The Manning Times.

LOUIS APPELT, EDITOR.

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NO MONKEYING.

The Greenville News and other anti-dispensary newspapers seem very impatient to get a declaration from Goveror Ellerbe, as to his course with reference to the dispensary, and from day to day they are throwing out hints of a deal made by the Governor to recommend local option. We do not know whether there is any ground to suspect that governor Ellerbe has changed his views about the handling of the liquor problem, but we have no idea that by word or act has he ever given any man good reason to believe that he will not stand to the declarations made upon the hustings, when he went before the people asking for re-election. The people endorsed him in spite of the combinations and alliances made to defeat him, and now that the battle is won, to turn around and recommend for the enactment into law, a measure which was rejected by the voters in the recent campaign would be absurd. Tillman and Schumpert went from county to county and tried to prove that local option was the panacea for all of their ills, but they would have it not, and repudiated both of them and their falacious doctrine.

We gave to Governor Ellerbe our hearty support and we did so, upon his manly stand for what he thought was right without regard to political consequences; had he been a trimmer the prohibitionist would not have given him opposition because he would have, on the dead quiet, given them to understand that he was with them. No, he made the fight upon the dispensary platform and on it he must stand. The only thing for him to do is to recommend such measures as will improve the system, and use every effort to make the law a step towards prohibition, or rather temperance, for we do not believe prohibition can be made practicable. These newspapers that are endeavoring to create the impression that Ellerbe gave the local optionists a promise, in order to get their votes are only making a grand bluff, notwithstanding the fact that the Columbia State did hint of such an understanding. Ellerbe were he so disposed, cannot after satisfying his political appetite hand the dish over to his enemies, and the enemies of the people who stood by him, when the clouds of disaster were hovering very near. The friends of the dispensary are in the majority in the General Assembly and while many of them are disposed to strike out the laws harsh features, they will, if it becomes necessary put aside little differences and details and to a man will stand by the law and block any attempt to destroy it. The interviews as published in Friday's State from the Charleston delegation is enough to open the eyes of the opponents of barrooms in South Carolina; The representatives from that prohibition(?) city, where Mr. Featherstone, the prohibition candidate received 54 votes, and high license Schumpert about 1200, but in the second primary the high license people gave Featherstone their vote, are bold in their sayings that they want license and if they cannot get license, so their friends can do "peezness" with open doors, then they want prohibition so their friends can do "peezness" behind closed doors.

It is our opinion that Governor Ellerbe will endeavor to point out to the General Assembly a way to enforce the dispensary law, more effectually than it is being done now, and with less expense, but there will not be any "local option" or high license measure from him. The dispensary must have a fair test, and then if it is not what it should be, away with it.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Senator McLaurin has done some good work in Washington towards getting millitary camps in this State.

Editor Gonzales in a series of letters entitled "In Darkest Cuba" published in the Columbia State is entertaining his many readers. The letters should be published in book form and put on the market, their merit is a guarantee of large sales.

The Democracy of New York is committing the folly of going into the campaign in divided columns. Roosevelt the Republican nominee is fresh from the war and flushed with victory; his name is a household word and besides his party is marching to the polls in solid phalanx, while poor old Democracy is split and quarrelling in the presence of the enemy. We have no idea, under the circumstances that Van Wyck the Democratic nominee will stand a ghost of a chance. A house divided must fall in New York as well as elsewhere.

The State Supreme Court has issued a writ which will prevent the Democratic Executive Committee of Berkeley county, from carrying out the mandates of the State Committee. This action is a dangerous exercise of power that should not be vested in the Courts, and if persisted in, our primary system will be badly handicapped; it will result in defeated candidates running to the courts, to enjoin committees from declaring the wishes of the people. The General Assembly should take notice of this matter and enact some law which will not permit the courts to become instruments of destruction, at the instance of dissatisfied politicians. The effect of the Berkeley case will be to take the nomination of Sheriff out of the hands of the Democratic voters, and throw the election, into the general election for both Democrats and Republicans to vote, leaving the Democracy of that county without a nominee. A bad precedent has been established by the Berkeleyites.

