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**GOING WEST.**

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No. 2-Ind. and Wheeling Ex.	8:12 a. m.	
No. 3-Cin. & Col. Ex.	9:02 a. m.	
No. 4-Special N. Y. & Cin. Ex.	12:54 p. m.	
No. 5-N. Y. & St. L. Ex.	12:44 p. m.	
No. 6-Cin. & Wheeling Ex.	8:59 p. m.	
No. 7-Cin. & Wheeling Ex.	9:00 p. m.	
No. 8-Night Ex.	9:00 p. m.	
No. 9-Local Freight.	8:12 a. m.	

**GOING EAST.**

No.	St. L. & N. Y. Ex.	Standard Time
No. 10-Night Ex.	12:15 a. m.	
No. 11-Night Ex.	3:07 a. m.	
No. 12-Cin. & Cleve'd Ac.	8:12 a. m.	
No. 13-Special St. Louis & N. Y. Ex.	1:58 p. m.	
No. 14-Wheeling, Ind. and Cleve. Ex.	6:30 p. m.	
No. 15-Cincinnati & Cleve'd Ex.	8:33 p. m.	
No. 16-Local Freight.	1:45 p. m.	

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**GOING EAST.**

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No. 1.....	1:30 a. m.
No. 2.....	11:00 a. m.
No. 3.....	4:32 p. m.
No. 4.....	8:08 p. m.
No. 5.....	9:35 a. m.

**GOING WEST.**

No.	Standard Time
No. 6.....	10:30 a. m.
No. 7.....	3:50 p. m.
No. 8.....	7:45 p. m.
No. 9.....	1:10 p. m.

No. 1, 3 and 5 daily; others daily ex. Sunday.  
Further information in regard to this line will  
be found on page 2.

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men of Lorain county. A meeting for  
the purpose of organizing a non-partisan  
county W. C. T. U., will be held in the  
chapel of the Cong'l church, Elyria, Jan.  
10, beginning at 10:45 a. m. The morn-  
ing session will be devoted to the business  
of organization. The afternoon session  
will open at 1:30 with a devotional service  
led by Mrs. E. H. Doolittle, followed by  
addresses from Mrs. Phinney and others.  
"While we desire not to antagonize any  
who differ from us on this question, nor  
to draw from their allegiance to the  
partisan union any who are satisfied with  
their present relationship, yet we cordial-  
ly invite to our fellowship, any who  
would find their principles better rep-  
resented by our platform." The non-parti-  
san unions in the county are requested to  
send delegates and the Elyria ladies in-  
vite to the meeting and their hospitality  
all ladies interested in this line of work.

Mrs. V. B. GATES,  
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**THE NEWS**  
As Gathered by Our Special Correspondents.  
All About the Happenings and Special  
Events in their Immediate Vicinity.

**AMHERST.**  
Dec. 31, '88.  
News very scarce to-day.  
Ed Gaston spent a few days in La  
Grange last week. There seems to be  
some attraction for Ed in that vicinity.  
Mrs. V. J. Steadman is on the sick list.  
She is improving, however.  
Mr. Wm. Brandt has purchased a farm  
in Pitfield and will take possession in the  
spring. We are sorry to lose him from  
among us.  
Mrs. Church and daughter, of Cleve-  
land, visited at C. Kelly's last week.  
O. B.

