

City and Vicinity.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES AT AUSTIN

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Milk Train and St. Paul Local Passenger leave St. Paul Saturday at 6:00 p.m.; arrives at Austin at 10:03 p.m. Leaves Austin Monday at 6:00 a.m.

No. 1 and 4 carry St. Louis sleepers and Kansas City coaches; Chicago sleepers from Marshalltown and Waterloo.

No. 122, 123, 124 and 125 do not carry passengers. G. W. TURNER, A. C. T. Austin.

Write it 1888 now. Monday was a pleasant day. The Lakeside piano beats them all.

Teeth treated and filled at Dr. Peck's Office. Everybody is buying the Lakeside organ.

The best of Bulk oysters at New England Bakery. See the lunch counter at the New England Bakery.

Dr. Macdonald moved into his new office Monday. Have you tried the Chime cigar at E. D. Hoag & Co.'s?

The city schools open for the winter term next Monday. McFadden pays the highest price for hides at Main Street Market.

Teeth put in the same day they are extracted, at Dr. Peck's Office. All special orders receive prompt attention at New England Bakery.

Choice meats, poultry, game and fish at McFadden's Main street market. Have you seen that set of teeth that work by machinery at Dr. Peck's office?

S. Alderson makes the finest cream candy in the city, and it is always fresh too. A business meeting of the Ladies' Floral Club, at the Library, Jan. 10, at 3 p. m.

Teeth extracted without pain by the use of Nitrous Oxide Gas at Dr. Peck's Office. Highest price paid for beef, pork, chickens and turkeys, at Main Street Market

Go to Dr. Peck's office and get your teeth extracted without pain by the use of Nitrous Oxide Gas. Fairbanks & Leonard will pay for unsalted butter 22 cents per pound in groceries or 20 cents cash.

The five-cent bus is as regular as a clock. Ran right along during those stormy days without a stop. Spring Valley Mercury: Miss Hannah Hardsley, niece of Mrs. W. M. Strong, is visiting in Austin this week.

The Silver Leaf flour is made from hard northern wheat and is simply immense. FAIRBANKS & LEONARD. People got out again Monday and showed some signs of life. Not entirely buried by the snow storms of last week.

Spring Valley Mercury: A. R. Burleson and wife spent their Christmas in Austin with their daughter, Mrs. Smith. Eighteen couple attended the Merry Makers' party last Thursday evening at Tryon's Hotel, and enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

The weary and woe-begone expression of the dyspeptic is soon changed into one of health and hilarity by using Laxador. It only costs 25c. People's Press: Prof. Rankin and wife and Miss Sherwood, a sister of Mrs. Rankin, are spending the holidays with relatives in Duluth.

Last Friday was a glorious day for snow. Couldn't see two blocks, and part of the time it was difficult to see even across the street. Mandeville's bus horn sounded right along, regular, all through those stormy days last week. That bus is a good thing and deserves to be patronized.

The proprietors of Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain, will pay a large reward if any certificate published by them is not found genuine. Preston Times: Mr. H. Skyberg and Miss Anna Skyberg from Grand Meadow are visiting their sister and brother-in-law Mrs. E. A. Powell this week.

Winter millinery, Felt Hats, Toboggan caps, Fancy Feathers and winter ribbons, at a great reduction and cheaper than ever at Mrs. L. Haney's. 2w41 Will close my store at 7.30 p. m., except Saturdays, commencing January 2. McBride, The Grocer. When your child is suffering, give it Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup, which will by its one relieve and permanently cure by its soothing action. Price 25 cts.

Be sure to get a Lakeside piano or organ. The test of the water works begun yesterday will be completed to-day.

Married, on Monday, December 26, at the Episcopal church by the rector of the Parish, Lottie Eyre to Robert F. Dudgeon.

For a good warm ride, try Sachse's bus. The stove is almost a necessity this weather. Leave orders at the Fleck House.

Are you weak and weary, overworked and tired? Hood's Sarsaparilla is just the medicine to purify your blood and give you strength.

The night passenger west on the Southern Minnesota road was suspended from Saturday morning to Sunday morning, on account of snow-blockades.

The funeral of Mabel Van Leuven daughter of Editor Van Leuven of the Vidette, took place at Spring Valley Monday. The bereaved family has our sympathy.

P. H. Friend, of Clarinda, Iowa, has rented the new Litchfield building opposite Opera House, and will put in a large stock of clothing about the first of March.

