

## RAILWAYS.

## PERE MARQUETTE

BUFFALO DIVISION		
Leave Chatham	Express	Express
Blenheim and West	8:15 a.m.	4:45 p.m.
Blenheim and East	9:10 a.m.	6:10 p.m.
Arrive in Chatham		
From		
Walkerville	10:45 a.m.	7:35 p.m.
St. Thomas	9:55 a.m.	6:30 p.m.
Sarnia	9:35 a.m.	6:10 p.m.

All trains run by Eastern Standard time.

H. F. MOELLER, G. I. A., Detroit.  
W. M. MOON, P. A., Agent, Chatham.  
E. DOWNEY Ticket Agent, C. am

## CHATHAM, WALLACEBURG AND LAKE ERIE RAILWAY.

ELECTRIC SERVICE		
Time Table No. 6. In effect Monday, Dec. 18, 1906.		
CHATHAM		WALLACEBURG
LEAVE	ARRIVE	LEAVE
6:00 a.m.	7:05 a.m.	7:00 a.m.
8:00 a.m.	9:05 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
11:30 a.m.	12:35 p.m.	12:30 p.m.
2:10 p.m.	3:15 p.m.	3:10 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:35 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
7:00 p.m.	8:05 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
10:00 p.m.	11:05 p.m.	11:00 p.m.

Extra cars on Saturday leave Chatham 7:05 a.m., 1:00 p.m. and 8:15 p.m. Leave Wallaceburg 8:00 a.m., 2:10 p.m. and 10:00 p.m.

\*Except Sunday all other cars daily.

## CANADIAN PACIFIC

## CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR RATES

RETURN between all stations in Canada, TICKETS east, Port Arthur and Sarnia, and Niagara Falls and Buffalo, N.Y., on sale at SINGLE FARE, returning until Jan. 1, all good returning until Jan. 1, 1907.

FARE AND A THIRD—Good going Dec. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26, also Dec. 31 and Jan. 1, all good returning until Jan. 1, 1907.

Tickets and full information at city ticket office, Opera House Block, King Street, Chatham.

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## GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

## Christmas &amp; New Year Holiday Rates.

TERRITORY—Between all stations in Canada; also to Detroit and Port Huron, Mich.; Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Black Rock and Suspension Bridge, N. Y.

AT SINGLE FARE—Good going Dec. 21 and 25, returning until Dec. 26; also Dec. 31 and Jan. 1, all good returning until Jan. 2, 1907.

AT FARE AND ONE-THIRD—Good going Dec. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26; also Dec. 31 and Jan. 1, all good returning until Jan. 3, 1907.

For tickets and reservations call on W. E. RISPIN, C. P. A., 115 King St. J. C. PRITCHARD, Depot Agent

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## The Wabash System—FOR—CHRISTMAS &amp; NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAYS 1906-1907.

Will sell round trip tickets at the lowest one-way first-class fare, between all stations in Canada, also to Detroit, Mich., and Buffalo, N. Y. Tickets on sale December 24th and 25th, good to return December 26th, and also on December 31st; and January 1st, good to return January 2nd, 1907.

FARE AND ONE-THIRD. Lowest one-way first class fare and one-third, tickets on sale December 21st to 25th inclusive, also on December 28th to January 1st inclusive, good to return January 3rd, 1907.

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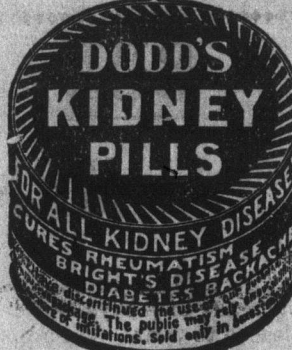
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## GOVERNMENT'S EASY MONEY.

Litigation Ends and Ontario Gets Thirty Shares of \$50,000 Shipment.

Toronto, Dec. 17.—The agreement arrived at with the O'Brien interests by the Ontario Government in connection with the Cobalt claims, lately in dispute was finally settled and signed on Saturday by Hon. Frank Cochrane.

Under the agreement the Government will receive 25 per cent. of the value of all ore mined, less their proportion of the cost of loading, transportation and smelting.

A carload of ore worth \$50,000 will be shipped immediately as a result of the settlement from which the Government will derive the stated benefit.

## Better-Than Spanking

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W. 4, Windsor, Ont., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her to-day if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child; the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

## Cases of the Editors.

Hamilton, Dec. 17.—Saturday afternoon John Oliver was acquitted on the charge of rioting. Thomas Ramsay, the market square hardware merchant, testified that Col. Denison struck Oliver over the head with a whip, but the colonel swore that he did not. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty with reference to Clarence Ryerson and reported that they disagreed on Judson Ryerson's case. They were sent back and returned in 45 minutes with a verdict of guilty in Judson Ryerson's case.