**BRIGHTON.**  
December 31, '88.  
Well now we start in on a new year  
hoping that it will be a prosperous one.  
The Christmas luller at the M. E.  
Church on Christmas eve was just grand;  
lots of nice presents were presented and  
not only that but we had lots of fun.  
J. R. Plum, who has been visiting at  
Ashland, O., returned last week, stayed  
a couple of days, and then started for Mich-  
igan to visit friends there for a while.  
R. R. Fenner and wife, of Fostoria, O.,  
were guests of Mr. Heifner's last week.  
Mr. Henry Hardy, who has been on the  
sick list, is now able to be around again.  
Mrs. A. B. Crowell, of Springfield, O.,  
and Mrs. F. S. Case, of Bellefontaine, O.,  
have been visiting their mother, Mrs.  
Burr, who has been very ill until Christ-  
mas morning when she passed into eter-  
nity. She was buried last Thursday.  
Mrs. C. P. Ronk is on the sick list.  
Mr. Chas. Humphrey is in town again.  
Mr. Brown and daughter, of Riga, Mich.,  
are guests of L. T. Myers.  
Mr. Chas. Emmons and wife are visit-  
ing friends at Castalia, O.  
Mr. Jess McDonald and Miss Myra Con-  
verse were united last Tuesday (Christ-  
mas).  
Also Mr. Smith Fletcher and Miss Etie  
Hovey were united a few days ago.  
Mrs. C. P. Palmer, of Spencer, was in  
town last week.  
R. D. Ludow has gone to Swanton, O.,  
to visit his mother.  
G. W. Green and wife are visit-  
ing friends at Charlotte, Mich.  
Andrew Kline and wife have gone to  
Oak Harbor to spend New Year's.

**SULLIVAN.**  
December 31, 1888.  
Miss Blanche Rice came home from  
Oberlin accompanied by her cousin from  
Iowa, who also attends school in O. to  
spend the holidays.  
Mr. R. N. Rice left for Cincinnati Mon-  
day, 24th, to spend a week.  
Merit Rogers came down from Cleve-  
land the 22d to see his father who is fail-  
ing.  
E. Fullington, of Findlay, was at church  
Sunday, 23d.  
Ed Frink and wife spend their holidays  
in Elyria.  
Fred and Alf Clark and wives are also  
in town.  
Mrs. Mabel Fullington arrived on  
Christmas and spent a few days at her  
father's.  
Mrs. Lucy Mason and family, of Spen-  
cer, spent Saturday and Sunday at E.  
Mann's.  
The children enjoyed the Christmas en-  
tertainment much.  
Mrs. S. P. Campbell, R. Mann, and J.  
Parmely spent Christmas in Cleveland  
and were accompanied back by John  
Campbell, of Louisiana. Miss Celia  
Pritchard expects to go back with him.  
Merrill Mann's family have got into  
their new house and it is very nice.  
The week of prayer is to be observed in  
this place.  
We think now that our railroad is a  
sure go.

**HUNTINGTON.**  
Dec. 31, '88.  
There was a concert at the Universalist  
Church on Sabbath evening.  
The oyster supper at the Phelon House  
at the Center on Christmas night was a  
success in every way. The house was  
full and everything passed off very pleas-  
antly. The ladies have now cleared \$50  
with which they are now repairing the  
old sidewalk. They are fixing the walks  
now from the hotel to the postoffice, then  
they will take it from the town hall where  
the trustees leave off down to Mrs. Blake-  
lee's house. How much farther south or  
how far east I don't know, this will de-  
pend on how the money holds out. The  
trustees have promised to build all the  
law allows them to. The good people  
living west of the center have already  
built a walk a half mile in length and in-  
tended to a mile before they stop. All the  
ladies who have been interested in this  
movement wish to express their thanks to  
Squire Phelon for his kindness in open-  
ing his house and giving all the wood for  
warming it for the two evenings. We

hope he may live to enjoy the walks a  
good many years.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Cole invited quite  
a number of young people there last Fri-  
day evening to visit with their niece,  
Myrtle Sage, and her friend Miss Haines,  
who are spending the holidays at home.  
They go back to Pennsylvania the last of  
the week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Tillotson expect to  
leave in a few days to spend the winter in  
California.  
Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Clark are visit-  
ing at his old home.  
Mr. Jerome Pratt has traded part of his  
land here for a farm near Richmond, Va.,  
and if nothing happens intends to move  
his family down there in the spring. He  
has rented his farm here to Geo. Roice.  
Mrs. Martin Sage fell and injured her  
hip about two weeks ago so she is per-  
fectly helpless.

