

## RAILWAYS.

**GOING WEST**  
 No. 1—6:35 a. m. No. 2—12:35 p. m.  
 3—5:07 p. m. 4—11:19 p. m.  
 5—6:35 p. m. 6—1:32 a. m.  
 7—8:15 a. m. 8—2:49 p. m.

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**CANADIAN PACIFIC**  
 17 a. m. for London, Toronto, Winnipeg, Calgary and all Pacific Coast points.  
 1:18 a. m. Fast Express for London, Toronto, Montreal, St. John, Boston and all points East, also Winnipeg, Calgary and Pacific Coast points.  
 1:55 a. m. for Detroit, Chicago, St. Paul and all points north, west and south.  
 1:15 p. m. for Detroit, Chicago, St. Paul and all points north, west and south.  
 3:32 p. m. Fast Express for London, Toronto, Montreal, St. John, Boston and all points east, also Winnipeg, Calgary and Pacific Coast points.  
 1 Daily except Sunday. 2 Daily.  
 General Change of Time on Oct. 14th

## GRAND TRUNK

**WEST**  
 1:50 a. m. for Windsor, Detroit and intermediate stations, except Sunday.  
 7:25 p. m. for Windsor and Detroit.  
 1:48 p. m. for Windsor and Detroit.  
 1:49 p. m. for Detroit, Chicago and west.  
 International Limited, daily.  
 1 Mixed 2:30 p. m.

**EAST**  
 10:30 a. m. for London, Hamilton, Toronto and St. Paul.  
 1:00 p. m. for London, Toronto, Montreal, Buffalo and New York.  
 1:48 p. m. for London, Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal and St. Paul.  
 9 p. m. for London and intermediate stations 2 Daily except Sunday. 3 Daily.

**CHATHAM, WALLACEBURG AND LAKE ERIE RAILWAY**  
**ELECTRIC SERVICE**  
 Time Table No. 6. In effect Monday, Dec.

CHATHAM	WALLACEBURG	CHATHAM	WALLACEBURG
6:00 a. m.	6:05 a. m.	7:05 a. m.	7:10 a. m.
9:00 a. m.	9:05 a. m.	10:15 a. m.	10:20 a. m.
11:30 a. m.	11:35 a. m.	1:00 p. m.	1:05 p. m.
2:10 p. m.	2:15 p. m.	3:30 p. m.	3:35 p. m.
4:30 p. m.	4:35 p. m.	5:45 p. m.	5:50 p. m.
7:00 p. m.	7:05 p. m.	8:15 p. m.	8:20 p. m.
10:00 p. m.	10:05 p. m.	11:05 p. m.	11:10 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

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## PLANT RETARDATION.

The Method of Producing Flowers Out of Season.

Lilies of the valley and many other plants are now placed on the markets of the world's great cities months after they are out of season. This is accomplished by "plant retardation," holding back the development by means of cold and darkness until whatever time is desired. Then they are once more subjected to light and warmth, when they blossom. The most prominent feature of a plant retardation establishment is the huge cold storage building in which the plants are stowed away. Under the care of the guide the visitor passes the portals. In a moment he steps from the warmth and light of a summer's day into the cold bitterness of a winter's night, the darkness of which is but feebly relieved by the flickering hand lanterns. The interior of the building is divided into various chambers, and each one of these is allotted to some particular kind of plant. One chamber is full of lily of the valley roots, the next is packed with boxes containing lilium bulbs, while again a compartment is crammed with small potted plants of azalea and spiraea.

Each and all of these varieties are in a dormant condition, sleeping away their time entirely unconscious of the changing seasons in the outside world. The walls of the chambers are thickly coated with a deposit of frost crystals, and millions of these flash like diamonds in response to the rays of light from the lamp. The degree of cold is usually obtained by means of a compressed air apparatus, and the freezing current is led into the different chambers through wooden channels.

In course of time these passages get choked with hoarfrost, and it becomes necessary for a man to enter them and clean the accumulation away. This is a cold job. In places the temperature is as low as 20 degrees below zero. The costume of a workman engaged in this clearing out operation is practically an arctic outfit. Every part of the body with the exception of small holes for eyes and mouth must be protected with thick wool. Otherwise serious frostbites would ensue.

Retarded plants may be kept in check for eight months or at times as long as a year, and curiously enough they do not seem to be any the worse for the treatment. Indeed, the experience seems to make them grow all the faster when they are allowed to make a start. Some varieties grow at a tremendous rate when they are brought into heat.