The installation of offices at Fidelity Lodge No. 39, W. F. & A. M., passed off pleasantly and in due form. D. A. W. Allen was duly initiated into the mysteries of masonry.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Missionary Society will be held with Mrs. J. F. Cook next Friday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. All are cordially invited to be present.

There will be services at the Episcopal church next Sunday at 10:30 a. m., subject, "Go Work in my Vineyard." At 7:00 p. m., subject, "The Holy Innocents." P. B. Peabody, Rector.

Winnona Herald: Miss Esther Royce resigned her position as teacher and returned to her home in Austin on Saturday. Miss Ackerly, of New York, succeeds her as teacher.

Regular communication of Fidelity lodge A. F. & A. M. to-night at Masonic Hall. There will be work in the second degree, and all the fraternity cordially invited to be present.

W. G. Fuller has erected a toboggan slide near his skating rink. It is a very good shoot those who have tried it. Have to moderate the weather a little Mr. Fuller, before we can slide.

Spring Valley Mercury: Miss Schillinger, one of the teachers in the La Crosse city schools, formerly a teacher at Brownsdale, is spending the holidays with Miss Nellie Northrup, of Racine.

People's Press: Miss Alpha Finley, of Owatonna, went to Austin on the afternoon train Wednesday. She goes to assist her sister, Mrs. D. H. Skinner, of Austin, who is sick with dyspepsia.

The annual meeting of the State Firemen's Association will be held at Albert Lea Jan. 10. Chief of Fire Department Makepeace has received an invitation to be present with a full delegation.

A measurement of the water mains last week, shows that there has been laid this fall just 14 rods over four and a half miles of pipe. The official report and measurement may be expected before long.

McBride, the grocer, closes his store at 7:30 p. m., instead of 9:30 as it appeared in the TRANSCRIPT last week. Make a note of it, and if you want groceries, be sure and call for them before 7:30 in the evening.

Some of the school boys do not like the weather much, declare that if school was in session the weather would be good. It is too bad that the boys have such bad weather in which to enjoy their school vacation.

P. H. Friend, from Clarinda, Iowa, has rented Mr. Litchfield's new store and intends putting in a new stock of clothing and gents' furnishing goods, about March 1. Not necessary to say a large and fine stock. The people of Austin and vicinity can tell when it arrives.

The First National Bank gets out a very neat calendar for 1888, showing a very accurate cut of its banking building, giving the names of its officers, etc. We have received a number of calendars for 1888, but the First National Calendar is by far the neatest of any that has come to our table yet.

I. Taylor was tearing around at a great rate last week, wanting to get a hundred pounds of pumpkin seeds. Going to plant them on that new farm he bought of R. O. Hall. It wouldn't take much work to raise a crop of pumpkins he thought. Mr. Taylor is a dandy farmer, you bet.

People's Press: Mr. Frank Meehan left on the night train last Sunday to attend his brother, Rozelle Meehan, who is very ill in New Orleans. Rozelle Meehan will be remembered as one of the graduates of the class of '85 from the Owatonna High School, who went south about one year ago hoping to recover his health.

By some hook or crook our old machine got on a rampage last week and made us say that Fairbanks & Leonard would pay "25 cents in trade, or 30 cents in cash for unsalted butter. We have the old machine under control again this week, and make her talk straight. The price paid is 22 cents in trade, or 20 cents in cash. You will take notice now and govern yourselves accordingly.

Christmas Entertainment. The Christmas tree at the Woodson school house Monday evening December 26, proved a success, Santa Claus being present. The little folks acquitted themselves with credit in carrying out the literary programme, after which the presents were distributed. All present received a generous bag of pop-corn, nuts and candies.

J. B. Leverich has closed his connection as secretary with the Austin Mutual Live Stock Insurance Company, and his place is taken by J. W. Lobb.

Married—Garr-Babeock. In Austin, January 2, by Rev. W. E. Stanley, J. W. Garr, of Freeborn county, and Miss Ida L. Babeock, of Mower county.

The new officers of the R. R. Mission Sunday School for 1888, are: Supt. H. S. Hart; Assistant Supt. H. Fredrickse; Sec. R. Beecher; Treas. Mrs. Lowry; organist, Clara Miller, and Mrs. Campbell chorister.

Dr. Macdonald moved into his new office in C. L. West's new building Monday, and is now ready for work there. He has a splendid location and will be able to accommodate his large practice there in fine shape. We wish the doctor a happy new year in his new office.

Section Foreman H. Wagner, was run over between Adams and Rose Creek last Friday. He was walking upon the track, and the snow and wind was so blinding that he did not see or hear the train until it was upon him. He was picked up and brought to Austin Friday evening and died Saturday morning.

The Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company of Mower County met in the court house yesterday afternoon and elected the following officers: J. J. Furlong, president; G. Seebach, treasurer and R. Eckford secretary. J. J. Furlong, G. Seebach, R. Eckford, J. J. Hunt, Daniel Williams, Hans Hanson, John Schroeder, Jonas Haney and H. W. Lightly were elected directors.

Mr. Brown, an employe at the round house, was severely injured Monday morning. He was holding a door open while a snow plow was passing out, and was caught between the plow and the door, and crushed so severely that the blood oozed from his nose and mouth. Mr. Brown was moved from Wells about two months ago, and was also married about that time. He is severely injured, though we hope not dangerously.

The annual meeting of the State Agricultural Society will convene at St. Paul next Tuesday, January 10, 1888, at 10 o'clock a. m. Each county or district society is entitled to three delegates. Let Mower county be represented at this meeting by three good men. The annual reports of the officers will be received, a president and two vice presidents elected for one year, and two managers to serve three years. Practical lectures on agricultural topics will be an attractive feature of the meeting. Supt. O. C. Gregg, of the State Farmers' Institutes, is also expected to be present with his corps of workers.

The annual meeting of the Congregational society will be held at the church to-morrow (Thursday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. At this meeting reports of committees of the various departments of the church work will be read, and officers elected as follows: a clerk vice, A. W. Wright; treasurer vice, N. F. Banfield; two deacons vice, H. Frederickse and G. C. Adams; two members of pastoral committee vice, O. W. Shaw and A. P. Kirkland; and two trustees vice, Dr. Hollister and C. L. West. All members of the church and all others who feel an interest in the society are cordially invited to be present.

The Band of Hope entertainment last Saturday was quite a success, notwithstanding the bad roads and severe snow storm. The hall was comfortably warm and the exercises unusually good. The refreshments furnished by the W. C. T. U. indicated how willing they were to assist in keeping up the interest of the organization. Pop-corn balls and apples were freely donated by the groceries. If the temperance people of the country were half as zealous workers as these children or half as faithful to their pledges we should not have to wait till the young, now being educated, shall "rally" round the ballot box" before seeing the final victory of the temperance crusade.

The following article from the St. Paul Farmer well illustrates the value of farmers institutes. Do not neglect the one to be held in Austin: Traveling men are proverbially quick to comprehend the situation of affairs wherever they may be placed. They have no time to beat around the bush but go direct to the heart of matters. And they are blunt of speech as well. These three characteristics were well illustrated at Sauk Center the other day. The writer was sitting in a hotel awaiting the hour for the opening of the institute. Near him were three traveling men, at present collecting on over-due farmers' paper given for machinery. They were talking over the bad luck met with in that particular locality. Finally the institute poster attracted attention. They saw that a session was to open that day and the least experienced of the group remarked, "There boys, will be a good place to see our men and save a trip into the country." "O, h—l!" said one of riper experience, "it ain't our kind of men that attend institutes. When you find a man beginning to think and theorize about his business enough to go to a farmer's institute you will see a man who either don't buy on time or who provides for taking care of his paper when it is due." "Yes," said the third, "we are more likely to see our men sitting around the groceries and saloons." With out particularly intending it, these men had paid the institute one of the highest compliments possible. Thrift follows a thorough knowledge of one's business, and the institute is a dispenser of farm knowledge.

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PERSONAL MENTION. J. M. Ozier, from Iowa, was visiting Austin friends last week.

Miss Gertie Ellis has returned to Omaha to resume her school duties. Mrs. Geo. Burnham will return from her Blooming Prairie visit Friday.

Miss Edna Comstock, sister of Mrs. S. S. Washburn, is visiting in the city. D. A. McFadden has been slightly indisposed of late, but is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert French were the guests of Dr. Gibson during the holidays. Charley Cook is a full fledged man now, having celebrated his 21st birthday last week.

G. W. Holt, employed at Engle's mill, has been taking a lay-off during the holidays. Miss Carrie Manning had a week's vacation and spent Christmas and New Year's at home. Miss Fannie Gies will return to Spring Valley Saturday, her school beginning next Monday.

Mrs. T. D. McFadden visited friends at Waverly, Iowa, last week, returning Sunday morning. Mrs. Nicks, of Dubuque, Iowa, a relative of Mrs. Joseph Keenan, is visiting Austin friends this week.

