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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

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Dated Dec. 1st 1903.
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The Lone Star State.

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Illinois Central R. R. Time Table

—East Bound—
No. 4 Omaha, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Chicago Express, (Daily) 9.45 A. M.
No. 92 Co. Bluffs & Ft. Dodge Way Freight, (Daily except Sunday) 10.35 A. M.
No. 82 Co. Bluffs & Ft. Dodge Local (Daily except Sunday) 6.40 P. M.
No. 2 Omaha, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Chicago Limited (Daily) 9.38 P. M.

—West Bound—
No. 1 Chicago, St. Paul & Minneapolis Limited, (Daily) 6.18 A. M.
No. 31 Ft. Dodge & Co. Bluffs Local, (Daily except Sunday) 8.05 A. M.
No. 91 Local Way Freight, (Daily except Sunday) 1.00 P. M.
No. 3 Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Paul & Omaha Express, (Daily) 8.33 P. M.
Nos. 1 and 2 stop only at Rockwell City, Wall Lake, Denison and Logan.
No. 3 stops at Arion, Dow City, Dunlap, Woodbine and Logan.
No. 4 stops only at Wall Lake and Rockwell City.
Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 are daily; Nos. 31, 32, 91 and 92 daily except Sunday.

C & N W R R Time Table

East Bound.
No. 4 10.10 a. m.
No. 3 7.04 a. m.
No. 10 2.45 p. m.
No. 5 5.38 p. m.
No. 6 7.50 p. m.
No. 10 Mail train 9.47 p. m.
No. 45 Way freight 12.00 m.

West Bound.
No. 25 5.12 a. m.
No. 2 7.04 a. m.
No. 5 12.00 m.
No. 3 1.10 p. m.
No. 11 8.15 p. m.
No. 2 Fast mail 8.34 p. m.
No. 15 Fast mail 12.40 p. m.
No. 47 Way freight 11.00 a. m.

Boyer Valley

No. 46 Leave 5.05 a. m.
No. 42 Arrive 2.50 a. m.
No. 41 Arrive 2.40 p. m.
No. 45 5.50 p. m.

C. M. & St. Paul R. R. At Arion.

West Bound
No. 1 Passenger 6.22 A. M.
No. 3 Passenger 1.53 P. M.
No. 91 Freight 3.15 A. M.

East Bound
No. 4 Passenger 9.11 A. M.
No. 6 Passenger 7.25 P. M.
No. 94 Freight 4.07 P. M.
No. 1 going west and no 6 going east are dailies.
Nos. 3 and 91 going west and nos. 4 and 94 going east daily except Sunday.

RAILROAD NOTICES.

Illinois Central Excursion Rates.

Excursion tickets will be sold by the Illinois Central, to the points, and at rates, as follows:

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FARE AND ONE-THIRD ON CERTIFICATE PLAN

Des Moines, Iowa.—Annual state Farmers' Institute and agricultural Convention, December 7-10.

Cedar Rapids, Ia.—Annual Meeting El Kahir Temple, Nobles of Mystic Shrine, Dec. 9.

New Orleans, Ia.—Annual Meeting American Historical Society and American Economical Society, Dec. 28 January 1.

OPEN RATE, ONE AND ONE-THIRD FARE.

Des Moines, Iowa.—Annual Convention Iowa State Teachers' Association, December 28-31.

OPEN RATE OF ONE FARE PLUS \$2.00

Home-seekers' Excursions West, South, South-east and South-west, Dec. 1 and 15, January 5 and 19, Feb. 2 and 16, March 1 and 15, April 5 and 19.

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