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### G.T.R. Time Table

GOING EAST	
Passenger	7:58 a.m.
Passenger	9:19 a.m.
Mail	10:16 a.m.
Mail	11:40 a.m.
Passenger	8:45 p.m.
Passenger	6:30 p.m.
Passenger	8:30 p.m.
Passenger, Sunday	7:11 p.m.

### GOING WEST

Passenger	7:57 a.m.
Mail	10:16 a.m.
Passenger	4:01 p.m.
Passenger	4:50 p.m.
Passenger	6:02 p.m.
Mail	7:09 p.m.
Mail	8:30 p.m.
Passenger, Sunday	10:16 a.m.

### GOING SOUTH

Mail	8:00 a.m.
Mail	5:10 p.m.

### GOING NORTH

Mail	11:59 a.m.
Mail	8:00 p.m.

### Terrence Suburban Railway

DAILY TIME TABLE	
Going East	a.m. p.m. p.m.
Going West	8:10 8:24 6:40
Going East	8:55 8:10 7:59

### SUNDAY TIME TABLE

Going East	a.m. p.m. p.m.
Going West	10:40 6:10 9:25

### Winter Term Opens Jan. 3rd.

**ELLIOTT**  
*Business College*  
Teaches and Charles St., Toronto.  
Is noted throughout Canada for High  
Grade Business Education. Graduates  
readily obtain employment. Write for  
handsome catalogue. Enter my time,  
W. J. Elliott, President.

### Palm Garden

### Lunch Rooms.

Meals Served at all  
Hours.  
Ice Cream, Fruit  
Confectionery  
A Full Line of Tobaccos  
Cigars and Cigarettes

All Phone Orders Delivered.

**H. Wheatley**

Phone 188 Mill St.

### Special Sale

This Week and Next of

### House Dresses

Aprons of all kinds and sizes. Ladies  
and Children's night dresses and under-  
wear. Children's hats, caps and  
scarfs, warm stockings and puttees.  
We also have a good assortment of con-  
crete, front and back laces, in different  
styles. All to go at greatly reduced  
prices. Every day will be bargain day.

Call and Inspect Our Stock.

**Mr. A. Watson, Mrs. E. Winfield**  
**GEORGETOWN**

### COAL!

Best D. L. & W. Scranton

Coal in all Sizes.

Also Smithing and Steam Coal

**Mrs. J. Watkins**

Normal Station Phone 6924

**will start you  
in OUR  
CHRISTMAS  
CLUB**  
Come in and Join.

**A Systematic Plan for Accumulating  
Money by Regular Deposits**

When you join our Christmas Club you have a definite plan for depositing a specified sum each week. This makes it easy for you because you know how much you need for your club; it prevents your spending it which you might do if you had no definite plan for keeping it. The Plan is Simple. Select the Club you wish to join and bring in your first deposit. We give you a Pass Book showing the Club joined and the amount deposited. Deposits are to be made Weekly or in Advance. The following table explains the Club plan.

INCREASING CLUB PLAN	
1c Club	Deposit 1c 1st week, 2c 2nd week. Increase 1c each week—in 50 weeks you have \$12.75
2c Club	Deposit 2c 1st week, 4c 2nd week. Increase 2c each week—in 50 weeks you have 25.50
5c Club	Deposit 5c 1st week, 10c 2nd week. Increase 5c each week—in 50 weeks you have 63.75
10c Club	Deposit 10c 1st week, 20c 2nd week. Increase 10c each week—in 50 weeks you have 127.50

  

DECREASING CLUB PLAN	
You begin with the LARGEST payment and DECREASE each week	

EVEN AMOUNT CLUB PLAN	
25c Club	Deposit 25c each week—in 50 weeks you have \$12.50
50c Club	Deposit 50c each week—in 50 weeks you have 25.00
\$1 Club	Deposit \$1 each week—in 50 weeks you have 50.00
\$2 Club	Deposit \$2 each week—in 50 weeks you have 100.00
\$3 Club	Deposit \$3 each week—in 50 weeks you have 150.00
\$4 Club	Deposit \$4 each week—in 50 weeks you have 200.00
\$5 Club	Deposit \$5 each week—in 50 weeks you have 250.00
\$10 Club	Deposit \$10 each week—in 50 weeks you have 500.00
\$20 Club	Deposit \$20 each week—in 50 weeks you have 1,000.00
\$50 Club	Deposit \$50 each week—in 50 weeks you have 2,500.00
\$100 Club	Deposit \$100 each week—in 50 weeks you have 5,000.00

**BANK OF HAMILTON**  
G. C. McKay  
Manager  
We invite you to come in and join now. You will receive 8 per cent interest.