P. H. Friend, of Clarinda, Iowa, was in the city last week looking up a location for a clothing house. Will Holt has been promoted from wiper at the round-house, and now has charge of the boiler house.

E. D. Hoag went to Mason City Monday to make arrangements for bread while he is fixing up his bakery. Miss Clara and Fanny Gies went up to Owatonna last Thursday to visit a few days with friends at that place.

Jim Whitton was down from Minneapolis last week, visiting his brother Clarence. He returned home Monday. Miss Belle Horrobin went to Monona, Iowa, Monday in company with her uncle, T. J., to visit her grandfather.

Mrs. J. W. Shelby, of Monona, Iowa, daughter of Ald. Beiseker, has been spending a week with relatives and friends. Julius Johnson took a two week's lay-off from his duties at Engle's mill to visit his parents and celebrate the holidays.

Miss Etta B. Mahan went to Mason City Monday afternoon to attend a New Year's reception. She expects to return about Saturday. Miss C. Belle Hunkins, teaching at Paulina, Iowa, has been at home during the holidays. She will return to her school to-morrow or next day.

Lon Hollister, who has been "rallying" around the scenes of his boyhood's "uselessness" for a week past, returned to his duty at Morris, Minn., Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Giles went to Chatfield Saturday, accompanied by Mr. Giles' sister, who had been visiting them. Mr. and Mrs. Giles returned Monday.

Rebecca Johnson and Ella Hunt, of Waltham, Miss Sutton, of Rose Creek, and Miss Myra Maxwell, of Austin, returned to the Winnona Normal Tuesday. R. E. Shepherd visited St. Paul Friday, and consequently missed the pleasure of Friday's hunt. Not much of a loss however, considering the state of the weather.

Lewis Johnson, who used to work for Ames at the Foundry, but for two years past has been living at Minneapolis, has returned to Austin to live, and is with Ames again. Calvin Decker left Tuesday for his home in Sioux Falls. He has been making a pleasant visit at the old home and regaining his strength during the last few weeks in Austin.

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CHAUTAQUA. The next meeting of the North Star Circle will be held with Mrs. Taylor, next Monday evening, at 7:30 sharp. Program for the evening as follows:

1. Roll call.—Quotations from Bryant, Whittier or Poe, the circle to tell from which author each quotation is taken.

2. History Lesson, chapters 25 and 26, Mrs. Taylor.

3. Literary lesson, pages 197 to 200—Miss Case.

4. Music—Miss Harvey.

5. Physiology and Hygiene—Mrs. Washburn.

6. Reading—S. D. Catherwood.

7. Paper—Comparison of "Snow Bound," by Whittier, with "The Cotter's Saturday Night," by Burns, and "Winter Evening," in "The Task," by Cooper.—Mrs. Gibson.

8. Table Talk: The Preamble and Article I of the Constitution, led by Mrs. Woodsum.

Let every one be present on time as the meeting will be called promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

COMMON COUNCIL. Called meeting December 29, 1887. Present—Hon. Mayor French, Aldermen Beiseker, Davidson, Day, Knox and Lovell.

Meeting called for the purpose of making provision for the payment of contract price of city water works.

Resolved by Alderman Davidson that (\$12,000) Thirteen Thousand Dollars in city warrants be issued to the National Iron and Brass Works, of Dubuque, Iowa, City Water Works contractors, to draw interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum. Said warrants payable on receipt of the money from sale of water works bonds. Also (\$5,000) Five Thousand Dollars to draw interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum. This issue of \$18,000 to apply on contract of E. Smedley with city for putting in Water Works. Balance of amount as shall be found due on contract to be issued immediately on completion of final test. The 8 per cent. warrants to be issued in denominations of \$1,000 each, and to be dated December 15, 1887, and the 6 per cent. warrants in \$500.00 each.

The Mayor and City Recorder to issue said warrants. Carried. On motion the Council adjourned to Friday evening, December 30, 1887.

J. H. MAKEPEACE, City Recorder.

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For Sale. The oldest and best furniture and undertaking business in Mower county is offered for sale at a low figure. Reason for selling, ill health. Address S. C. Olson, Austin, Minn.

For Sale. Four new milch cows. Inquire of A. Milbrad, 6 miles east of Austin.

Dr. Hollister wishes to inform the public that he has opened an office, furnished with all the modern appliances of medicine and surgery, on Bridge street, in Richards & Friederich's new block, opposite the Court House. Office hours from 9 to 10 a. m. and 1 to 2 p. m. W. L. HOLLISTER, M. D.

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