The exceedingly low price of cotton this season, should be a lesson, not soon to be forgotten. Our farmers cannot make the staple at the price, and pay their debts; some other money crop must be found or disaster will be the result; as long as the present conditions exist, the banks will withhold their accommodations and the farmers will be left to struggle on without aid. Some may argue that the farmer will never get any better off until he learns to keep out of debt; this argument might do if the farmer was not already in the quagmire of debt, and what is needed now is a way to get out. The question then is, whether or not there should be a reduction of the cotton acreage, and whether or not the fleecy staple should be abandoned altogether. A reduction of the acreage, reduces the supply and, of course reduces the means to obtain money. The abandonment of cotton raising cannot be, until some other money crop can be found. The farmers throughout the State and the cotton belt should take advantage of this years experience and endeavor to profit thereby.

The present depressing condition is not alone felt by the farmer; the merchant feels the yoke also, and it is he at last, who must go to the wall when the farmer fails to find means to pay for his advances. It therefore behooves the merchant to lend every encouraging aid to the farmer to extricate himself from the destructive effects, fast encroaching upon those who must toil under a Southern sun to make clothing for mankind.

Three Doctors in Consultation.

From Benjamin Franklin.

"When you are sick, what you like best is to be chosen for a medicine in the first place; what experience tells you is best, to be chosen in the second place; what reason (i. e., Theory) says is best is to be chosen in the last place. But if you can get Dr. Inclination, Dr. Experience and Dr. Reason to hold a consultation together, they will give you the best advice that can be taken."

When you have a bad cold Dr. Inclination would recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy because it is pleasant and safe to take. Dr. Experience would recommend it because it never fails to effect a speedy and permanent cure. Dr. Reason would recommend it because it is prepared on scientific principles, and acts on nature's plan in relieving the lungs, opening the secretions and restoring the system to a natural and healthy condition. For sale by R. B. Loryea, druggist.

Why does a man's shoestring invariably break when he's in a hurry?

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narratted by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying Electric Bitters; and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim," No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cts per bottle at R. B. Loryea's Drug Store. 6

Why isn't a telegraph line an outline?

How to Prevent Croup.

We have two children who are subject to attacks of croup. Whenever an attack is coming on my wife gives them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it always prevents the attack. It is a household necessity in this county and no matter what else we run out of, it would not do to be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. More of it is sold here than of all other cough medicines combined.—J. M. Nickle of Nickle Bros., merchants, Nickleville, Pa. For sale by R. B. Loryea, druggist.

The State Election and the Lesson it Teaches.

The election held on Tuesday of last week was, in a measure, a surprise to many, but the result did not materially differ from what the Headlight prognosticated. We never had a moment's doubt but that Governor Ellerbe would be re-elected, but knew that the strong combinations against him would reduce his majority. The day before the second primary, in reply to an iuquiry, the editor of this paper stated that, from what he could gather, Ellerbe would go in by a majority ranging from five to seven thousand.

There were six candidates opposed to Governor Ellerbe, hailing from every section of our State, and all well presumed to be strong men. With the single exception of Col. Schumpert, they were very abusive against the Governor, and centred their fire upon him. Of course each of these candidates had his friends and workers, and after the State's first primary, and the gubernatorial candidates had been thinned down to Ellerbe and Featherstone, those who supported the losing candidates felt that it was necessary to beat Ellerbe to vindicate their course. It is true that Col. Watson came out in a letter endorsing Ellerbe, but we doubt if he controlled a dozen votes, and only published himself a political turncoat, who, after denouncing Governor Ellerbe in the most abusive manner, tried to ingratiate himself in his good graces by dieting upon his own words. Candidates can control voters in their own interest, but when they endeavor to turn them over to some one else they will find themselves badly mistaken.

But the reduced vote polled by Governor Ellerbe was not intended as a rebuke to his administration, but a disapproval of the manner in which the dispensary has been managed in the past. Too much favoritism had been shown the State constables, and the people demanded that these officers be held to strict account for their acts the same as other private citizens, and not be made special pets of. The pardoning of May and Buice, after their conviction by an impartial jury, lost Governor Ellerbe hundreds of votes in the upper section of our county as well as in Greenville, while the cruel and unprovoked killing of Mr. Turner by Newbold set the whole county ablaze with indignation. In Spartanburg county hundreds of strong friends of the dispensary voted for Featherstone simply to show their disapproval of the manner in which the dispensary has been managed, and to put a quietus on this shooting down of men for an offense, which, at most, would only put them to the chaingang for a short time.

The next Legislature will have to overhaul the dispensary law, and put a stop to even the suspicion of wrong doing and hold constables to strict account for their acts, or two years hence the people will rise in their power and wipe the whole system out of existence.