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

It doesn't take much to make a fool of any one.

Being busy has kept many a man out of mischief.

When a man does another man a favor, somehow it seems to strengthen his memory.

A great many people do not talk scandal, but they furnish the material, which is just as bad.

Indulge in as little fool talk as possible. People are quick to pick up your foolish sayings and repeat them behind your back.

Investigate and you will find that jealousy sends more people to insane asylums than any other thing. It will even do up drink in making a record.

Thank heaven, the multiplication table doesn't change! It is the only thing a mother knows that is the same as when she went to school and which she can speak of without being corrected.

## Intermarriage and Cancer.

So little is really known of the mysteries of cancer that the merest scraps of information with regard to it ought not to be neglected. At the village of Clodello, on the north Devon coast, a very large percentage of deaths is due to cancer, and the reason locally given is the habit of intermarriage necessarily brought about in a place so widely severed from the outside world. The state of affairs appears to be even worse at Buck Mills, a fishing hamlet three miles away, where intermarriage has been carried to such an extreme that one surname is almost sufficient to designate the whole of the population of the village.—London Telegraph.

## An Uncertain Obituary.

A Georgia man wrote the following on an oak slab which marks a supposed grave in a meadow: "This spot is sacred to the memory of a faithful animal, a white mule, born ten years before the civil war and went through that war on a rush from Bull Run to Lee's surrender. We ain't certain that the mule died here, but when last seen the faithful critter was grazing on this identical spot and trying to kick a lightning flash back to the clouds."

## And Then He Ran.

"Did any man ever tell you," asked Mr. Hennepeck as he edged toward the door, "that you were the sweetest and most beautiful woman in the world?"  
 "No," replied his wife.  
 "Gee! Men are honest than I thought they were."

## Brown Study.

"How do you intend to have the study decorated, Mrs. Goldrocks?"  
 "I think I'll have it decorated in deep brown," replied Mrs. Goldrocks. "My husband always likes to sit in a deep brown study."

## He Agreed With Her.

"After all," remarked Mrs. Insuwin, "home is the dearest spot on earth."  
 "It is," answered her husband, who was engaged in auditing the month's bills.—Chicago News.

## Indigestion

Stomach trouble is but a symptom of, and no in itself a true disease. We think of Dyspepsia, Heartburn, and Indigestion as real diseases, yet they are symptoms only of a certain specific nerve sickness—nothing else.

It was this fact that first correctly led Dr. Shoop in the creation of that now very popular Stomach Remedy—Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Going direct to the stomach nerves, alone brought that success and favor to Dr. Shoop and his Restorative. Without that original and highly vital principle, no such lasting accomplishments were ever to be had.

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## WIFE OUT THE REBATES.

Manitoba Underwriters Want System Done Away With.

Winnipeg, Jan. 12.—A deputation consisting of Capt. Carruthers, W. R. Allan and W. J. Christie, representing the board of underwriters, waited on Hon. J. H. Agnew, Provincial Treasurer, yesterday morning, to see if some relief could not be secured in the matter of rebates exacted by loan companies operating in the province on insurance they require in connection with loans.

At present insurance companies have to make rebates to the loan companies, and underwriters want the system done away with in the province.

## SHE WAS WILD WITH PAIN.

From Willow Creek, Ont., Miss E. Diegel writes: "A few years ago, I was drenched with rain and got lumberago; it was like a steel rod piercing my back. I had cramps and was just wild with pain. I applied bitters soaked with Neroline to my back and rubbed on Neroline for the lumberago. That rubbing relieved me in a few hours. I was well. No other liniment could do this." Is the penetrating power of Neroline that makes it superior to all other liniments? Nothing beats it; 25c. at all dealers.

## Premier Scott to Go South.

Regina, Sask., Jan. 12.—As soon as the condition of Premier Scott permits he will leave for a southern point, where he will spend some months. It is unlikely that he will be able to take any active part in political affairs during the forthcoming sitting of the Legislature.

## HEALTH DEMANDS ON GOOD BLOOD.

Everyone who used Ferrozone has good color and great vitality. Reason for this is Ferrozone's power to create nourishing blood. "I was broken down, had no strength and couldn't eat," writes Mrs. Chas. Benoit of Cloyne, Ont. "My nerves were irritable. I was thin-bodied and continually unhappy. I tried Ferrozone. It gave me new energy, force, vim. It brought me strength—made me well." Greatest tonic and restorative ever known is Ferrozone. Sold everywhere in 50c. boxes.

