

The Watchman and Southerner. Published every Tuesday, by THE WATCHMAN AND SOUTHERNER PUBLISHING COMPANY, SUMTER, S. C.

Table with routes and times: WILMINGTON, COLUMBIA AND AUGUSTA R. R. Leave Wilmington 10:05 p.m., Arrive at Florence 2:25 a.m., etc.

The Snowdrop. Was a school-girl, glad and free, Who laughed at lover's sighs, And he, the city's most studious son, So earnest and so wise, Half-frightened me when I heard Him gently speak my name.

On the Bay City train the other day was a woman with a baby about eight months old, and in the next seat was an old man who couldn't sit still until he had said, "That's a baby you will have there, isn't it?"

James D. Rhymus was a patient in a private mad-house. Mrs. Bigelow, wife of the physician in charge, took a deep interest in his case. She believed that insanity could be cured by moral science and generally mild treatment.

Perhaps no preacher in South Carolina travels more or more widely than the traveler. Since the year began he has been on every railroad in the State except the North Eastern; he has done considerable riding on stage lines and private ways, also, and everywhere he has met that class of our fellow-citizens, whose most familiar name is "Drummers."

Oats as Horse Feed. Every good horseman knows that sound oats are the best food that can be given a galloping horse, and the only food on which a race-horse or hunter can be got in the best possible condition.

FOR LEASE OR SALE. THE PLANTATION KNOWN AS ANDERSONVILLE, in Charleston County, eight miles above Mount Pleasant, most desirably and beautifully situated on the W. Bay, with a good landing for vessels of 4 to 6 feet draft.

Table with routes and times: CHERRY AND DARLINGTON AND CHERRY AND SALISBURY RAILROADS. Leave Charleston 8:40 a.m., Arrive at Darlington 1:20 p.m., etc.

Farwell Thompson was the first prisoner to answer to the call of the bell. He had his coat and vest on his arm, and he at once proceeded to observe: "Say, Judge, I want to see the man who calls that den in there the cooler! Cooler! Why, sir, it is hotter than six old-fashioned Dutch ovens rolled into one."

"That's business. He's the chief and the boy is named Jefferson," after Mr. Lemme kiss him about four times. The baby was duly kissed and congratulated, and at the next station he left the train with his mother.

Point of Rocks, Va., is a name given to an indefinite extent of territory, and is so called from abrupt cliffs which jut out into the Appomattox. It has a historic interest. The "Point of Rocks Oak," a large tree, stands on the point which gives name to the place.

These men are distinguished for being "wide awake," energetic and closely devoted to business—they must be so, for not to possess these qualities were but to "put them on the shelf."

Gentle Words to Horses. The ridiculously loud tone of voice in which orders are generally given to horses, when the driver desires them to start or stop, has often been a subject of surprise to me.

FARM FOR RENT. A DESIRABLY SITUATED FARM, about seven miles from Sumter. Will be let to a good tenant at a reasonable rent. For further information apply at this office.

Table with routes and times: SOUTH CAROLINA RAILROAD. CHANGE OF SCHEDULE. ON AND AFTER OCTOBER 1st, 1881, the following trains will run as follows:

"I presume so. You are down on the records as being drunk. You couldn't have reached that condition without knowing all about it." "Judge, I want to explain. I am an experimentalist."

"I set out yesterday morning to experiment on the human system. It was a red-hot day, and I wanted to see what particular drink would soothe the blood. I first took plain whisky. Thousands of men drink whisky in winter to keep warm, and in summer to keep cool. It's an infernal habit. In ten minutes after taking whisky, twelve degrees had been added to the heat of my system."

A FASHIONABLE DESPOTISM. These lady-patronesses of Almack's were the Ladies Castlerough, Jersey, Cowper and Saffron. Mrs. Drummond Barrett, the Princess Esterhazy, and the Countess Yelverton.

USES OF CHARCOAL. Charcoal, said flat, white cold, on a burn, causes the pain to abate immediately; by leaving it on for an hour, the burn seems almost healed, when it is superficial.

HUMAN NATURE THE SAME IN ALL. A young lady, who with her husband visited the Royal Institution at the time when Faraday, according to Prof. Tyndall, ranked as the greatest experimental philosopher of the age, was courteously shown over the establishment by the professor, and surprised at the vivacity and cheerfulness of a man who constantly breathed so scientific an atmosphere.