Taking all things into consideration, Governor Ellerbe made a splendid race, and we doubt if there is another man in the State who could have been elected with such a combination of politicians and unfortunate circumstances against him. The whole fire of the opposition was directed on Ellerbe, backed by the pulpit and every man interested in the tearing down of the dispensarry law and the sale of liquors by private parties. But the majority of the voters refused to be controlled against a man whom they knew to be honest, and who had done his duty faithfully and fearlessly. Governor Ellerbe had also to combat the hundreds of disappointed office-seekers, who failed to receive appointments at his hands to civil offices or in the army. But the great mass of our voters respected and honored Governor Ellerbe, and refused to strike down and humiliate a good and pure man.

But during his next term the many obstacles he had to encounter will be removed—factional differences have been allayed, and our people are again working together in peace and unity, and to Wm. H. Ellerbe, more than any other man, is this happy result due. The war has ended and there will be no scramble over positions in the army, and most of the appointments for State offices have been filled. Therefore we predict that Governor Ellerbe will retire from the gubernatorial chair at the expiration of his second term, amid the plaudits of the whole State, and his official record will go down in history as one of the cleanest in the annals of the Palmetto State. It would have been a shameful outrage to strike down as pure and honest a man as Governor Ellerbe at the clamor of ambitious politicians and an unholy alliance between Prohibitionists and liquor men.

But one glorious result has ensued: The people went to work and cleaned the State House of those who have been holding office since 1890, and made an entirely new deal. Piedmont Headlight.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Coal is probably as vein a thing as can be mentioned.

Ramon's Pepsin Chill Tonic contains Amorphous Quinine to neutralize and destroy the parasite in the blood; pure Iron to enrich and tone up the blood, and pure Soluble Pepsin to digest every dose given. It recommends itself to physicians. Tasteless and guaranteed. 50c. For sale by Dr. W. M. Brockinton, Manning, S. C.

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Truth wears well. People have learned that DeWitt's Little Early Risers are reliable little pills for regulating the bowels, curing constipation and sick headache. They don't gripe. R. B. Loryea, Manning; L. W. Nettles, Foreston; H. L. Wilson, Jordan.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement, that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of Consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefitted from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own housework, and is as well as she ever was.—Free trial bottles of this great Discovery at R. B. Loryea's Drug Store. Large bottles 50 cents and $1.00. 6

Why isn't it the darkest hour when we are unable to find the matches.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25c. per box. For sale by R. B. Loryea.

Lots of people who cling to the anchor of hope go down in the mud.

More than twenty million free samples of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve have been distributed by the manufacturers. What better proof of their confidence in its merits do you want? It cures piles, burns, scalds, sores in the shortest space of time. R. B. Loryea, Manning; L. W. Nettles, Foreston; H. L. Wilson, Jordan.

A girl seldom troubles herself to light the gas when an old flame calls.

Valuable to Women.

Especially valuable to women is Browns' Iron Bitters. Backache vanishes, headache disappears, strength takes the place of weakness, and the glow of health readily comes to the pallid cheek when this wonderful remedy is taken. For sickly children or overworked men it has no equal. No home should be without this famous remedy. Browns' Iron Bitters is sold by all dealers.

A Cure for Sick Headache.

I have a friend who had suffered 20 years from sick headache and had tried every remedy available, but found no relief. Finally I induced him to try Ramon's Liver Pills and Tonic Pellets, and he is now free from headache, and looks like a new man.—G. D. Murray, Dory, Ky. For sale by Dr. W. M. Brockinton, Manning, S. C.

Why does a loafer always complain of being unable to get work.

One Minute Cough Cure surprises people by its quick cures and children may take it in large quantities without the least danger. It has won for itself the best reputation of any preparation used today for colds, croup, tickling in the throat or obstinate coughs. R. B. Loryea, Manning; L. W. Nettles, Foreston; H. L. Wilson, Jordan.

It's a wise man who doesn't let his wife know the full size of his income.

You invite disappointment when you experiment. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are pleasant, easy, thorough little pills. They cure constipation and sick headache just as sure as you take them. R. B. Loryea, Manning; L. W. Nettles, Foreston; H. L. Wilson, Jordan.

A good word is just as soon said as a bad one.

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A farmer says the most difficult thing he ever tried to raise was a mortgage.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has the largest sale of any salve in the world. This fact and its merit has led dishonest people to attempt to counterfeit it. Look out for the man who attempts to deceive you when you call for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the great pile cure. R. B. Loryea, Manning; L. W. Nettles, Foreston; H. L. Wilson, Jordan.

Now is the time to think of fall bonnets. It doesn't cost much to think.

