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RAILWAY TIME-TABLE

GOING WEST		
No. 1	No. 2	No. 3
Brockville (leave)	9.40 a.m.	3.40 p.m.
Lyn	10.10	8.55
Seeleys	10.20	4.02
Forthton	10.38	4.18
Elbe	10.39	4.18
Athens	10.53	4.25
Soperton	11.13	4.41
Lyndhurst	11.20	4.47
Delta	11.28	4.58
Elgin	11.47	5.07
Forfar	11.55	5.13
Crosby	12.03 p.m.	5.18
Newboro	12.12	5.28
Westport (arrive)	12.30	5.40

GOING EAST		
No. 2	No. 4	No. 6
Westport (leave)	7.30 a.m.	2.40 p.m.
Newboro	7.42	2.55
Crosby	7.52	3.06
Forfar	7.57	3.12
Elgin	8.08	3.22
Delta	8.17	3.41
Lyndhurst	8.23	3.48
Soperton	8.29	3.56
Athens	8.45	4.25
Elbe	8.52	4.31
Forthton	8.57	4.38
Seeleys	9.08	4.49
Lyn	9.15	5.05
Brockville (arrive)	9.30	5.30

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Benefit of Peasage.
Every one may not know what the term "benefit of peasage" implies. A peer can demand a private audience of the sovereign to represent his views on matters of public welfare. For treason or felony he can demand to be tried by his peers. He cannot be outlawed in any civil action, nor can he be arrested unless for an indictable offense, and he is exempt from serving on juries. He may sit with his hat on in courts of justice, and should he be liable to the last penalty of the law he can demand a silken cord instead of a hempen rope.

Hardly.
Cabman (sitting in the street amid the ruins of his cab and horse, to driver of the bus which occasioned the disaster)—You — — — — —!! — — —!!
Constable (to the driver)—Now, now! You mustn't call him such names as that.
Cabman (in frenzy)—Him wot smashed me cab an' killed me 'oss an' left me a 'elpless cripple! Wot the — do yer expect me to call 'im—a 'owlin' hangel! —London Judo.

The Dog.
Why any sane person should wish to nurse any animal at mealtime it is difficult to see, and when that animal is a dog the matter fairly passes comprehension. With all his good qualities the friend of man has a most disgusting habit of cadging for food whenever he sees it, and as a table companion he is decidedly objectionable.—Country Gentleman.

Better Castles Than Caverns.
I find the gayest castles in the air that were ever piled far better for comfort and for use than the dungeons in the air that are daily dug and carved out by grumbling, discontented people.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

An Indorsement.
She—What did you think of the minister's expression of the belief that the world would soon come to an end?
He—I was rather inclined to think it would before he got through with his sermon.

To Those About to Marry.
We don't know how much money it takes to support a wife. We have seen the husband a whole year now and find that it takes all you can get.

"The People's Column" for small ads affords the public a cheap and effective means of buying, selling, renting or changing. If you have any unsatisfied want or if you want to satisfy the want of some want, make the fact known through this column. It will do you good.

GLOSSVILLE

Mr and Mrs Delmer Cowle and family of Lake Elvada spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. James Brown.

Mr and Mrs J. M. Percival spent a few days with friends at Delta last week.

The people of this vicinity have deep sympathy for Mr Levi Church and family in the death of his son Nelson, who lived at Cranbrook, British Columbia. Deceased was about 37 years of age and unmarried.

FRANKVILLE

Mr Lincoln Dunham is here and will saw all timber brought in.

Mr Louis Johnston has sold his farm near Toledo and moved to a larger place south west of Lyn. The house was filled Thursday evening, and Rev W. Henderson, for himself and officials of the church, read a testimonial address to Mr Johnston, who for years has been steward. An address was read by Miss Clara Stratton, secretary of the Ladies' Aid, to Mrs Johnston as president of the Aid. A valuable chair was presented to each and an address and autograph album to Radley. The pastor and Messrs S. S. Stratton, W. A. Wood and Hiram Nichols gave addresses and the ladies served refreshments. The family bear with them the respect and well wishes of the community.

Persons of means should erect neat houses to rent or sell, here and in Toledo.

SALE REGISTER

A free notice under this heading is given all sales for which the Reporter office does the printing.