ESTABLISHED IN 1868. Practical Watchmakers and Jewelers. Main Street, opposite John Reid's. DEALERS IN Watches, Clocks, GOLD AND PLATED JEWELRY, Spectacles, Silver and Plated Ware, FISHING TACKLE, Sewing Machine Needles, Cuts, Etc.

Table with routes and times: COLUMBIA AND GREENVILLE RAILROAD. For all points on that line and on the Spartanburg, Union and Columbia and Spartanburg and Abbeville Railroads, also with the Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta Railroad to and from all points North by rail, having 600 ft. of gauge.

"But I can't go." "But you have to." He said he'd die right there and then, but he didn't. In five minutes he had snatched Bijah's watch, and was feeding in lumpy spirits.—Detroit Free Press.

A LIVELY CORPSE. Mr. Cheney, a farmer of Indiana, having a married daughter living in Nebraska, was shocked by a telegram from her husband, saying that her body would arrive the next evening. The family was overcome with the sudden blow. Hurdled preparations for mourning garments and the preliminaries to the funeral were made, and, on the dismal evening, dressed all in black, they went to the station to meet the corpse.

IT CURED AND KILLED. A cotter's wife had a cow which unexpectedly ceased to give milk. After consultation with her neighbors, she came to the conclusion that some person unknown had cast an evil spell upon it. To counteract this spell she was told she must feed the cow with straw from the bed of a woman who had given birth to a child, but had not since that event been in church.

A CRUEL GENERAL. A correspondent of the Keltische Zeitung sends from Galathea a report of the victory of Derwich Pasha over the Albanians at the battle of Uskub, which shows that this clever but unprincipled politician and soldier will not lose his reputation for cruelty. The Albanians stood bravely for four hours against the fearful rain of the Turk's cannon.

True manhood and true womanhood is never lacking in the spirit of reverence that looks upon the little ones as sacred gifts from the Father. He who has no tenderness for their weakness, and no appreciation of their simplicity, shows that there is somewhere in his nature a lack of one, at least, of the essential virtues of manhood. For the child-heart is the fairest type of the human heart.

G. B. T. GIBSON'S BRAIN TRANQUILIZER. ANTI-EPILEPTIC SPECIFIC. This Remedy offers a Safe Cure for Epilepsy, Fits, Convulsions, Incurable Coma, Paralysis, Nervous Debility, Brain Excitement, Insanity in many forms, and in all cases where the Brain or Nervous System has been Disturbed.

Table with routes and times: COLUMBIA AND GREENVILLE RAILROAD. Passenger Department. ON AND AFTER THURSDAY, September 1st, 1881, Passenger Trains will run as follows:

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THE BEAR, THE BOTTLE AND THE BUCKLE. There is a familiar Western story of a tame bear, which, seeing a blue-bottle on a sleeping man's nose, tried to beat it off with a blow of its paw, but in so doing damaged his friend's mail organ. A similar tale is told in the "Makasa-jataka."

Canon Farrar says: "He alone by whom the hairs of our heads are numbered, can count the widows who are widows because of alcohol; the gray heads that it has made gray; the sad hearts that it has crushed with sadness; the ruined families that it has ruined; the brilliant talents that it has quenched; the unfolding promise which it has hankered; the bright and happy boys and girls whom it has blasted into misery; the young and the gifted whom it has hurried along into dishonored and shameless graves."

The fastest time ever made on a railroad was by the Vanderbilt party from Detroit to New York, with the newly invented Fontaine engine. The distance was 225 miles, and the time made was two hours and thirty minutes, with five stops of sixteen minutes.

W. A. GIBSON, DRUGGIST. Corner of King and Queen Streets, CHARLESTON, S. C. PRICE PER BOTTLE, \$2.00. W. A. Gibson, Esq., Druggist, Charleston, S. C.—Dear Sir: Since my daughter, took the first dose of your medicine you sent her she has not had one fit. Before that she used to have from three to five fits, and as many as two, three, six and nine a day, for the past eight years.

Table with routes and times: NORTH-EASTERN R. R. CO. SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE. NORTH-EASTERN RAILROAD CO. CHARLESTON, S. C., Oct. 9, 1881.

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PAVILION HOTEL, CHARLESTON, S. C. THIS HOTEL, centrally located, has been entirely renovated during the past summer is now ready for the reception of the traveling public. Popular rates \$2 and \$3.50 per day. Special rates for Commercial Rates. E. T. GAILLARD, Proprietor.

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