## \$100 REWARD \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Sold by all Druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## Killed While Sledding.

Quebec, Dec. 17.—While sledding at Armah, Bellechase County, Leandria Plante, 6 years old, went over a bridge and fell 25 feet to the river. Death resulted from a fractured skull.

## Spice Mill Scorched.

Montreal, Dec. 17.—Theodore LeFebvre's spice mill, on Gosford street, was damaged yesterday morning by fire, to the extent of \$30,000, all of which is covered by insurance.

## PILLS AND PILLS.

A prolific cause of piles is the use of cathartics and pills of a drastic, violent nature, which is always followed by a reaction on account of the residues, drying properties they contain.

There are other causes, but the matter what the cause, or what the kind of pills, Dr. Leonard's Hem-Roid can be relied upon to cure to stay cured.

It's an internal remedy that removes the cause of itching, blind, bleeding or suppurating Piles.

A guarantee goes with each package containing a month's treatment. It can be obtained for \$1 at druggists, or The Wilson-Pyle Co., Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont.

## Shot For a Dead.

Quebec, Dec. 17.—Arthur Brouard of St. Henri de Levine was mistaken for a deer Friday afternoon and shot in the back by a neighbor named Charles Boivin. He may die.

## Collapse of Conservatory.

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—The roof of the fine dome conservatory just erected as part of the improvement at Rideau Hall collapsed on Saturday under its weight of frozen snow.

## PATERSON'S COUGH DROPS

Take one when you feel throat coming dry, take one when you cough freely, and one when you are asleep. It is the only cough medicine that does not irritate the throat. It is the only cough medicine that does not irritate the throat.

THEY WILL CURE

Minkard's Liniment cures Distemper

## PUT ARMY TO WORK

Suggestion That U. S. Use it To Relieve Coal Famine

## USEFUL WORK FOR ARMY

Washington, Dec. 17.—Senator McCumber Saturday received this telegram from J. P. Whittemore, dated at Galesburg, North Dakota:

"The United States army could not be better employed than in compelling and assisting these railroads to drop everything and haul us coal. Half the northwest will be freezing in a week, and the whole of it in two weeks."

Mr. McCumber announced his intention of forwarding the telegram to the president, as commander-in-chief of the army.

## Public Schools Closing.

Senator Hansbrough of North Dakota consulted the members of the committee Saturday. He declared the situation resulting from shortage of coal in his state was most deplorable and that the public schools in some localities were closing on account of lack of fuel to keep the children warm.

The commission will begin investigating the situation next week at Minneapolis and Chicago. Commissioners Lane and Harlan left Washington Saturday night for Minneapolis to begin the enquiry.

## Burn Buildings For Fuel.

Mangum, Okla., Dec. 17.—A coal famine is now prevailing in this part of Oklahoma. There is no timber for fuel, and many farmers are burning fences and outbuildings. The weather is cold. Coal in transit is confiscated by the railroads, and apparently there is no relief in sight. Unusually relief comes shortly, all public works will be closed, and many families will suffer.

## Will Move Only Coal.

Minneapolis, Dec. 17.—The railroad's are trying to meet the distressing need of the North Dakotans, who are without fuel in zero weather, by way, they are elevating freight trains which cannot be moved on account of the heavy snow or the shortage of coal, or both.

## Can't Move Trains.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 17.—It is said that between Grand Forks and Minot, on the Great Northern Railway, there are eleven freight trains which cannot be moved on account of the heavy snow or the shortage of coal, or both.

## While the fuel shortage is menacing

on account of the prevailing blizzard, not all towns in North Dakota are without fuel. But when coal or wood is wanting, the situation is critical. Fuel arrives within a few days, there will be little suffering in North Dakota.

## NEW ONTARIO.

## Twenty Energetic Municipalities on the Warpath For Rights.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Dec. 17.—Twenty municipalities of the Algoma district met here on the 6th inst. and formed an advisory union, with the mayor of the Sault as president, with a view to concerted action to force the Ontario Government to construct a trunk road from Sudbury to the Soo, to repair unsafe bridges, to have Garden River Indian reservation opened immediately, as it impedes the progress of the district to have an industrial home provided for the care of unfortunate drifting to the district; to have better train, telegraph, telephone and mail services; to have the Dominion Government try to keep open winter communication with St. Joe Island, and to obtain other powers to develop the district. Over three hundred thousand dollars have been collected from timber dues, and less than three thousand spent on roads. All the inhabitants unanimously supported the Government.