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The Chinese emperor's aunt may yet become his antipathy.

Notice to Creditors.

All persons having claims against the estate of B. Pressley Barron, deceased, will present same duly attested, and those owing said estate will make payment to

A. I. BARRON,
Administrator.

Manning, S. C., Oct. 5, 1898. [11-4t

Notice to Creditors.

All persons having claims against the estate of J. J. Broughton, deceased, will present same duly attested and those owing said estate will make payment to

J. EUGENE BROUGHTON,
NAPOLEON L. BROUGHTON.
Qualified Executors.

Pinewood, S. C., Sept. 21, 1898.
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Teachers' Examination.

The last examination for teachers' county certificates will be holden at the court house in Manning the third Friday, October 21st.

Teachers and those who wish to teach will please take notice.

W. S. RICHBOURG,
Co. Supt. Education.

Sept. 27th, 1898. [toct21

Pine Grove Graded School.

G. T. PUGH, A. B., Principal.
(Wofford College.)
Miss VIOLA LAVENDER, A. B., Asst.
(Columbia Female College.)

With a faculty thoroughly in earnest in regard to their work and striving to inspire a love for learning in the hearts and minds of the young people who come under their care, Pine Grove Graded School offers unusual advantages to those wishing to prepare themselves for the various colleges of our State, or to fit themselves for larger and more useful lives. The educational sentiment of the local patronage is rapidly increasing, and that, of course, is a source of inspiration to the young mind. The whole people are alive more than ever to educational interests and with a good library in our school, we are able to impart good, thorough instruction, and to impart it as cheaply here in this quiet country district as it can be done anywhere.

Tuition varies from $1 per month in the lowest grade to $2.40 in the highest; board and washing can be had in the best families at $7 per month. The next term begins the first Monday of October. Give us your patronage; we believe we can satisfy you.

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W. J. TURBEVILLE,
Chairman Board Trustees.

Shiloh, S. C. [sept 28-2m

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Sign of Golden Mortar.

Tax Notice.

County Treasurer's Office,
Clarendon County.
Manning, S. C., Sept. 24, 1898.

The tax books will be open for the collection of taxes for the fiscal year commencing January 1st, 1898, on the 15th day of October, 1898, and will remain open until the 31st day of December, following, after which time a penalty of 15 per cent. attaches to all unpaid taxes.

The following is the tax levy:

For State purposes, five (5) mills,

For constitutional school tax, three (3) mills.

For ordinary county tax four (4) mills.

For past indebtedness, one-fourth of one mill (¼).

Total 12¼ mills (outside of special school tax).

Special two (2) mills, school tax, school district No. "19." Total 14¼ mills school district "19."

Special two (2) mills, school tax, school district No. "16." Total 14¼ mills school district "16."

Special three (3) mills, school tax, school district No. "21." Total 15¼ mills school district "21."

Special four (4) mills, school tax, school district No. "7." Total 16¼ mills school district "7."

Special four (4) mills, school tax, school district No. "20." Total 16¼ mills school district "20."

Every male citizen between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, except those incapable of earning a support from being maimed or from other causes, except those who are now exempt by law, shall be deemed taxable polls.

The law requires that commutation road tax shall be paid for the succeeding year when State and county taxes are paid.

S. J. BOWMAN,
Treasurer Clarendon County.

Legg & Hutchinson

Have just received at their

Livery and Sale Stables,

Manning, S. C.,

The prettiest lot of Buggies that has ever been brought to this place and prices are lower than ever before.

Also a full line of

HARNESS.

Don't fail to see them and get our prices before you buy. We will make it to your interest. Remember that we keep a full stock of every piece of Harness, so when you get your harness broken, come and let us sell you new pieces. Our

Winter Lap Robes

are Daisies, running in price from

$1 to $7.

You will soon want to sow your Fall Oats. Recollect this is the place to buy your Seed, as we have a choice lot of

Rust-Proof.

We are now selling some second-hand Buggies and Harness very low for cash.

LEGG & HUTCHINSON

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Clarendon.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

The Thomas P. Smith McIver Company, plaintiffs,
against
Eli Holliday, Frank Riley and A. I. Barron, administrator of the estate of B. Pressley Barron, defendants.

Copy Summons—For Relief.

To the defendants, Eli Holliday, Frank Riley and A. I. Barron, administrator of the estate of B. Pressley Barron.

