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RAILROAD TIME-TABLE.

TRAINS ARRIVE. LITTLE MIAMI - Night Express, 8:00 A. M.; Accommodation, 4:00 P. M.; Day Express, 6:30 P. M.

Law of Newspapers.

First. - Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary, are considered as wishing to continue their subscriptions to the paper.

Rates of Domestic Postage.

LETTERS - For each half ounce, under 3,000 miles, pre-paid, 10 cents. All letters must be pre-paid by stamps, or enclosed in stamped envelopes, or they will not be forwarded.

Church Directory.

Baptist - First Baptist Church, North side Court, between Fourth and Fifth.

OPERATIONS OF THE MICHIGAN SWINDLER.

WALLACE, IN PITTSBURGH. - The Pittsburg Journal of Saturday has the following: In February last one of the most successful confidence games ever played in this city was perpetrated upon the Allegheny Bank, by one M. C. Williams, who obtained \$2,000 from that institution upon a forged draft, purporting to be drawn by a house in New Orleans upon a bank in New York.

ORIGIN OF THE TERM "HOOSIER."

Rev. Aaron Wood, well known in this city, and in fact throughout the West, is delivering a course of lectures in regard to the Unwritten History of Indiana. In a recent lecture he gave the origin of the word Hoosier, a term now usually applied to Indiana.

LARGER FIRE IN WESTPORT, MO.

On Sunday (Christmas) morning, Dr. J. O. Boggs's drug establishment, in Westport, was discovered to be on fire, which at the time was confined to the interior of the building.

A METHODIST MISSION DESTROYED.

The buildings of the Methodist Mission in the same town were burned the next afternoon, including the out-buildings, barns, and a portion of the fencing. No doubt is entertained that the fire was the work of an incendiary.

"CHIVALRY" EMBARRASSED.

While the Southern medical students, dissolving the Union in the Philadelphia hospital, and waiting for the Baltimore train to start, a creditor of one of them seized him, and protested against his leaving until he had settled the amount of his bill. A lady appeared also in great distress at the departure of a young gentleman who had won her affections.

PRODUCTION OF SALT.

The amount of salt manufactured annually at Syracuse is 7,000,000 bushels. The annual revenue to the manufacturers is \$2,000,000, and the income to the State is \$700,000, as a tax of 1 per cent. per bushel is charged by the State on salt manufactured. The whole amount of salt manufactured in the United States is 16,000,000 bushels yearly.

AMERICA SUPPLYING EGYPT.

The stones on the corners of the Merchants' Exchange in Boston are larger than any single stone in the Quarries of New York, and those now in erection on the United States Treasury Building, Washington, are heavier than any stones of Pompey's Pillar on the Pyramids of Egypt.

VIRGINIA SHIPPING OYSTERS TO OREGON.

The Havana correspondent of the New Orleans Crescent says in a recent letter: "There is a cargo of oysters in the shell from Norfolk, sailing at the wharf at \$2 per hundred. A pretty speculation one would suppose, and I hear a regular fortnightly supply is expected here."

A FAMOUS TOWN.

It is not a little singular that the town of Epworth, Lincolnshire, England, should have produced both the Rev. John Wesley, the founder of the Wesleyan Society, and the Rev. Alexander Kilham, the founder of the Methodist New Connection. Wesley was born in 1703, and Kilham in 1703.

SUICIDE IN WASHINGTON.

A day or two since, James Stewart, a young man, almost twenty years of age, a son of a boarding house keeper, was found hanging by the neck in a shed on his mother's premises, having committed suicide during the night.

A HUGO FROD STORY.

There have been found in England, in rocks which were deposited long before the creation of man, a frog's bones of such size as to indicate clearly that the animal when alive must have weighed about 300 to 350 pounds.

SMALL FOX IN ENGLAND.

A late meeting of the English Scientific Association, it is stated that about four thousand deaths occur annually in England from smallpox; and according to the best estimate, three thousand nine hundred and ninety of these lives might be saved by vaccination.

STRENGTH OF THE BRITISH NAVY.

The British navy consists of over three hundred ships in commission, of which three-fourths are steamers. The English mercantile marine includes at the present time nearly 40,000 tons, nine hundred and twenty steamers.

LEICESTER.

Mr. Partridge told Benbow, the other day, in confidence, that a young man had committed suicide by blowing his brains up in a state of delirium tremens, and the coroner was holding a coroner over his remains.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

Four Days Later from Europe - Arrival of the Canada.

SACKVILLE, January 1. - The steamship Canada, from Liverpool on the 18th, via Queenstown on the 19th, arrived at Halifax at one o'clock P. M. yesterday.

It is stated that the belligerent powers only will be represented by the Ministers of Foreign Affairs, the remaining powers to send plenipotentiaries.

The Paris Patrie mentions a rumor that Prince Gortschakoff will decline to attend the Congress unless England is represented by some important member of her cabinet.

THE PRINCIPLE OF NON-INTERVENTION HAS NOT BEEN ACCEPTED BY ALL THE POWERS.

A hastily summoned Cabinet of the English Ministers was held on the 15th inst. The gold saved from the Royal Charter amounted to £27,500.

THE PRINCE OF NAPLES WAS ALARMINGLY ILL.

The latest advices represent his case as very serious. The Emperor's correspondent at Odessa says that the port of Adoo in the Red Sea had been ceded to France, and a French vessel of war was shortly expected there to take possession.

THE AUSTRIAN ARMY IN HUNGARY WILL NOT BE 50,000 MEN.

The Vienna correspondent, writing on the 14th, says the danger of a conflict between the imperial authorities and the Hungarian inhabitants, daily increases.

PARIS, DECEMBER 17. - THE PRINCE LE TOUR D'AUVERGNE WILL BE SECOND PENITENTIARY OF FRANCE.

Marquis De Antonio, a like officer from Naples. The Paris states positively that Cardinal Antonelli will represent the Pope. It is asserted that Count Kisebell and M. Dames will represent Russia.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

The Brokers' Circular reports the sales of the week to be about 52,000 bales, 15,000 for exporters. All qualities have declined slightly, say 1/4, and holders of the new crop were pressing their stocks on the market.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, January 1. - Information has been received from Madrid, by which it appears that our Minister to that Court is encouraged to believe that our claims against Spain are now in a position for adjustment. The official correspondence seems to justify this conclusion.

ARREST OF ANOTHER "INCENDIARY."

Rev. Daniel Worth was arrested last week in Guilford, N. C., for using in his sermons incendiary language, and for quoting from Halper's book. Among other things he was charged with having said that "he would not have had old John Brown hung for a thousand worlds." He was held to bail in the sum of \$5,000 for his appearance at court, and \$5,000 for his good behavior. He had given bail for his appearance, and at last accounts was endeavoring to give bail for his good behavior.

TERMS - CASH. Advertisements not exceeding five lines (Average) One insertion - \$1.00 One week - \$7.00 Two weeks - \$12.00 One month - \$20.00 Three months - \$50.00 Six months - \$90.00 One year - \$150.00

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