

Humorous Department.

ROBBED HIM OF ALL. A deputy sheriff rode up to a cabin in East Tennessee, and calling an old fellow, who stood with a gun in his hand, said: "Dan, you'll have to stop you foolishness."

Wayside Gatherings.

An inch of rain means 100 tons of water on every acre. People who borrow trouble are always giving it away. Texas is harvesting the largest grain crop in its history.

The Story Teller.

TEXAS STORIES.

A Watermelon Dinner—An Episode of Semi-Starvation.

"No," said the cowboy, with a smile, as he pushed away the plate holding a segment of dewy, pinky fruit, "I don't eat watermelon, and I'll tell you why."

scared. I begged: I pleaded with the old ruffian. I told him I had been filling up on beans and tallow for a month, and just had the chance of one decent meal. I urged him to join me, bribed him with drinks; it was no use.

but it exhausted the whole of our remaining capital, and we rose to a breakfastless morning and a drizzling rain, too. "Of course, I made straight for the office. No boss. No yielding on the part of the firm. When I came out, probably with murder in my eye, Jake fished out 80 cents and told me to come along to breakfast. I never have known where he got that money, whether he begged it or stole it, or had it in reserve as a little private fund for himself; but I did feel touched at the way he stuck to me. We visited our hush house again, slept in our wooden bunks again that night, but the following morning our last cent went for a mite of breakfast, and I was about crazy."

OHIO RIVER AND CHARLESTON R. R.



TIME TABLE of the Ohio River and Charleston Railway company, to take effect Monday, May 5th, at 7.30 a. m.

STANDARD EASTERN TIME. GOING SOUTH. Leave Marion 4.15 pm, Leave Rutherfordton 6.20 pm, Leave Forest City 6.50 pm, Leave Henrietta 7.10 pm, Leave Mooresboro 7.25 pm, Leave Shelby 7.50 pm, Leave Patterson Springs 8.40 pm, Leave Earle 8.45 pm, Arrive at Blacksburg 9.00 pm.

GOING NORTH. Leave Camden 2.00 pm, Leave Kershaw 2.45 pm, Leave Lancaster 3.25 pm, Leave Catawba Junction 3.50 pm, Leave Rock Hill 4.10 pm, Leave Yorkville 4.30 pm, Leave Newberry 4.45 pm, Leave Yorkville 5.00 pm, Leave Kershaw 5.20 pm, Leave Camden 5.40 pm, Arrive at Marion 6.20 pm.

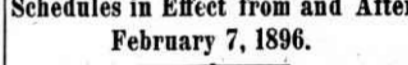
CONNECTIONS. Nos. 34 and 35 will carry passengers. Nos. 11 and 12 have connection at Marion with Southern Railway.

At Roddeys, Old Point, King's Creek and London, trains stop only on signal.

S. B. LUMPKIN, G. P. A. A. TRIPP, Superintendent. SAM'L HUNT, General Manager.

CAROLINA & NORTHWESTERN RY.

G. W. F. HARPER, President.



Schedules in Effect from and After February 7, 1896.

CENTRAL TIME STANDARD.

GOING NORTH. Leave Chester 6.10 a.m., Leave Lowrysville 6.36 a.m., Leave McConnellsville 6.54 a.m., Leave Guthrieville 7.02 a.m., Leave Clover 7.22 a.m., Leave Gastonia 7.37 a.m., Leave Lincoln 7.56 a.m., Leave Hickory 8.11 a.m., Arrive Lenoir 8.20 pm.

Trains Nos. 9 and 10 are first class, and run daily except Sunday. Trains Nos. 60 and 61 carry passengers and also run daily except Sunday. There is good connection at Chester with the G. C. & N. and the C. C. & A., also L. & C. R. R., at Gastonia with the A. & C. A. L.; at Clinton with C. C.; and at Hickory and Newton with W. N. C.

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