**SEE OUR WINDOWS**

## Give Footwear!

What could you give more Useful?

What's more useful for a gift than something you can wear? We have something for every member of the family that is sure to please. A few minutes spent in our store will surprise you what little money you require to purchase gifts here.

### Drop In And Look Around

Slippers	Spats
For men, women and children. Large assortment, pretty styles. 99c up.	Popular shades for women. High cut. Sure to please. \$1.05, \$2.50 and \$3.50. Men's Spats, \$1.50.

Hockey Boots	Fine Boots
Just what pleases the boys and girls of Xmas. Lower Prices this year.	For Women and Children. Sure to please. Large assortment. Special Prices.

Best **RUBBERS** Always Useful  
Our Prices and Extra Quality Stand Comparison

Women's fine rubbers, all shapes. Sizes 9 1/2 to 8.	1.00
Girls' fine rubbers. Sizes 11 to 2.	.90
Children's fine rubbers. Sizes 4 to 10 1/2.	.80
Boys' strong rubbers. Sizes 1 to 5.	1.00
Boys' strong rubbers. Sizes 11 to 18.	.90
Men's strong rubbers. Sizes 6 to 11.	1.35

White Rubbers for Children	Brown Rubbers for Men and Women
Men's High Top Proof Rubbers, lace or 2 buckle style. Red Rubber Soles. All sizes. \$3.25. Heavy Felt Insoles. Free.	

## Rubber Boots For The Whole Family

Our stock of Men's Heavy Rubbers, Socks, Felts, and Overhoes is complete and we invite comparison as to Quality and Price.

Open Evenings Until Xmas

### H. J. FOX

Georgetown  
Hurlbutt Shoes for Children. Blister Shoes for Men.

**Plan to make next Christmas the happiest of all**

With plenty of money in Bank to buy all the presents you had planned, the joy of gift-giving becomes a joy indeed.

The spirit of Christmas does not ring true when giving is a hardship—when someone must be forgotten—when someone gives to you and you can give nothing in return.

You can make sure of having enough money for Christmas 1922 by joining our "Christmas Club" NOW.

There are no dues or fees of any kind—it is open to all—to you and every member of your family and your friends.

Just decide how much money you want to have for next Christmas, come to the bank for enrollment, and then deposit a regular sum each week.

Such systematic saving, with the help of our "Christmas Club" will make your 1922 Christmas the happiest of all. Join to-day and start to save.

Even Payment Classes	Increasing Payment Classes
In which the same amount is deposited each week for 50 weeks:	In which increasing amounts are deposited each week for 50 weeks:
25c weekly totals \$12.50	1c and increase totals \$12.75
50c weekly totals 25.00	2c and increase totals 25.50
\$1.00 weekly totals 50.00	5c and increase totals 63.75
\$2.00 weekly totals 100.00	10c and increase totals 127.50
\$5.00 weekly totals 250.00	
\$10.00 weekly totals 500.00	You can join several classes at once, if you wish.
\$20.00 weekly totals 1,000.00	

Georgetown Branch H. R. Minna, Manager

**The MERCHANTS BANK Christmas Club**

## R. J. HYNDS

Insurance Broker  
Insurance in all Branches  
Phone 203 Georgetown

**White Explorer Describes  
His Strange Adventures  
Among South Sea Natives**

Although from time to time visits have been paid to the cannibal islands of the South Sea, few have been so thrilling and adventuresome as that made recently by Mr. Frederick O'Brien.

Mr. O'Brien lived for a year among the cannibals quite fearlessly and witnessed many thrilling scenes. The natives had a great liking for many peculiar foods. For instance, octopus was a rare dish. On one occasion Mr. O'Brien was with a party of natives who were collecting some small specimens of the fish, of which there were many on the beach. They were engaged in the task of twisting them of their poison when there was a warning shout.

Four of the crew had attacked a giant octopus which was hidden in a cave on the rocks. From the gloom he darted out his long arms the while the packed hostman, dashing just out of reach of the writhing tentacles, struck at them with long knives.

Suddenly the octopus came out of his den to fight. He was a reddish-purple globe of flesh, horned all over, and with large, bitter, hating eyes that roved from one to another, as if searching for his prey. Then eight arms stretched out on all sides of him.

The natives began a frenzied attack, and then to his horror Mr. O'Brien felt a slimy arm wind itself around his leg. His cry attracted the natives' attention, and with a bound and a slash they had cut the feeler. Another of the men had two tentacles around him, but his companion hacked at the arms until he was free. The octopus, who moaned broadly, was eventually killed. The remains were then gathered up, cooked, and eaten.