On Wednesday, Feb. 26, R. E. Cornell will sell at his farm, Glen Elbe, three horses, 16 head of cattle, 2 pigs, implements, vehicles, etc. Sale at 1 p.m. Frank Eaton, auctioneer.

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Selections

THE FAMILY CIGAR.

An Embarrassing Medium of Hospitality in the Philippines.

"I like a good cigar," said a man recently returned from the Philippines. "The family cigar of the islands is a good cigar—good in material, in make and in size—but the Filipino family cigar I never could enjoy."

"It is from fifteen inches to a foot and a half long and is somewhat more than an inch in diameter. When not in use it is thrust into a hole in one of the upright bamboo posts of the dwelling. The hole is not so far above the floor that the youngest walking members of the family cannot reach it."

"When any member of the household, the old man or his four-year-old daughter, feels like taking a smoke the family cigar is dragged from its hole in the post and fired up. When the cigar gets too short for comfortable smoking another takes its place."

"It is a queer sight to see a Filipino infant puffing away at a big black cigar about a third as long as the child is and so large around that it distorts the little yellow face into which it is inserted."

"The family cigar is not taken away from the residence. It remains always at hand as a vehicle of hospitable expression. When a visitor calls, the family cigar, if it is not in use, is withdrawn from its hole in the post and offered to the guest with a gracious gesture."

"If the cigar happens to be in use, perhaps by a little girl squatted back in a corner, the person doing the honoring matches it from the mouth of the smoker and proffers it to the guest without delay."

"To decline this offer of hospitality is not considered good form in Filipino society. In fact, it amounts to scorn of friendly intention. Knowing the career of the average family cigar, it is not easy to accept and smoke it with an appearance of enjoyment when it is taken from its hole in the post, but it is considerably harder to receive it from the mouth of some member of the not overnurtured family, and Europeans and Americans frequently balk at this stage of the call."

"There is a queer thing about the etiquette of smoking in the Philippines," the traveler added, "for which I have never been able to find any explanation. It is this: If a Filipino asks you for a light from your cigar, you must not flick off the ashes, as we do almost invariably in this country, before handing it to him."

"To do so is regarded as an affront that no degree of gracious manner in extending the weed to him can atone for. I never found any one who could suggest an explanation."—New York Sun.

Smokestacks in Italy.
In Italy every important city, except only Rome, is now surrounded with a ring of chimneys in full smoke. The government exempts from taxation a some of factories around each town. The traveler's first view of Venice as he crosses the lagoon comprises thirteen smoking chimneys; the moon, seen from the Lido, rises from a thickly thickened horizon; Verona has a bouquet of active chimneys near her station; Brunelleschi's dome at Florence and the quaint tower of her Palazzo Vecchio stand aloft against a horrible brown sky; the former orange gardens of Genoa are deep in dirt, grime and "fog" for the making of soap! When Rome, too, has lost her lumpy horizon there is one Rome lover, at any rate, who will go there no more.—Exchange.

A Submarine Earthquake.
Three French sardine trawlers while engaged in fishing about sixty miles from Belleisle declared themselves to have been the eyewitnesses of a submarine earthquake. At a distance of about five miles from where they were the crews saw a dense black smoke rising from the water, and, satisfied that a ship was on fire, they bore in that direction. No ship could they see or any trace of one, but from the water there continued to issue the cloud of smoke, and as they got nearer they also saw sheets of flame rise from time to time. In fear for their own safety, they drew back to their former position, whence at night they continued to see the smoke and flame.

Dog That Catches Fish.
Nick Craighead, a Callaway county farmer, has a fine shepherd dog that has made quite a reputation for itself by catching fish in several small streams near his place. The dog is enabled to see the fish because of the clear water that flows in the streams. He watches on the bank until a fish draws near the surface and then, with a leap and dive into the stream, grabs the funny quarry before it has time to swim away. The dog has made such a name for himself that many persons drive to the Craighead farm just to see the animal in his piscatorial act.—Kansas City Star.

The Careful Japanese.
It was noticed recently at Gibraltar that numbers of Japanese sailors, many with breasts covered with war medals, when on shore leave carried with them water bottles. Presumably this was in order that the men should not run any risk of contracting water borne disease by drinking on shore water which for all they know to the contrary may be impure. It is a little detail, but it shows how keenly alive the Japanese are to the practical application of preventive hygiene.—Argonaut.

MAN, COW, FIDDLE.