Mrs. Clifford, Mrs. Mortimer Rogers'  
mother, had another stroke of paralysis  
lately so she lies without being able to  
move a limb, and much of the time not  
being able to talk so they can understand  
what she says. She has very little appet-  
ite. Her daughter, Mrs. Adams, from  
Wellington, is helping care for her.  
Mrs. Carrie Dirlam is confined to the  
bed with lung trouble.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hicks are at Columbus  
and Mrs. Spencer and her daughter are  
keeping house.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Wanz spent  
Christmas with friends here. Mr. Ward  
only staid two days. Mrs. Ward and the  
boys make a longer visit.  
Mrs. Burrell has two sisters and her  
niece Carrie Reeves, and Mr. and Mrs.  
Summer visiting there for New Years, and  
they look for Charlie and his wife.  
Married—On Monday evening, Dec. 24,  
by Rev. J. Long, Mr. Frank Richmond  
and Miss Lilly Rogers, at the home of the  
bride.  
Mr. Clifton Chapman, who is attending  
the Spencerian Business College in Cleve-  
land, is home for the holidays.  
Miss Effie Chapman, from Norwalk, is  
also home for the holidays.  
Mr. John Leininger is visiting his  
mother.  
Mr. Jess Secrest is quite poorly, not  
doing much, but not able to work much.  
Mr. Zephiah Dirlam and his son Warren  
and daughter Ella are visiting friends in  
Huntington. They are from Clyde.  
Walter Bratley is home from Cleveland.  
Roy Jones, from Canal Dover, is spend-  
ing a few days with his brothers and sis-  
ters here.  
The literary society at the south school  
house every Saturday evening is in a  
flourishing condition, with a full house  
every night. Their debates are ably con-  
ducted and very interesting.

**LITCHFIELD.**  
December 31, '88.  
A dull Christmas.  
The schools at the center commence  
again on Jan'y 7.  
O. A. Strabahan, of Cornell University,  
is at home for the holidays.  
C. J. Weeks, formerly pedagogue in  
this place, but now principal of the schools  
at East Rockport, O., is visiting friends  
here.  
Mesdames Evans and Orr, of Oberlin,  
O., are visiting their father, W. Cole.  
Hiram Nickerson, accompanied by his  
cousin, R. Phillips, visited with their  
parents a few days last week.  
C. W. Starr and family, of Owasso,  
Mich., are visiting friends in this place.  
S. Lincoln and son have closed their  
meat market and will do no more butcher  
business for the rest of the winter at  
least. Rather inconvenient for our citi-  
zens.  
C. M. Carpenter and wife, of Oberlin,  
O., spent Christmas with his father, Dr.  
Carpenter.  
Adam Rising, of Wellington, was home  
Christmas day.  
F. R. Showalter and wife, of Grafton,  
O., spent Christmas with J. J. Vaughn  
and wife.  
Louis Sibley, of Cleveland, was in town  
Christmas.  
J. Yeakley and sister Ida, who are  
working in Cleveland, were home sev-  
eral days last week.  
W. S. Lincoln was received as a mem-  
ber of the Congregational church last Sab-  
bath. Mr. Lincoln will go soon to Ober-  
lin to take a course in theology, fitting  
himself for evangelical work. We wish  
him success.  
Miss Nettie Crow, of Medina, is staying  
for a few days in town.  
Millard Dennis, wife and son, of Sulli-  
van, O., are visiting relatives here.  
Frank McCarigan, of Creston, O., called  
on friends in town last week.  
Mrs. Abner Everett, mother of Dr.  
Everett, died on Christmas morning aged  
83 years. The funeral was held Thurs-  
day at the home of the deceased southeast  
of the center, Rev. Baird, of York, con-  
ducting the services.  
On Friday at the Baptist Church was  
held the funeral services of Mrs. L. Dun-  
bar, an aged lady, who died on Christmas  
at her home in Penfield. The deceased  
was the mother of L. Dunbar, of this place.  
CARR.