## Ponce Towed to Bermuda.

Hamilton, Bermuda, Jan. 12.—The missing steamer Ponce, 11 days overdue from Ponce, Puerto Rico, to New York, was towed into port yesterday by the German tramp steamer. She has a broken shaft.

If you are Constipated, dull, or bilious, or have a sallow, lifeless complexion, try Lax-ets just once to see what they will do for you. Lax-ets are little toothsome candy tablets—nice to eat, nice in effect. No griping, no pain. Just a gentle laxative effect that is pleasantly desirable. Handy for the vest pocket or purse. Lax-ets come to you in beautiful lithographed metal boxes at 5 cents and 25 cents.

Sold by C. H. Gunn & Co.

## Holyhead as Landing Port.

London, Jan. 12.—(C. A. P.)—The Corporation of Holyhead is determined to urge on the British postal authorities the advantages of Holyhead as a port of landing for Canadian and American mails.

A prominent Irish M.P., speaking to the Canadian Associated Press, expressed great doubt of the Blackhead Bay scheme being carried out.

To stop a Cold with "Preventics" is safer than to let it run and cure it afterwards. Taken at the "sneeze stage" Preventics will head off all colds and Grippe, and perhaps save you from Pneumonia or Bronchitis. Preventics are little toothsome candy cold cure tablets selling in 5 cent and 25 cent boxes. If you are chilly, if you begin to sneeze, try Preventics. They will surely check the cold and please you.

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As a vessel is known by the sound, whether it is cracked or not, so men are proved by their own speeches, whether they be wise or foolish.

## For the table-cooking—

WINDSOR TABLE SALT is without an equal. Always the same perfect quality.

There is no use trying to force a suggestion on an unwilling listener.

## IN ARMOR TIMES.

Strength of English War Horses in the Days of Henry VIII.

The size of the English war horse reached its maximum in the reign of Henry VIII., when the relations of body armor to "hand guns" were analogous to those of the early ship armor and cannon. There was good reason to believe, says the London Spectator, that by adding a little to the thickness of the coat of steel the soft, low velocity bullet of the day could be kept out. So it was for a time. But the additional weight required a still larger horse to carry it. The charger had to be armored as well as his rider, and the collection in the Tower of London shows the actual weight which it carried. The panoply of Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk, the brother-in-law of Henry VIII., still exists. That of the horse covers the whole of the hind quarters, the back of the neck, forehead, muzzle, ears, shoulders and chest. It is exactly like a piece of boiler plating and fastened by rivets.

The rider sat in a saddle, the front of which was a steel shield ten inches high, covering the stomach and thighs as the "breastwork" on an ironclad's deck covers the base of the turret. The total weight is eighty pounds fifteen ounces. To this add the weight of the rider's armor, ninety-nine pounds nine ounces, and of the rider himself, say sixteen stone (224 pounds), and the total is twenty-eight stone twelve pounds eight ounces, or 404 pounds 8 ounces. This bears out Hollinshead's statement that in the days of Henry VIII., "who erected a noble studerie for breeding horses, especially the greatest sort," such as were kept for burden, those animals would bear four hundredweight commonly.

## MAKING OLD OAK.

One of the Tricks of the Cabinet-makers' Trade.

You will have to go a long way before you find a body of men more clever than those cabinetmakers who produce goods to satisfy the desire of the public for furniture made of old and fancy woods. They can transform whitewood into all kinds of exotic woods by means of chemicals, and a chemist would be surprised if he were to have the run of one of those factories for a day.

The manufacture of "old" oak is one of the easiest of their processes. The boards, moldings, panels or whatever pieces are required are made of oak which has just had time to dry sufficiently to prevent excessive warping.

They are then placed in a dark room, on the floor of which and quite close to the furniture to be "aged," are placed several bowls, plates and so forth, of liquid ammonia. The room is then hermetically closed up, and the wood is left for a month or so, according to the age which is required. The coloration will extend to a depth of nearly a quarter of an inch if the room is kept closed for a few months.

That is why there is so much old oak furniture about. Of course, a little reflection would show that it could not be genuine—the forests of the middle ages would not have furnished one-half of it—but people do not always reflect.—London Graphic.

