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(EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER  
7 1909.)

NORTHBOUND	
66	92 84
Lv. Cola 5:40 a.m. 4:45 p.m. 5:35 p.m.	
A Camden 6:35 a.m. 5:43 p.m. 6:28 p.m.	
A Hamlet 8:55 a.m. 8:05 p.m. 8:30 p.m.	
A Winton 11:15 a.m. 12:20 a.m.	
A Raleigh 11:45 a.m. 12:40 a.m. 1:25 p.m.	
A Portsmouth 5:40 p.m. 7:10 a.m. 7:10 a.m.	
A Richmond 5:05 p.m. 5:35 a.m. 4:25 a.m.	
A Washnton 8:35 p.m. 8:50 a.m. 7:40 a.m.	
A New York 3:53 a.m. 2:45 p.m. 2:00 p.m.	

  

SOUTHBOUND.	
43	81 93
Lv Columbia 12:15 a.m. 10:25 a.m. 6:25 a.m.	
A Savannah 3:20 a.m. 1:45 p.m. 9:15 a.m.	
A Jacksonville 7:45 a.m. 6:10 p.m. 1:30 p.m.	
A Tampa 5:30 p.m. 6:30 a.m. 6:30 a.m.	
Trains 93 and 84 year round limited, 92 and 81 through express, 66 and 43 Florida Fast Mail.	
92, 81, 66 and 43 make local stops between Hamlet and Jacksonville. All trains consist of high class day coaches, Dining Cars and Pullman sleeping cars.	
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**SCHEDULES EFFECTIVE NOV 14, 1909.**

N. B. These schedule figures show the time that trains may be expected to arrive and depart, but the times stated are not guaranteed. Northbound departures from Batesburg, S. C.

9:33 a. m. No. 8, daily for Columbia and intermediate points connecting at Columbia for Spartanburg and Asheville. Arrive Columbia 10:50 a. m. Spartanburg 5:15 p. m. Asheville 9:15 p. m.
6:15 p. m. No. 130, daily, for Columbia, Washington and the East Through Pullman sleeping

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**LITTLE ROCK, ARK.-RETURN \$29.05**  
 Account Interstate Cotton Seed Crushers Association, May 24-25 1910. Tickets on sale May 21-22-23 with final limit returning to reach destination not later than midnight of May 31, 1910.

**ST LOUIS, MO.-RETURN \$23.80**  
 Account American Medical Association, June 6-10, 1910 and account First National Convention, American Woman's League, June 8 to 16 Tickets on sale June 3-8 inclusive, limited returning to reach original starting point not later than midnight June 20, 1910.

**CHATTANOOGA, TENN. AND RETURN \$9.15**  
 Account National Travelers Protective Association, June 13-18, 1910. Tickets on sale June 11, 12 and 13, only with final limit returning to reach original starting point not later than 30 days from, but not including date of sale.

**TUSCALOOSA, ALA. AND RETURN \$15.55**  
 Account Summer School, University of Alabama, June 9 July 20, 1910. Tickets on sale June 8, 9, 11, 13, 20, 27-July 2 and 5, 1910, with final limit returning 15 days from, but not including date of sale.

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**Disappearance of a Custom.**  
 A picturesque figure will vanish from Paris, owing to the decision of the municipal council to abolish the office of "organizer of funeral pomp" at funerals. His only duty was to walk in front, resplendent in a three-cornered hat, dress coat and waistcoat, knee breeches and pumps, decorated with a surfeit of colors of the city, and carrying a long ebony cane.

**Sacred Fires of India.**  
 The sacred fires of India have not all been extinguished. The most ancient which still exists was consecrated 12 centuries ago, in commemoration of the voyage made by the Persians when they emigrated from Persia to India. The fire is fed five times every 24 hours with candle wood and other fragrant material, combined with very dry fuel.

**Relics of Famous Men.**  
 Among the relics of famous men in the possession of Dr. John Riswell of St. Louis is Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes' shoe horn. It is an ordinary steel shoe horn affixed to a cane handle about four feet long. Armed with this the doctor could put on his shoes without stooping or wasting energy.

