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## Local Trains and Boat Schedule.

Passenger and mail train going north, arrives 8:22 A. M. Going South, arrives 6:37 P. M.

North Bound Freight, arrives 6:45 A. M., leaves 10:15 A. M.

South Bound Freight, arrives 1:51 P. M., leaves 2:11 P. M.

Steamer Myers arrives from Washington Monday, Wednesday and Friday leaves for Washington Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

## Weather Bulletin.

The following message was received by Observer Heilbronner at 10:20 this morning:

"Hoist cold wave signal, temperature will fall fifteen to twenty degrees Thursday night."

LATER- Friday: showers, colder.

## NEARER HOME.

### What is Happening Over the State.

A very distressing accident occurred last night on the Southern Railroad track. Mr. Wm. McElhenny, an old man aged 64 years, was run over by the train, and his left foot cut entirely off.—Charlotte *Observer*.

Living at Carolina Mills is a couple, John Clark and wife, who are aged—he 98, she 91—both of whom are reasonably well and have the promise to live for some time yet. It is not often that one finds man and wife living together at such an advanced age.—Burlington *News*.

The A & N. C. R. R. is having two good large locomotives built for the passenger train service by the Richmond Locomotive Works. This road has progressed wonderfully under the present management. The new engines are expected to be ready for use in about 60 days.—Kinston *Free Press*.

## THE LEGISLATURE.

### TUESDAY.

The Senate to-day passed the bill to abolish county superintendents of public instruction and county boards of education. Superior Court clerks are to appoint county examiners to take the place of superintendents.

A bill to appoint seven directors and a State proxy for the North Carolina railway was attacked by Democrats, as well as by a Populist and a Republican, as a bad bill, and was tabled. It proposed to give State's proxy remarkably great powers. There was a bill of the same tenor regarding the Atlantic and North Carolina railway.

The Senate passed the bill raising the age of consent. The House tabled a bill to legalize cock-fighting, and passed a bill fixing bonds of county officers, Sheriff at not over \$5,000; Register of Deeds, \$1,000; Superior Court Clerk, \$15,000; Treasurer 25 per cent of the taxes. A bill to amend the charter of the Atlantic and North Carolina railway passed its second reading. Williams, of Craven, a Republican, attacked it furiously, saying it was an attempt to steal the road. He demanded the yeas and nays, so that, as he said, the people could see who the trustees were.

Governor Carr sent a special message announcing that the appropriation made for the penitentiary of \$35,000 for this year and next year was totally inadequate, and that without further aid that institution must meet a crisis within a year. The House Democrats filed a protest against the action of the Fusion majority in denying the truths as to the Fred Douglass resolution, and this, after desperate opposition by Fusionists, was ordered to be spread on the Journal.

The Fusion caucus bill to abolish the present Board of Agriculture and trustees of the Agricul-

tural and Mechanical College and create a Board of Agriculture to be also trustees passed by a party vote. Caucus bill to take control of the penitentiary from the Democrats also passed.

Tuesday night the most sensational proceedings ever witnessed in the State were enacted. The Speaker rushed through, without the pretence of fairness, bills changing the management of the penitentiary, the Agricultural Department, and the Agricultural and Mechanical College. The Democrats filibustered, and as they were leaving the hall a big, burly negro was ordered to hold the door and prevent members from leaving the House. No call of the House had been made, and several members literally fought their way through the negro assistant door-keepers.

At one time it looked as if there would be a regular fight, and that one member's arm would be crushed through an opening of the door. The negro on guard then relaxed his hold and permitted the gentlemen to pass out.

## NEWS OFF THE WIRE.

Served by our "Leased" Underground Cable—(Limited).

A \$30,000 fire occurred at Waynesboro, Va.

Several riots have occurred between white and colored laborers at New Orleans and several people killed.

Tivoli Hall and several adjacent buildings destroyed by fire in Brooklyn, N. Y., making a loss of about \$225,000.

The Indiana Legislature ended Tuesday night in a big riot, and the Governor's private secretary was so badly hurt that he is not expected to live.

A riot occurred in a Catholic church at Omaha, Neb., pistols, axe handles and pick handles being freely used. The priest took a hand in the shooting.