

TIME TABLES

G. R. & I.

(In effect Feb. 14, 1904)

TRAINS NORTH.

No. 6—Daily..... 1:18 a.m.

No. 7—Daily to Fort Wayne..... 8:00 a.m.

No. 8—Daily (except Sunday)..... 8:15 p.m.

TRAINS SOUTH

No. 6—Daily..... 2:00 a.m.

No. 12—Daily (except Sunday)..... 7:14 a.m.

No. 2—Daily (except Sunday)..... 1:15 p.m.

No. 30—Daily, except Sunday..... 7:51 p.m.

No. 18—Sunday only..... 7:16 p.m.

CHICAGO & ERIE.

In effect Feb. 27, 1903.

WEST.

No. 7—Express..... 3:00 a.m.

No. 8—New York and Chicago Limited through coach Columbus and Chicago daily..... 12:44 p.m.

No. 15—Wells Fargo Express except Monday..... 5:42 p.m.

No. 21—Marion-Huntington Acc'm..... 10:10 a.m.

EAST

No. 8—Vestibule Limited for N.Y..... 2:43 a.m.

No. 22—Marion and Columbus except Sunday..... 6:58 a.m.

No. 4—New York and Boston Limited through coaches Columbus and Chicago..... 3:21 p.m.

No. 14, daily except Sunday, and carries passengers between Hammond and Marion.

No. 13 will not carry baggage. 3 and 4 has through coach Columbus to Chicago.

CLOVER LEAF.

In effect May 3, 1903.

EAST.

No. 6—Commercial Traveler, daily..... 5:25 a.m.

No. 2—Mail, daily, except Sunday..... 11:50 a.m.

No. 4—Day Express, daily..... 5:45 p.m.

No. 23—Local Freight..... 1:10 p.m.

WEST

No. 3—Day Express, daily..... 5:25 a.m.

No. 1—Mail, daily, except Sunday..... 11:25 a.m.

No. 5—Commercial Traveler, daily..... 9:19 p.m.

No. 23—Local Freight..... 12:05 p.m.

Lawrence Ehinger is on the sick list.

Mrs. C. H. Colter of this city is with her mother this week.

Philip Schug of Berne was a business caller to the city last evening.

Dr. D. D. Clark returned last evening from a professional trip at Linn Grove.

Mrs. Martin Beery, is recovering from a six weeks attack of erysipelas and blood poison.

Herman Heue went to Fort Wayne last evening to visit for a few days with relatives and friends.

Frank Orides returned last evening from Berne where he was looking after telephone business.

Alex LeBrun made a business trip to Fort Wayne last evening in the interest of his French estate.

David Hunsicker went to Fort Wayne last evening, being called there owing to the death of his brother in law.

Henry Colter of Rivare is quite ill with pneumonia from which he has suffered for three weeks. His condition today was reported unchanged.

Gene Lutz is on the sick list.

J. Roy made a business trip to Portland.

Wm. Shoemaker of Berne is a business caller here.

Harvey Harruff is a business caller at Portland today.

D. B. Erwin is looking after legal business at Berne today.

L. Jorgensen made a business trip to Bryant this morning.

D. M. Frank made a business trip to Fort Wayne this morning.

Fred Huffman made a business trip to Columbia City this morning.

Charles Christen made a business trip to Columbia City this morning.

John Moran, John Myers and C. A. Dugan attended a barn raising at Fred Thieme's today.

Jacob Butcher of Geneva was looking after legal business here today.

Otto Bremerkamp returned this morning from a business trip at Fort Wayne.

Mrs. H. A. Fuhrman went to Berne this morning to spend the day with friends.

William Cross left this morning on an extended visit with relatives at Hillsdale, Mich.

Mrs. C. N. Schnitts went to Berne this morning to spend the day with her sister.

"My Friend of Arkansaw" will be the next attraction at Bosse's opera house being here on April 6th.

Alvin Hower and family left last evening for Howard City, Mich., where they expect to make their future home.

C. C. Longacher and wife left last evening for Goshen. While here they were employed at the Murray House as cooks.

The March section of the ladies aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. F. M. Schirmeyer tomorrow afternoon.

The Revs. John C. White of this city, J. A. Sprague of Monroe, with Lewis Rehl and A. D. Wagner will give a concert at the St. Paul M. E. church at Fort Wayne Friday evening. The gentlemen named are sure of entertaining any audience at any time.

James Fretz is a business caller at Preble today.

Mrs. John Tison went to Bluffton to make a short visit with her sister.

Mrs. O. G. Hall went to Warren today to visit for a few days with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. McWhirter went to Peterson today to visit for a few days with relatives.

Peter Neuenschwander returned to Monroe this morning after transacting business here.

Mrs. James Rice went to Fort Wayne this morning to visit for a few days with friends.

Miss Vic Hendricks left for Marion today where she will visit for a few days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bird went to Fort Wayne this morning to visit for a few days with her sister.

Three more rural routes have been established out of Fort Wayne, the service to begin April 1.

Mrs. Cullen and Mrs. L. Richard arrived today from Willshire and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hurst.

William Miller went to Martin, Mich., this morning where he will visit for a short time with his brother.

Mrs. Simeoke and daughter went to Monroe this morning where they will spend the day with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Davie went to Grand Rapids, Mich., this morning where they will visit for a few days with their son.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Voltz went to Fort Recovery this morning where they will be the guest of Charles Farenbauch and family.