Trio Commemorated on a Tombstone in a Connecticut Cemetery.

In the old cemetery of Central Village, near Plainfield, Conn., is the only tombstone known in New England erected to a cow and its owner. In several cemeteries have been found records that horses, dogs and even cats have been laid at rest beside their masters, but in no other instance on record has a cow had a slab erected in her honor.

The cow's name was Rosa, and the inscription says that she gave two pounds fifteen ounces of butter from thirteen quarts of milk in one day. This was a pretty good record for a cow, and a Jersey at that, the inscription goes on to say.

On the opposite side of the monument is the inscription, "All Ready, Mr. Cady," and below are the words, "At Rest." Above is the outline of a fiddle crossed with a bow.

Curdon Cady, to whose memory the stone was erected, was known from the Massachusetts line to Long Island sound and from Providence to the Connecticut river half a century ago as the finest fiddler that ever drew a bow at a country dance. He had two loves, Rosa and his fiddle, both of which found a place on his tombstone.

Marm Kenney's celebrated inn at Stafford was one of the most popular fields for Cady and his fiddle. From the time he started until the final flourish of the bow, when he chanted, "All promenade to beats," there was something doing every minute. Some of the residents here can recall many a time when they danced to his music until the sun's rays lighted the ballroom.

He would yell in between times special instructions to uncertain maids and swains. Once, seeing a young man at a loss what to do in the middle of a set, he sang out, "Swing that girl with the yellow apron on!" And the girl was promptly swung. All such diversions were worked in with his prompting, and no one except the persons addressed paid any heed.

Ten dollars a day or night and all expenses of traveling was the usual charge of Cady for his services in rendering "Money Musk," "Chorus Jig," "The Irish Washerwoman" and "Hull's Victory," which comprised his repertoire. During the dancing season he was continually on the road from one inn to another.

Outside of his love of music his most conspicuous trait was his love of cattle. Before he died he made arrangements to have the name of his favorite cow Rosa handed down to posterity with his own.—New York Sun.

Nature Fakes.

After a careful and impartial consideration of all the evidence bearing on the subject, says the Indianapolis News, the investigating committee reports that, notwithstanding their long life and apparent respectability, the following are undoubtedly nature fakes:

The bull in the china shop.
The wolf at the door.
The fly in the ointment.
The dog in the manger.
The fish out of water.
The bee in the bonnet.
The flea in the ear.
The cat that was smelted.
Pigs in clover.
Horse and horse.
Time flies.
The Welsh rabbit.
The man on a lark.

Our Naval Strength.

In the latest issue of the Naval Annual, published by J. Griffin & Co., Portsmouth, England, the editor, Mr. T. A. Brassey, declares that the most important change in the relative strength of navies during the year is the fact that the United States has become the second naval power of the world. He bases this classification mainly on the number and character of the battleships built and building by each country, and after establishing their absolute war value, as expressed in the terms of guns, speed, protection, habitability and hardness, he fixes the precedence in the sea hierarchy as follows: First, Great Britain by a long lead; second, United States; third, Germany; fourth, France; fifth, Japan; sixth, Russia, and seventh, Italy.

Clocks and Music.

Camille Saint-Saens, the French composer, boasts that, like Mozart, he chose his relatives with the greatest discretion. His mother was an artist, his aunt an accomplished musician. The child showed very early an extraordinary susceptibility to musical sounds, and he delights to tell how, when he was a tot of three or four, his great-uncle would get him the clocks in the house and set them striking, making him tell her the difference in the vibrations and imitate them with his voice. To this early training he attributes much of his remarkable memory and faultless ear.

Sensitive Earthquake Recorder.

The ordinary seismograph or earthquake recorder registers the motion of the earth under a "stationary" pendulum of 100 or 200 pounds. A new instrument by Dr. Wiechert, made at Gottingen, has a suspended pendulum weighing nearly seventeen tons, and a series of levers causes its indicator to magnify the earth motion 2,200 times. So sensitive is the apparatus that it showed tremors due to a gas engine located a mile and a half away.

A Bit of British Temper.

Why should not the Tower of London be fitted up as a hostelry for American millionaires only? Prices double those of the Ritz or Carlton. Beefsteaks included as valets for any one taking a suit of rooms. Crown jewels on hire for the night. Chambers with blood stains extra.—London Bystander.

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