The visitor witnessed a fight between a band of sharks and two large whales and a baby-whale. There were least twenty-five sharks in the mad mob, great white monsters thirty feet in length, and it was as if a gale raged. Both the whales struck out frantically to defend their young, but the sharks harried them like hounds, and at last the mother-whale disappeared, her body being snatched from her side.

A number of monster sword-fish once attacked a canoe containing Mr. O'Brien and a native, both of whom were thrown into the water. The native was badly injured, a sword having pierced his leg through.

Quicker in the extreme were some of the natives bestowed upon the natives. For instance, Mr. O'Brien's boy servant was known as "Explosive Eggs," while quite common were such high-sounding titles as "Mighty Goshawk," "Drink of Beer," "My Darling Hope," "Vanquished O'Brien," and "Chief Seventh Man Who is so Angry He Wallows in the Mire."

"Vanquished O'Brien" was a thirteen-year-old girl of great beauty. "Seventh Man" was her uncle. When Mr. O'Brien visited them, the chief suggested that he might like his niece as a bride. So great was the disappointment of both when the visitor refused that Mr. O'Brien said he would make her his little sister. They were immensely pleased.

Perhaps the most entertaining incident of his year among cannibals mentioned by Mr. O'Brien in his book, "White Shadows of the South Seas," is of a wily native who got permission to have a game of cards on condition that he did not play for anything but matches. In the end, however, he made a fortune by selling them back to the other natives who had not the latter re-discovered the old-time secret of getting fire from wood.

**Complete Returns**

Following are the complete returns for Halton of the election held last week:

	Anderson	Fisher	Ford
Milton	560	808	60
Georgetown	547	897	74
Ayton	418	487	68
Oakville	762	708	188
Burlington	888	444	87
Brant Hoop- tal	182	40	
Nelson Twp.	146	96	68
Freeham	146	96	68
Nelson Village	90	18	170
McVean	44	41	101
Lowville	50	35	101
Bell's School	80	1	68
Appleby	68	97	76
Strathcona	80	69	31
Trafalgar Twp.			
Boyer	68	58	270
Drumquin	94	14	200
Postville	18	90	125
Munn's Cor.	89	69	149
Palermo	69	19	184
Broste (a)	86	94	95
Broste (b)	108	27	60
Sheridan	84	114	92
Essex			
Sprout's	112	67	192
Norval	157	69	180
Stewartstown	100	38	182
Dublin	94	78	116
Thomson's			
Corner	100	21	84
Glenwilliams	90	90	59
Passenger			
Campbellville	166	96	129
Brookville	68	70	157
Knatechull	49	42	215
	3289	3704	3287
Anderson's plurality	1476		

**Notes and Comments**

THE ONTARIO GOVERNMENT has recently made important changes in the composition of the County Councils of the Province. Circumstances have been sent out to the municipal councils, intimating that important changes in the County Council system are contemplated being made at next session of the Legislature. The council are asked to express their opinion on giving women municipal franchise on the same footing as men, reducing the number of members of the County Councils by one-third, and a number of other matters.

Mr. W. W. Scott of Elizabethtown, has been seriously ill, and his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Hill, has been waiting on him for a few days.

During his stay in town on Monday the Hon. R. L. Durrant, Prime Minister of Ontario, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Moore at Moorecroft.—Free Press

**How Good Roads Costs are Apportioned**

The following synopsis may be of interest to any good roads enthusiast who is still unfamiliar with the Ontario Highway Laws and regulations:

(1) County Roads—A County Council is authorized to assume by by-law a system of roads for construction and maintenance; the Province contributing 40% construction and maintenance. The roads assumed are usually such as will accommodate the greater part of local market travel. The mileage assumed is generally from 18 to 20 per cent of the total mileage of the county. The roads are built in accordance with the department's regulations. A standard type is graded to the width of 24 ft. to 26 ft., between ditches with broken stone or gravel to a width of 8 ft. to 10 ft. In the case of country roads adjacent to cities a suburban area may be established under the jurisdiction of a special Commission representing both the county and city. The cost of the latter is paid for in the proportion of 80 per cent by the county, 80 per cent by the city and 40 per cent by the province, except some of the most important roads near cities which may be designated by the Minister of Highways as Provincial County Suburban Roads. For these the Province pays 60 per cent of the county and city 20 per cent each.