**PENFIELD.**  
December 31, '88.  
Christmas tree entertainments at the res-  
idences of A. H. Witbeck and Alonzo  
Emt h were well attended.  
Mr. John Bartholomew's father, of Cha-  
taqua, N. Y., has been spending the holi-  
days here with his son and family.  
Mr. Geo. B. Essig, of Buffalo, N. Y., has  
been spending a few days in town visit-  
ing his brother, Henry Essig, and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Dent, of La Grange,  
attended the entertainment at Mr. A.  
Smith's on Christmas eve.  
Miss Nellie Gardner returned Saturday  
from a two months' sojourn with her sis-  
ter, Mrs. Steadman, in Lorain.  
Mrs. Dunbar died on Christmas day.  
Funeral on Friday at Litchfield, conducted  
by Rev. Fosbury.  
Mr. Henry Wiley, of Wellington, visited  
his sister, Mrs. J. H. Gardner, a couple of  
days last week.  
Born—Dec. 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm.  
Buckingham, a daughter.  
Mrs. Grant Hull has been quite sick  
again for the past few days.  
Rev. S. L. Gray, of LaGrange has  
preached in the Baptist church Sunday  
afternoons for the past few weeks.  
Mrs. Rev. N. J. Close visited friends in  
New London lately.  
Mr. Rev. G. H. Horton has been laid up  
with a badly sprained ankle during the  
past few weeks.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry McEwing, of Fos-  
toria, spent several days Christmas time  
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Christy  
and family at the home of her childhood.  
It is reported that J. M. Starr has pur-  
chased the interest in the store of W. J.  
Krebs, to take effect Feb'y 1.

Miss Angie Christy came home a few  
days ago from Berea to spend her vacation  
with parents, brothers and sisters at the  
old homestead.  
Miss Mary Andrews is enjoying a two-  
weeks' vacation and is at home with  
her parents and family.  
Winter is fast passing away and no  
good roads up to this date.

**JAKE.**  
Dec. 31, '88.  
Rev. J. A. Hadley is again able to re-  
sume his pastorate. We are happy to  
have him once more with us, as he is very  
able and full of the Holy Spirit. He oc-  
cupied his pulpit for several Sundays.  
The young people of the Congregational  
Church are getting up an entertainment  
to consist of the popular drama, "Out in  
the Streets," followed by the well known  
farce of "At Sixes and Sevens." All are  
amateurs, but as they have rendered the  
first named play once we assure our  
readers of at least the worth of their  
money. The plays will be formally an-  
nounced in the churches when the time is  
settled. It will take place in the Congre-  
gational church. Admission 10c. We  
think all should turn out who can and  
encourage the young people, as they wish  
to purchase an organ for the church. Suc-  
cess to them.

Both A. B. Smith and A. H. Witbeck  
gave a Christmas tree to their respective  
friends and neighbors, each in his own  
corner of the township. Doubtless while  
hospitably intent they did not forget the  
scriptural injunction to "let their lights  
shine"; in other words, in the words of  
the childish hymn:  
"Jesus bids us shine then for all around  
Many kinds of darkness in the world abound;  
Sin and want and sorrow, so we must shine  
You in your little corner and I in mine."  
The friends of both parties report a good  
time generally.  
SUSANNAH.

**LA GRANGE.**  
Jan'y 1, '89.  
A happy New Year.  
Eclipse on New Year.  
Dance at town hall on New Year's night.  
A beautiful New Year, but what roads.  
Watch meeting at M. E. Church an en-  
joyable social, musical, and religious  
evening.  
Miss Stump, of Baldwin University, is  
spending several days with her room-  
mate, Miss Butler.  
Miss Jennie Moran is visiting friends  
in Wheeling, W. Va.  
Miss Nellie Northrop and John Ballow,  
of Bowling Green, are in town calling on  
old friends.  
Mrs. S. P. Merriam and daughter have  
returned from Michigan, where Mrs. M.  
has been for some time to attend her  
mother who is not expected to live long.  
The Miss Murray's, of Milan, Mich.,  
are enjoying the holidays at Alonzo  
Ryan's.  
Miss Belle Freeman, of La Grange, and  
Mr. Williams, of Joliet, Ill., celebrated  
their Christmas by joining heart and hand  
for life.  
Miss Lucy Gott, of La Grange, and Mr.  
Henry Stewart, of Olmsted Falls, joined  
their fortunes for life also on the outgoing  
of the old year. Congratulations to the  
happy couples and wishes for their pres-  
ent and future enjoyment.

The following is the copy of a slip of  
paper, yellow with age, handed to us yester-  
day by Lyman Ault. The pupil was  
Mr. A.'s grandmother.  
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