## Shoe Buckles.

When Evander Berry Wall, king of the dudes for twelve years and really the most inconspicuous man about town, because he was homely of face and a very bad dresser, besides being rather short and blotchy, undertook to reintroduce shoe buckles he made his first big failure as the sartorial dictator of our "jeunesse doree." I think it was poor Al Claggett who said: "Why, Berry, you make a fool of yourself. Shoe buckles go with long stockings and knee pants. You can't wear 'em with socks and trousers. They interfere with the set of the trousers around the feet. Then, of course, you've got to have a low quartered shoe. Cut it out, Berry, cut it out." Wall immediately quit.

## Wearing Glasses.

Wearing glasses need not be permanent. If the first hint of derangement in the eyes is heeded a short time spent under the direction of an oculist will safely tide over the difficulty. It is most restful to close the eyes frequently for a few minutes. This rest does them great good. Particularly should this be done in trains and street cars. Many a headache and smarting pain may thus be saved. Traveling in public conveyances is exceedingly hard on the eyes, even for those that are strong and perfect. The gaze should be confined to the interior of the car. Looking out of the windows to the rapidly changing scenery is a great strain.

## No Regrets.

"Hello, old man. Haven't seen anything of you since you got married. How goes it?"  
 "Thanks, fairly well. But marriage is a costly job! If you only knew what the dressmakers charge!"  
 "So I suppose you regret it?"  
 "Oh, no. I married a dressmaker."

## In After Years.

Smith—When Green was courting that young widow a couple of years ago he declared he couldn't live without her. Jones—And did he marry her?  
 Smith—Yes. And now he is trying to get a divorce on the grounds that it's impossible to live with her.—Exchange.

## A Suitable Book.

Customer (hesitatingly)—I suppose you have some—er—suitable books for a man—er—about to be married?  
 Bookseller—Certainly, sir. Here, John, show this gentleman some of our account books, largest size.

## WANTED

GIRL WANTED—Apply at Rankin House.

WANTED—Two dining room girls. Apply at Hotel Merrill.

WANTED—About three nicely furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Apply Box 22, Planet.

WANTED—Housekeeper for family of two, one a girl of eight years, living on farm, 1-2 miles from town. Church on farm. Apply to J. E. Sterling, Rond Eau P. O.

AGENTS WANTED—Liberal pay and first class goods guaranteed. After you have thoroughly mastered the business we will start you on your own account. Write quick. Alfred Tyler, 355-7 Clarence St., London, Ont.

WANTED—A steady man, with a family, to occupy and take charge of a large tract of land in Township of Dover West. He must have team and implements to cultivate part, and the rest pastured by stock taken in. First class buildings, in a nice locality. Apply to S. F. Martin, P. O. Box 648, Chatham.

WANTED—Man or woman manager in each district, to represent established Wholesale Mail Order House, to look after local advertising and appointing representatives and looking after their work generally. \$35 a week and expenses. This is no catch penny proposition. For full particulars write W. A. Jenkins Manufacturing Co., London, Ont.

ENERGETIC MEN WANTED.—We require a good live man in every locality throughout Canada to advertise our goods, taking up show-cards on trees, fences, along roads and all conspicuous places, also distributing small advertising matter. Commission or salary, \$33.33 per month and expenses. Steady employment. No experience required. Write for particulars. Wm. R. Warner Medicine Co., London, Ont.

## FOR SALE OR TO RENT

FOR SALE—Stoves for sale at the Rankin House.

TO RENT—New house, modern improvements; rent moderate, or will sell cheap. Thos. M. French, Ursuline avenue.

TO RENT—Furnished Rooms for light housekeeping; centrally located; conveniences. Apply Box 10, Planet.

FOR SALE—Moderate sized house with modern improvements, for sale, on Victoria Ave., at a bargain. Apply to Thos. Scullard or Planet Office.

FOR SALE—Desirable lot on Victoria avenue, for sale, next to the residence of W. R. Landon. Apply to Thos. Scullard or The Planet Office.

HOUSES TO RENT—Two houses to rent on Grant St. Houses have just been rebuilt and are being tapered throughout. Apply to Thos. Scullard, Victoria Block.

TO RENT—House on Pine street, containing parlor, dining room, two kitchens and three bedrooms; city water. Apply Mrs. James Glenn, Queen street.

GOOD FARMS FOR SALE—Prices right—150 acres, part lot 24, 7th concession, Dover, owned by Grant Bros.; 96 acres, corner 5th concession and Baldean Road, Dover, owned by Lucian King; 100 acres, part lot 3, 17th concession, Chatham Township, known as the Robert Hastings estate; also several other farms for sale. Money to loan. Henry F. Neale.

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