(2) Provincial County Road—These roads are under county control, but to them the Province contributes 60 per cent of the cost of construction and maintenance. In general they are planned to form branches or feeders of the Provincial Highway System. The road allowance for them must not be less than 66 ft. wide, while the metalled surface is to be double track not less than 14 ft. in width.

(3) Provincial Highway—Adjacent to cities the cost is borne in the proportion of 60 per cent by the Province; 20 per cent by the city and 20 per cent by the county although the road passes outside the suburban area the Province assumes 80 per cent of the cost. On these roads the proportion of the Province's share will be reduced on receipt of a subsidy from the Federal Government which pays 40 per cent of the cost of construction only, exclusive of bridges, and only after an agreement has been made with respect to each road.

(4) Township Roads—Under recent amendment to the Ontario Highways Act the Department of Highways is authorized to pay a 10 per cent subsidy on actual cost of expenditure made by township or village under their jurisdiction. In addition to this a subsidy of 40 per cent is paid toward the maintenance of township Road Superintendents.

**NEVER GIVE UP**  
Never give up—it is wiser and better. Always in hope than once to despair. File off the load of doubt's creaking fetters. And, break the dark spell tyrannical care. Never give up, or the burden may sink you— Providence kindly has mingled the cup. And all trials and troubles bethink you, The watchword of life must be, "Never give up!" Never give up, there are chances and changes, Helping the hopeful a hundred to one, And through the chaos His wisest and sure arrangements, Ever success, if you'll only hold on. Never give up, for the wisest is bold, Knowing that Providence mingles the cup, And of all maxims, the best is the oldest, Is the stern watchword of "Never give up!"

**Action**

A runaway car which a citizen cranked the other day without releasing the clutch, made a noise of the new lattice fence at Miss Macaulay's residence on Elgin Street.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Lyons left for their new home at Chesham on Saturday. During the year they spent in Acton Mr. and Mrs. Lyons made many warm friends who greatly regretted their removal.

Mr. Charles C. Henderson returned home last Thursday after spending seven months with relatives in Winnipeg. Mr. Henderson has regained his health and is now feeling quite himself again, which fact his Acton friends greatly appreciate.

Capt. J. G. Kennedy, teller of the Merchants Bank, has been transferred to Toronto, and his many friends, business and social, during his residence in Acton, and was in command of the local corps of the Halton Rifles.

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**Brampton**

Miss Alberta Emberton of the local Public School staff, has encouraged for a term to teach the higher grade classes in the Methodist School in Japan. The young lady is a member of Grace Methodist church and took an active part in the church work. She will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends in town.

One of the newly elected Liberal members from British Columbia is Mr. Fred Stork of Prince Rupert, an old Free boy and native of Bolton, where his father conducted a drug store for many years.

Mr. Wm. Colbert, manager of the Gunmed Paper Co., has bought the planing mill property belonging to the estate of the late McCreary, opposite the C.P.R. station yard. He proposes utilizing the buildings as a factory in which to manufacture pades and gums now made at a paper company's plant. Mr. Colbert will sever his connection with Gunmed Paper on the first of the coming year.—Banner & Times.

**Erin**

Mrs. Sarah Frampton Brown Morley, daughter of the late James C. Brown, 7th line, Erin, died after a brief illness at her home on Main Street, Erin. Mrs. Morley's health has declined ever since the death of her sister, Jane, in 1920.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill, and Mr. H. Threlkeld, of Hamilton, called to see Mrs. Pearson, who has been in failing health, but is well pleased to note, making rapid progress toward recovery.

Mr. George Mason died very suddenly on Wednesday evening, Nov. 20th, 1921, at his home, lot 24, 9th line, Erin. Deceased was born 54 years ago near Cumby.—Advocate

**Milton**

Mrs. D. Crawford who underwent an operation in the Guelph General Hospital recently, is making good progress towards recovery.

The last regular meeting of the county council for 1921 will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 20th. This will be followed by the usual Wardens' Dinner at the McElroy House in the evening.

Most of the steel for the new rink has arrived, and workmen are engaged in putting it into position with the assistance of a donkey engine and derrick.—Respirator.

A concert and Christmas Tree will be held in Waterloo School, S. S. No. 5, Essexport, on Monday evening, Dec. 19th at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served.

**Quebec Growing Rich**

Nearly \$800,000 has been paid into the port of Quebec by the Provincial Liquor Commission since the month of July, according to a statement of a member of the commission to-day.

The actual figures are: Customs duties, \$175,989.94; excise, \$117,000.86.

—60 per. boys' and children's heavy ribbed worsted hose to clear, 69c and 70c.—H. J. Fox, Georgetown.