

# Tarboro Southerner



"I AM A SOUTHERN MAN, OF SOUTHERN PRINCIPLES."—Ex-U. S. Senator Jefferson Davis.

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### GENERAL DIRECTORY.

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Leave Tarboro (daily) 8:30 A. M. for WASHINGTON, VA. VIA GREENVILLE, FALCONSBURG AND SPARTA.  
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### LODGES.

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Concord R. A. Chapter No. 3, N. M. L. W. Lodge, High Priest, Manly Hall, monthly convocations first Thursday in every month at 10 o'clock A. M.  
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Edgewood Council No. 122, Friends of Temperance, meet every Friday night at the Odd Fellows' Hall.  
Advance Lodge No. 34, T. O. G. T. meets every Wednesday night at Odd Fellows' Hall.  
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#### CONDENSED TIME TABLE

In effect on and after Tuesday, April 20, 1874.

#### GOING NORTH.

STATIONS. Mail. Express.  
Leave Charlotte 9:25 P. M. 8:20 A. M.  
" Air-Line Jct'n 9:30 " 8:30 " "  
" Greensboro 9:42 A. M. 10:52 " "  
" Danville 9:55 " 11:05 " "  
" Salisbury 10:10 " 11:20 " "  
" Berkville 11:35 " 11:45 " "  
Arrive at Richmond 2:22 P. M. 11:17 P. M.

#### GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS. Mail. Express.  
Leave Richmond 1:38 P. M. 6:08 A. M.  
" Danville 1:52 " 6:22 " "  
" Greensboro 2:00 " 6:30 " "  
" Salisbury 2:15 " 6:45 " "  
" Air-Line Jct'n 2:30 " 7:00 " "  
Arrive at Charlotte 7:10 " 9:05 "

#### GOING EAST. GOING WEST.

STATIONS. Mail. Mail.  
L'Ve Greensboro 3:25 A. M. Arr. 12:15 A. M.  
" Co. Shops 5:10 " L'Ve 10:57 " "  
" Raleigh 8:48 A. M. " 6:52 " "  
Arr. at Goldsboro 11:20 " L'Ve 4:00 P. M.

#### NORTH WESTERN N. C. R. R. (SALEM BRANCH).

Leave Greensboro 4:30 P. M. 4:30 P. M.  
Arrive at Salem 6:13 " 6:13 " "  
Leave Salem 6:30 " 6:30 " "  
Arrive at Greensboro 11:15 " 11:15 " "

#### Passenger train leaving Raleigh at 5:38 P. M.

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leaves Richmond at 9:00 A. M., arrive at Greensboro 12:43 P. M., leave Greensboro 4:55 A. M., arrive at Richmond 7:58 A. M. No change of cars between Charlotte and Richmond. 222 miles.

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### MISCELLANEOUS.

#### Carboro' Southerner.

Friday, May 28, 1875

#### Confederates in Congress.

Some of the Grant organs affect to be terribly alarmed because so many Confederate generals have been elected to the next Congress. We regard this, on the contrary, an excellent sign; for as a rule those men who ranked highest in the Confederate service were the best representatives of their party in the seceding States, and we know that the most influential and intelligent classes in those States desire nothing so much as thorough reconstruction of the Union in fact as well as in name. They feel that the worst enemies of both races in the south are those who try to keep alive the animosities engendered during the rebellion and arising from former existence of slavery; and they are fully aware that their own prosperity, as well as that of the North, depends upon the complete restoration of harmonious relations between the two great sections of the country which were lately arrayed against each other in all the bitterness of civil war. Nothing but the mean device of politicians has prevented a complete reconciliation. Gen. W. F. Bartlett, a Union soldier now living in Virginia, spoke words of truth at the centennial celebration at Lexington when he said that between the soldiers of the two sections fraternal relations were established long ago. It was only the other day in Little Rock, Arkansas—in the State which Grant wished to lawlessly subjugate anew because the people would not elect notorious robbers to administer their affairs—that the Confederate General John P. Bull, united with a Union officer to invite their comrades of the blue and the gray to join in a common decoration of the graves of soldiers who had belonged to the two armies. At Richmond, Va., when Gen. Bartlett was tendered a serenade by a large number of distinguished ex-Confederates in recognition of his patriotic speech at Lexington, it was Gen. Bradley T. Johnson who was selected to return him thanks for his many utterances. Only a few days after Gen. Bartlett's speech was delivered, the laying of a corner stone of a monument to the Confederate dead in Augusta, Ga., was made the occasion for a public declaration by Gen. Evans, another Confederate which was as patriotic in its spirit as that of the Union General at Lexington. Gen. Evans said: "Let us do nothing to keep alive the passions of war. To study its lesson is prudence, to profit by its teachings is wisdom; but to stir up the old animosities is madness. The voice of this monument will not be for war, but for peace; it will say to us, the Confederacy has expired. Its great life went out on the purple tide of blood that flowed from the hearts of its sons. We have buried it; we do not intend to exhume its remains. I respond with the truest feeling to day to the fraternal words of General Bartlett, spoken at the centennial celebration of the first battle of the old republic."

