal will no longer be a source of annoyance to Fairfield county.

After this salutary lesson, it is hardly probable another attempt to escape will soon be made.

A CARD.

MONTICELLO, June 1st, 1877.
Editors of The News and Herald:

It is rumored throughout the county that an election will be ordered at any early day for clerk of the court, and there being several aspirants for the nomination by the Democratic party, I have been urged by friends to define my position. I was nominated for the office of clerk of the court by the county convention, and the recent election of Messrs. Gaillard and Brice shows that the same ticket is still in the field, and I therefore claim that I am the nominee.

JNO. B. DAVIS.

To the Citizens of Fairfield County.

I announce myself as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Court for Fairfield county. The following are my reasons for seeking the office: I have a large family to support, and children to educate by my own efforts. I lost an arm in the service of my country, and the office would at least be a great help to a man in my situation. So if no other man offers, whose claims are better, and you will elect me I promise to fill the office honestly, and to the best of my ability.

June 2-1f R. H. JENNINGS.

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