

FRIDAY, MAY 4 1894

at the post office at Rensselaer, Ind., as second-class matter.

MONON ROUTE

RENSSELAER TIME TABLE

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 5 - Mail and Ex. Daily, 11:10 A. M.
No. 39 - Milk & Accom., 6:21 P. M.
No. 3 - Night Express, 11:23 P. M.
No. 4 - Way Freight, 2:47 P. M.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 40 - Milk account, Daily, 7:37 A. M.
No. 6 - Mail and Ex., 3:25 P. M.
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BITS OF HISTORY.

The first Christian school was established by the Pantcus in 181.

GOLCONDA mines are now exhausted. At one time 60,000 men were employed in them. When the Sultan Mahomed, who reigned in 1777-1206, died, he left in his treasury 400 pounds' weight of gems, taken from the mines at G. Golconda.

The first aerial voyage was made Sept. 19, 1783, by a sheep, a cock and a duck to a height of 1,500 feet. The first human traveler through the air was M. Francois Pilatre de Rozier, who mounted the following month in a free ballon.

The earliest known lens is one of rock crystal unearthed by Layard at Nineveh. This lens, the age of which is measured by thousands of years, now lies in the British Museum, as bright and as clear as it was the day it left the maker's hands.

In the appalling catastrophe which destroyed the city of Lima and its harbor, Callao, in Peru, in October, 1844, the earthquake shocks were repeated every seven or eight minutes, and over 200 of the inhabitants were buried within twenty-four hours. The great earthquake of Caracas, on the 26th of March, 1842, fifteen shocks were felt on the first day, and they continued numerous every day until the 5th of April following.

The oldest dressmakers' bill in the world has been discovered on a Chaldean tablet, dating 2800 B. C. It has an entry of "ninety-two pure vestments for the priests." Among the items are "ten white robes of the Temple, eight robes of the house of his lady, ten collar of the house of his lady, ten pair of gold collars, two white robes and four scented robes," also "two winters," probably scarfs for binding about the waist. Before this the oldest account of this sort was on a tablet dating over 1400 B. C.

The Revolutionary War, 1775-1783, cost the United States \$125,193,703. The Colonies furnished 395,014 troops. The War of 1812 cost \$107,150,003; the number of troops estimated at 47,62. The Mexican War cost \$100,000,000; the number of troops engaged was 101,282. The Civil War, 1861-1865, cost \$6,189,229,900, according to the official records; the number of troops engaged on the Union side was 2,859,142, the total loss 460,503; the number engaged on the Confederate side was about 493,000 and loss about 300,000.

SICK-ROOM DON'TS.

Don't appear anxious, however great your anxiety.

Don't let stale flowers remain in a sick chamber.

Don't have the temperature of a sick-room over 70 degrees.

Don't jar the bed by leaning or sitting upon it. This is unpleasant to one ill and nervous.

Don't ask a convalescent if he would like this or that to drink, but prepare the delicacies and present them in a tempting way.

Don't neglect during the day to attend to necessities for the night, that the rest of the patient and the family may not be disturbed.

Don't be unmindful of yourself if you are in the responsible position of nurse. To do faithful work you must have proper food and stated hours of rest.

Don't throw coal upon the fire; place it in brown paper bags and lay them on the fire, thus avoiding the noise which is shocking to the sick and sensitive.

Don't light a sick-room at night by means of a jet of gas burning low; nothing impoversishes the air so much. Use spermaceti candles, or tapers which burn in oil front.

Don't give the patient a full glass of water to drink from unless he is allowed all he desires. If he can drain the glass he will be satisfied, so regulate the quantity before handing it to him.

Don't forget to have a few beans of coffee hands for this serves as a deodorizer if burned on coals or paper. Bits of charcoal placed around are useful in absorbing gases and other impurities.

Don't allow offensive matters to remain; in case of emergency where they cannot be at once removed, wring a heavy cloth, for instance like Turkish towels, out of cold water, use it as a covering over this ordinary paper. Such means prevent the escape of odor and infection.

If you would avoid sickness among the children, keep a bottle of MELLOL in your house and when your child shows symptoms of sickness, give a few doses and you will have no doctor bills to pay. For all druggists

Your children that are in school will be cured of that distressing headache which is so common among school children in warm weather, by the use of an occasional dose of MELLOL. For sale by all druggists.

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