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the complaint in this action of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office, No. 35 Broad street, in the city of Charleston, in the State of South Carolina, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint; and you, the said Eli Holliday, are hereby notified that the complaint in the above entitled action has this the 5th day of September, A. D. 1898, been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Clarendon in said State, dated May 12, A. D. 1898.

TRENHOLM, RHETT & MILLER,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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MANNING S. C.

Season's Introduction.

WE MAKE OUR FIRST FALL ANNOUNCEMENT with feelings of gratitude to our friends for their liberal patronage during the past season. We open the Fall season with the choicest selection of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing, Furnishings, Hats and Caps ever brought into this city.

We shall continue to furnish our customers with the best results of the Tailoring Art, while our Hats, Caps and Furnishings are the product of the best makers.

We now extend to you a hearty invitation and a warm welcome to our store. Our goods merit the highest praise, while our prices remain within easy reach. If you have money to spend for Clothing this fall we want it and will get it if you can be influenced by style, workmanship or price. Come in and look. Our Clothing and prices will talk for themselves.

When you want a Suit, an Overcoat, a pair of Trousers, a Hat, a Shirt or anything to wear and want the latest thing out at the lowest price, you will find it at the store of

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SUMTER, - - - S. C.

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First Quality Table and Pocket Cutlery,

which we sustain, and as the years go by more and more people come to us for Knives, Forks, Spoons, Ladles, Pocket Knives, Razors and other goods in this line than ever before. Suppose you do the same. We can interest you. For bright and

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And the best will permit no better. If skill, experience and facilities count, our Harness is better than any other. All sorts of Farm Implements we always keep in stock.

STOVES AND RANGES

are a specialty of ours, and we invite you to call and inspect the large stock we have on hand. Cooking is a pleasant occupation if you use one of them. There's comfort and satisfaction to be found in them. Other things we will tell you later on.

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I have Mr. B. P. Cuttino, a practical Shoemaker, with me; he or I will wait on you when you come in. I still have my old Shoemaker with me, who can't be beat in the State on a job—making or repairing. Give me a trial.

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Sumter, S. C.

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Has decided to muster in the Second South Carolina Regiment, we suppose to serve out the two years' of enlistment and we have decided to sell our stock of

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RHAME & DAVIS,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

MANNING, S. C.

DR. J. FRANK GEIGER,

DENTIST,

MANNING, S. C.

STATEMENT OF

the condition of

The Bank of Manning

at the close of business,

SEPTEMBER 30, 1898.

LIABILITIES.

Loans and discounts	$ 97,061.02	
Real estate and furniture	7,384.01	
Cash and dues by other banks	34,369.92	—$138,814.95

ASSETS.

Capital stock	$ 30,300.00	
Re-discounts	52,114.16	
Surplus and profits	12,089.94	
Deposits	44,310.85	—$138,814.95

State of South Carolina,
Clarendon County.

I, JOSEPH SPROTT, Cashier of The Bank of Manning, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOSEPH SPROTT, Cashier.

Sworn to before me this 30th day of September, A. D. 1898.

LOUIS APPELT,
Notary Public for S. C.

Attest—
M. Levi,
J. W. McLeod,
W. E. Brown,
Directors.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

CHARLESTON, S. C., June 13, 1898.

On and after this date the following passenger schedule will be in effect:

NORTHEASTERN RAILROAD.

South-Bound.

	*35.	*23.	*53.
Lv Florence,	3.25 A.	7.55 P.	
Lv Kingstree,		8.57	
Ar Lanes,	4.38	9.15	
Lv Lanes,	4 38	9.15	7.40 P.
Ar Charleston,	6.03	10.50	9.15

North-Bound.

	*78.	*32.	*52.
Lv Charleston,	6.33 A.	5.17 P.	7.00 A.
Ar Lanes,	8.18	6.45	8.32
Lv Lanes,	8.18	6.45	
Lv Kingstree,	8.34		
Ar Florence,	9.28	7.55	

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

No. 52 runs through to Columbia via Central R. R. of S. C.

Trains Nos. 78 and 32 run via Wilson and Fayetteville—Short Line—and make close connection for all points North.