Mrs. Eli Peterson and daughter returned today to her home at Jeffersonville after visiting here for a short time with her mother.

The daily newspapers report that during the late cold snap a Mormon out in Utah froze between two of his wives. Later news reveals the fact that one wife lives in Salt Lake City and the other in Brigham City, eighty miles away. The unfortunate man was caught in a blizzard while driving from one city to the other.

James Miller made a business trip to Marion.

Dave Gerber is at Berne today buying cattle.

A. J. Ash made a business trip to Peterson today.

J. Stiner of Berne was a business caller here today.

W. H. Graham of Monroe was a business caller here today.

Ben Rice returned today from a business trip at Fort Wayne.

L. B. Rice was a business passenger to Delphos, Ohio today.

P. W. Smith returned to Richmond today after transacting business here.

Lawrence Smith went to Geneva today where he is completing a job of plumbing.

Mrs. Don Quinn who has been sick for several days is reported as being some better.

Miss Alice Hurte is again able to resume her work at the Boston store after a few days illness.

Martin Mylott has moved from North Third street to the Joseph Smith property on Fourth street.

Mrs. George Mehils, left today for Columbus, Ohio where she will make a few days visit with her mother.

Mrs. Estabrook and daughter returned to Bluffton today after visiting here for a few days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kemper returned to Alexandria, today while here they were the guests of Louis Giezel and family.

Roy W. Wolford is moving his household goods today from North Eleventh street to the Burt Mann property in West Monroe street.

The old Meibers home is being remodeled and will soon be occupied by Charles Meibers and family, their Third street home having been rented to Mr. Sheller.

Mrs. R. B. Boyles arrived from Fort Wayne this afternoon and will make a few days visit here with her sister Mrs. McMillen and her brother Col. C. P. Ferry.

Last evening a number of the friends of Miss Mary Kimsey perfected a complete surprise upon her in honor of her birthday anniversary. Music, games and refreshments were the order of the evening.

Mary F. Brandyberry returned to Monroe today.

C. Grim of Monroe was looking after business here today.

Ed Pelz of Fort Wayne is looking after business here today.

William Spiker of Geneva was a business caller here today.

Ben Rice returned today from a business trip at Fort Wayne.

W. B. Fldderjohann returned today from a business trip at Fort Wayne.

Miss Valentine returned to Monroe today after visiting here for a few days with her sister.

Guy Major went to Ossian this morning where he has taken a position in barber shop.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Pierson left today for Hamilton Ohio where they expect to make their future home.

The Shakespeare Club held an interesting meeting at the home of Judge and Mrs. David Studabaker this afternoon.

Manager Hively of the Rosenthal's concluded today that he would bill the Bloomer Girls here for some Sunday early in next month and has so written their manager.

These girls have a national reputation when it comes to playing the national game. Last season they won 100 games out of 145 played thus giving them a good record.

They claim to have the only lady pitcher in the business and expect to do wonders with their team this coming season. They should prove to be quite a drawing card here and give our boys a hard game.

The young people of Union Chapel church have organized their Young Peoples Christian Union, and will hold their meetings on each Sabbath evening. Their competent corps of officers are the following: President, Burt Wolfe; Vice President, Jesse Swartz; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Eram Dykeman; Recording Secretary, Miss Grace Dykeman; Chorister, Frank Kern; organist, Miss Beulah Dykman; Treasurer, William Worden; Librarian, Miss Jessie Busaseman. The society extends a cordial invitation to everyone. Come and be entertained by their interesting meetings and entertaining literary programs.

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The Schafer
Hardware Co.

Miss Lucreta Brown who was at one time employed as a Simplex operator in this city, yesterday evening went to Decatur where she will be employed on the Decatur Democrat. Miss Brown is an expert operator on the Simplex and will no doubt give the best of satisfaction.—Bluffton Banner.

Davis Kern of St. Marys township was mad last night because his horse which was found hitched on the street had been taken in charge by Marshal Cordua and placed in a lively stable where he had to pay fifty cents to redeem it. Davis says he came to town at eleven o'clock and the horse was taken up at three.

GRAND Introductory and Money-Saving ...SALE OF SPRING GOODS....

Commencing Saturday, March 26th AND CONTINUING TEN DAYS : :

... This is a strictly bona fide sale, and all Goods guaranteed as represented ...

Top Coats and Suits

Spring top coats and suits, fanciful and conservative creations.

New ideas in fabrics and patterns.

\$10.00 values, during this sale \$ 8.48

\$15.00 values, during this sale \$11.48

\$18.00 values, during this sale \$13.48

HATS

50c values, during this sale \$ 42c

\$1.00 values, during this sale \$ 74.

1.50 values, during this sale \$ 98.

2.00 values, during this sale \$1.48

2.50 values, during this sale \$1.98

Fancy Shirts

Men's Fancy Shirts, new spring and summer novelties, 50c and 75c values, during this sale.....

42c

\$1.00 and \$1.25 values, during this sale.....

89c

Broken lots in worsteds, casimères and fancy mixtures, were \$6, \$7 and \$10 values, this sale.....

\$3.98

Men's fancy cassimères and spring novelties, \$7 values, this sale.....

\$4.48

Men's and Youths' all wool cassimères and mixtures, new patterns worth \$12, during this sale.....

\$7.68