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### MISCELLANEOUS.

#### The House that Bowen Built.

I. Plymouth Church—this is the house that Bowen built.

#### Grace, Mercy and Peace—this is

the meal that lay in the house that Bowen built.

#### Paroxysm Kiss—This is the

mouse that hid in the house that Bowen built.

#### Gossip—This is the cat that

hunted the mouse that hid in the house that Bowen built.

#### Disimulation—This is the dog

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#### Vicky—This is the cow with the

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### MISCELLANEOUS.

#### Unkle Billy on Civil Rights.

I 'interviewed' Unkle Billy a good old colored friend of mine, the other day, on the question of civil rights.

'Don't want nuffin mo', said Unkle Billy. 'Got too much already fur dis niggah.'

'How is that Unkle Billy? Is it not a good thing to be equal before the law?'

'Now Marso Boss,' granted Billy plainly, 'dar's jist whar de misery comes in. We're cald befo' de law, an' dar yer hit weak pint. Befo' de law, de niggah stole chicken an' pig, yer jerked him up, guv him thirty-nine lashes an' let him go. But jist let a culud pussun try it now! Yer hauls him fore de court, an' dar's him to de penitentiary, jist like he was one yer poor white trash. Dat's whar 'tis to be ekal' fore de law.'

I suggested to Unkle Billy that this might be obviated by being a little more honest.

'Marso Boss,' interrupted Billy, 'we can't run agin Nat'ur'. It's nat'ural fur niggah to steal pig and chicken, fryin' size. Yer know it is, an' taint no use tryin' to stop us. Now we uns are willin' to let you uns alone, and you all jist let us alone on this pint. We're powerful weak on dis pint, Marso Boss.

Just here a perverse and disloyal spirit tempted me to hint to Unkle Billy that the colored people were indebted to their republican friends for this change in their status.

'Well, den Marso Boss,' said he, 'all I see to say is, de law's got to be changed. Mus' hab a law for de black man.'

Strange as it may seem, some of our best citizens echo Unkle Billy's sentiment. They are inclined to view the negro's minor transgression in a lenient light, and I know that some of our democratic Judges impose lighter penalties upon colored men for small offenses than they would do in cases where the guilty parties were white.

Before Unkle Billy left I asked him how he would like to sit down at the table with white folks in the hotels.

'Great Goddimeignty!' exclaimed the good old man. 'I allow youse tryin' to make fun o' dis chile. Why you knows yourself dat no culud pussun eber lets a white man see 'em eat de dey kin help it!' This is strictly true. The ordinary southern negro will not eat in the presence of a white spectator.

'Well, Unkle Billy,' I said, 'it is very evident that you don't want any civil right.'

'No any, I thank you,' replied Billy. 'Nearly done ruined now. Hev to pay my own doctor's bill; lost all my money in de Freedmen's bank; neber got no forty acres an' de mule dey promised me, an' can't help myself to a little chicken, fryin' size, without gwine to de penitentiary, I's got 'nuff cibil rights!'

The above is no production of the fancy. It is true incident, honestly told, and it is impossible to talk to the country negro without hearing just such things as I have related.

#### Kissing in China.

It is a singular fact that the custom of kissing is altogether unknown in China. The Chinese, in fact, have no word or term expressing love as we understand the tender passion. An American navy officer, voyaging Chinward, narrates an amusing experience of the ignorance of Chinese maidens of the science of kissing. Wishing to complete a conquest he had made of a young *mei jin*, (beautiful lady) he invited her to use the English words—to give him a kiss. Finding her comprehension of his request somewhat obscure, he suited the action to the word (the wretch) and took a delicious kiss. The girl ran away into another room thoroughly alarmed, exclaiming, 'Terrible man eater! I shall be devoured!' But in a moment, finding herself uninjured by the salute, she returned to his side, saying, 'I would like to learn more of your strange rite. Ke-ee-see me!' He knew it wasn't right, but he kept on instructing her in the rite of ke-ee-see me until she knew how to do it like a native Yankee girl, and, after all that, she suggested a second course by remarking 'Ke-ee-see me some more *seen jin*, Mee-lee-kee!' (American) and the lesson went on until her mama's voice rudely awakened them from their pellicious dream.

#### The baso ball fever rageth in

Charlotte.

The Postoffice at Watertown Forsythe county,