**South American's "Small Heads."**  
 The "Small Heads" belong to a South American race. The skull is peculiarly conical, and at the top is no bigger than a five-shilling piece. The three last survivors of the race are women. The brain weighs about one-fifth of the average human brain. Their height is from 3 feet to 3 feet 6 inches.

**Reading by Moonlight.**  
 In Zululand, when the moon is at the full, objects are distinctly visible at as great a distance as seven miles, while even by starlight one can see to read print with ease.

**Winthrop College**  
**Scholarship and Entrance Examination.**  
 The examination for the award of scholarships in Winthrop College and for admission of new students will be held in the County Court House on Friday, July 1, at 9 a. m. All candidates for admission can complete in September for vacant Boyce scholarships, which pay \$100.00 a year. One free tuition scholarship to each county of South Carolina. Board and furnished room in Dormitory, \$12. Tuition \$40. For catalogue address Harrison Randolph, President.

**Overcoming a Difficulty**  
 Finding a canal bridge too low to allow the passage of his barge a German skipper induced 300 Grenadier Guards from a neighboring barracks to stop on board and act as ballast, thus lowering the vessel in the water and passing the bridge in safety.

**HIGH WAGES IN CHILE.**  
 Unskilled Labor Much in Demand in That Country.

The scarcity of skilled artisans in Chile exceeds that in the United States and the wages that are being paid far eclipse those in practically all craftsman lines in England. It is asserted that ordinary "crow-bar and shovel laborers," or unskilled laborers as they would be known in this country, receive four and five dollars per day. Carpenters and masons earn an average of seven dollars per day, while gas-fitters and plumbers receive seven to ten dollars per day. Even with these extreme prices the labor supply is not adequate and Chilean newspapers are indorsing the action of congress in appropriating \$500,000 for the promotion of immigration. The usual wage in Chile was formerly \$1.50 to \$1.80 per day.

**Kissing the Pope's Toe.**  
 The custom of kissing the feet of persons whom it was desired to honor originated with the ancients. The people of Oriental nations used to kiss the hands and feet or hems of the clothes of the persons they wished to show respect for.

The ancient Egyptians got this custom from the Assyrians, and later the Greeks adopted the habit from the Egyptians. The Romans followed the Greeks, and then Pontifex Maximus had his great toe kissed by celebrities.

The story will be remembered of the old Briton ruler who appeared to do homage to a Roman monk after the conquest of Briton. He was told that it was customary to kiss the foot of the holy father. He hesitated for a moment and then, bending down, he suddenly seized the monk by the ankle and, jerking it up to his lips, toppled the worthy father over backward.

The toe of the Sultan of Turkey is kissed by subjects of high rank. Those of more lowly position are merely allowed to touch the fringe of his garment to their lips, and the poorest classes must be content to make a low obeisance in his presence.

**Discovery of Gunpowder.**  
 The Chinese have long been credited with the invention of gunpowder, but Professor E. O. Von Lippmann, of Halle, has collected evidence to indicate that this is a mistake and that the Arabians did not, as commonly stated, introduce gunpowder into Europe during the eighth and ninth centuries. Professor Von Lippmann believes that the manufacture of the first gunpowder was based upon the "fire-book" of Marcus Graecus, which appeared in Constantinople about the middle of the thirteenth century. This was the source from which Roger Bacon, Albertus Magnus and Thomas Aquinas derived their knowledge of gunpowder. The first use of gunpowder to drive projectiles is ascribed to a monk, Berthold Schwarz, whose discovery was made in 1380.

Commander Julius A. Pratt Post No. 143 Dept. Ill., G. A. R. Mr. Isaac Cook, Commander of above Post, Kewanee, Ill., writes: "For a long time I was bothered backache and pains across my kidneys. About two months ago I started taking Foley's Kidney Pills and soon saw they were doing just as claimed. I kept on taking them and now I am free from backache, and the painful bladder misery is all gone. I like Foley's Kidney Pills so well that I have told many of my friends and comrades about them and shall recommend them at every opportunity. Gunter's Drug Store."

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