## "DOWN WITH THE VATICAN."

## Remarkable Demonstration in Rome In Sympathy With France's Action.

Rome, Dec. 17.—Thousands of demonstrators friendly to the French Government and of anti-Vatican tendencies, gathered last night in the piazza adjoining the Farnese Palace, the seat of the French Embassy, in an endeavor to express their pleasure over France's action towards the church.

## The whole garrison of Rome was

employed to face the demonstrators and to protect the Vatican. The Vatican was surrounded by cavalry and the bridges leading to the apostolic palace were barred by troops. All the streets leading to the Palace Farnese were protected by soldiers with fixed bayonets.

## The demonstrators, led by a dozen

radical socialists and republican members of the Chamber of Deputies, including Prince Borghese, were vainly attempting to break the cordon, and shouted candles and formed into a mock procession, intoning the misere, as an indication of the death of clericalism amidst cries of "Long live France!" "Long live Clemenceau," and "Down with the Vatican."

## Fresh attempts were then made to

break the cordon, and the cavalry charged the demonstrators. A few of them were slightly injured and several arrested. Amid roars and shouts and the singing of the Marseillaise the ferment continued until late in the evening.

## Some men's littleness is by far the

biggest part of them.

## A man's fortune is naturally build-

up on the "rocks."

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out an invitation.

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OUR SICK HEADACHE.

Lez Shattered.

Stratford, Dec. 11.—While shooting in the woods Sunday afternoon, Geo. Hummrey, aged 24, had a portion of his leg shot off by the accidental discharge of a gun. He will likely recover.

## Explosion at Kenora.

Kenora, Dec. 11.—A fatal explosion occurred in a construction camp yesterday, one man being killed and five injured, two seriously. All were Austrians.

## "It is the little rift within the lute"

which, ever widening, makes the music mute." It is just a little rift in the health of a woman often, which gradually taken the spring from her step, the light from her eyes, the rose from her cheek and the music from her voice. Perhaps the bugbear which has frightened the woman from the timely help needed at the beginning has been the dreaded questions, the obnoxious examination, the local treatments, of the home physician. There is no need for these. Nor is there need for continuing suffering. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription can be relied on by every woman, suffering from what are called "female troubles," to renew the health and cure the disease. Women are astonished at the results of the use of this medicine. It not only makes weak women robust and rosy checked, but it gives them back the vigor and vitality of youth.

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## Shah Still Lives.

Teheran, Dec. 13.—The condition of the Shah remains practically unchanged, although yesterday he rallied slightly after Tuesday's relapse.

## Earl Shannon Dead.

London, Dec. 13.—(C.A.P.)—Earl Shannon died suddenly at Monachy Mansion, Cardiganshire.

## All the "life" and "snap" and lightness is caught in

## Sanitaris

BOTTLED AT THE SPRINGS

F. A. ROBERT, Agent, Chatham.

## New Liskeard Blaze.

New Liskeard, Dec. 15.—The Haynes Block, the New York Restaurant building, and the Barry Block, were completely destroyed by fire Thursday. Breens' restaurant, the New York Restaurant, Frank Haynes' real estate office, C. W. Walkinshaw's establishment, and Ed. Beal's barber shop were all burned. The Haynes' Block was insured for \$300, and the loss will probably be \$200. Mr. Walkinshaw saved his stock, but lost the fixtures, which were fully insured. The Breens lost everything. The Haynes' Block was turned out in the snow in his bare feet to give the alarm. The New York Restaurant places its loss at \$500.

## YOUR WISEST COURSE.

If you are caught in the wet, get sore throat, neuralgia or muscular pain, don't wait for worse troubles. Begin prompt treatment with Polson's Nerviline. It drives away all trace of cold, cures rheumatism, neuralgia and pain, saves you from a lay-up in bed. No 25c. purchase can bring more comfort than a bottle of Polson's Nerviline; it's the cleanest, strongest liniment made. Sold everywhere in large 25c. bottles.

## AFTER 28

It seems a regular fight for some girls to capture a husband. Yes, said Edith, and after twenty-eight it is a wrestling match. How's that? Catch-as-catch-can.

## WHY BURN YOUR TOES?

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## MUSICAL.

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## LODGES

PARTHONON LODGE, No. 27, A. P. & A. M. G. R. C., meets first Wednesday of every month in the Masonic Hall, 300 King St., at 7:30 p.m. King Street. Visiting brethren always welcome.

J. M. PIKE, W. M. J. W. PLEWES, Sec'y

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## TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM.

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Thanking you for past favors, I am, Yours faithfully,

W. M. STONE.

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Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am a candidate for the office of Mayor of the city of Chatham for the year 1907, and respectfully ask for your vote and influence.