Trains on C. & D. R. R. leave Florence daily except Sunday 9.55 a m, arrive Darlington 10.28 a m, Cheraw, 11.40 a m, Wadesboro 12.35 p m. Leave Florence daily except Sunday, 8.00 p m, arrive Darlington, 8.25 p m, Hartsville 9.20 p m, Bennetsville 9.21 p m, Gibson 9.45 p m. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.55 a m, arrive Darlington 10.27, Hartsville 11.10.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday 6.35 a m, Bennettsville 6.59 a m, arrive Darlington 7.50 a m. Leave Hartsville daily except Sunday 7.00 a m, arrive Darlington 7.45 a m, leave Darlington 8.55 a m, arrive Florence 9.20 a m. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 4.25 p m, Cheraw 5.15 p m, Darlington 6.29 p m, arrive Florence 7 p m. Leave Hartsville Sunday only 8.15 a m Darlington 9.00 a m, arrive Florence 9.20 a m.

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South-Bound.

	55.	35.	52.
Lv Wilmington,	*3.45 P.		
Lv Marion,	6.34		
Ar Florence,	7.25		
Lv Florence,	*8.20	*3.25 A.	
Ar Sumter,	9.32	4.29	
Lv Sumter,	9.32	*9.32 A.	
Ar Columbia,	10.50	10.50	

No. 52 runs through from Charleston via Central R. R., leaving Charleston 7 a m, Lanes 8.34 a m, Manning 9.07 a m.

North-Bound.

	54.	53.	32.
Lv Columbia,	*5.45 A.	*3.25 P.	
Ar Sumter,	7.10	4.50	
Lv Sumter,	7.10	*6.06 P.	
Ar Florence,	8 25	7.25	
Lv Florence,	8.55		
Lv Marion,	9.34		
Ar Wilmington,	12.20		

*Daily.

No. 53 runs through to Charleston, S. C., via Central R. R., arriving Manning 5.15 p m, Lanes, 5.55 p m, Charleston 7.35 p m.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Chadbourn 11.43 a m, arrive Conway 12.40 p m returning leave Conway 2.45 p m, arrive Chadbourn 5.15 p m, leave Chadbourn 5.30 p m, arrive at Hub 6.10 p m, returning leave Hub 9.25 a m, arrive at Chadbourn 10.00 a m. Daily except Sunday.

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CENTRAL R. R. OF SO. CAROLINA.

	No. 52
Lv Charleston,	7.00 A. M.
Lv Lanes,	8.34 "
Lv Greeleyville,	8.46 "
Lv Foreston,	8.55 "
Lv Wilson's Mill,	9.01 "
Lv Manning,	9.09 "
Lv Alcolu,	9.16 "
Lv Brogdon,	9.25 "
Lv W. & S. Junct.,	9.38 "
Lv Sumter,	9.40 "
Ar Columbia,	11.00 "
	No. 53
Lv Columbia,	4.00 P. M.
Lv Sumter,	5.13 "
Lv W. & S. Junct.	5.15 "
Lv Brogdon,	5.27 "
Lv Alcolu,	5.35 "
Lv Manning,	5.41 "
Lv Wilson's Mill,	5.50 "
Lv Foreston,	5.57 "
Lv Greeleyville,	6.05 "
Ar Lanes,	6.17 "
Ar Charleston,	8.00 "

MANCHESTER & AUGUSTA R. R.

	No. 35.
Lv Sumter,	4.29 A. M.
Ar Creston,	5.17 "
Ar Orangeburg,	5.40 "
Ar Denmark,	6.12 "
	No. 32
Lv Denmark,	4.17 P. M.
Lv Orangeburg,	4.50 "
Lv Creston,	5.13 "
Ar Sumter,	6.03 "

Trains 32 and 35 carry through Pullman palace buffet sleeping cars between New York and Macon via Augusta.

Wilson and Summerton R. R.

TIME TABLE No. 1,

In effect Monday, June 13th, 1898.

Between Sumter and Wilson's Mills.

Southbound. No. 73. P M	Daily except Sunday Stations.	Northbound. No. 72. P M
2 00	Lv.....Sumter.....Ar	12 30
2 03	....W & S Junction....	12 27
2 20	.....Tindal.....	11 55
2 38	.....Packsville.....	11 30
2 50	.....Silver.....	11 10
3 05 / 3 35	.....Millard.....	10 45 / 10 15
3 50	.....Summerton.....	10 10
4 20	.....Davis.....	9 45
4 45	.....Jordan.....	9 35
5 15 P M	Ar.....Wilson's Mills.....Lv	9 05 A M

Between Millard and St. Paul.

Southbound. No. 73. P M	No. 75. A M	Stations	Northbound. No. 72. A M	No. 74. P M
3 05	10 15	Lv Millard Ar	10 45	3 35
3 15	10 25	Ar St. Paul Lv	10 35	3 25
P M	A M		A M	P M

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