



BROWNSDALE

C. M. & ST. P. TIME TABLE AT BROWNSDALE.

No. 23, passenger, westbound, 2:51 p. m.
 No. 1 passenger, westbound, 11:51 p. m.—midnight.
 No. 23, passenger, eastbound, 11:37 a. m.—noon.
 No. 8, passenger, eastbound, 7:23 p. m.
 No. 91, freight, westbound, 4:10 p. m.
 No. 90, freight, eastbound, 7:30 a. m.

Miss Edna Sleeper returned on Wednesday from a seven weeks visit in St. Paul and Minneapolis and Lake Minnetonka.
 Miss Nellie Miller of Grand Meadow has been visiting her sister Mrs. Merritt Bates.
 Mrs. DeCantillon is reported as improved since her recent illness.

CARD OF THANKS.

To all friends and neighbors who so kindly and sympathetically assisted us during the illness and death of our dear father and for the floral emblems, we wish to extend our heartfelt thanks.
 Mrs. Charles Sleeper.
 Mrs. Henry Woodward.
 Mr. U. S. Gillett.

ADAMS.

Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 11 Mrs. A. J. Qualee gave a Kindergarten party for her three grandchildren, Ruth Evangeline and Arthur Orlando Lampland of St. Paul and Arthur Willard Mielke of Danville, Illinois. Fourteen little folks were invited to the party to enjoy games and at 5 o'clock a dainty lunch was served.
 Children playing with matches is said to be the cause of Fred King's barn taking fire last week Friday. Part of the building was saved.
 Nordeen Torgerson and William Krebsbach have gone to Mankato, Rochester and Winona on an auto trip.
 Louis Klema with the Galvanized Steel Cupola Co., of Owatonna formerly of this place, was here last week for a short stay.
 R. E. Crane was over from Grand Meadow last Tuesday.
 Miss Isabelle Krebsbach is home from her visit at Heron Lake.
 The Adams Social Club will give a dance in Sabel's hall Friday, 21st. Music by the Spring Valley Singing Harp orchestra.
 Rev. Myhre left by auto for Windom to visit friends.
 Edward Howells arrived last week from Spokane to join Mrs. Howells who has been with her relatives.
 Ed. Johnson came down from Mabel, Minn., to see his parents at home.

CONCORD.

The Misses Emma Steffensen and Frieda Hertle are visiting at the Charles Deal home in Taopi.
 Chris Stobalk Jr., returned from Illinois Tuesday. His cousin returned with him for a visit.
 Martin Hansens are entertaining company from Clinton, Ia. They made the trip by auto.
 Mrs. L. Hackett is entertaining a sister from Bloomington Ill.
 Wm. Hertle Jr. returned to Taopi Sunday evening.
 Wm. L. Kelley's are entertaining company from Iowa.
 The regular meeting of Concord Grange was held Wednesday evening. After a short business meeting a program was given and Prof. W. L. French gave a fine talk on Soil. Refreshments of sandwiches and fruit were served.
 Threshing is the order of the day. Harry Christensen who was so badly hurt in a runaway is reported improving.
 The ball game between Maple City and Concord resulted in a score of 1 to 9 in favor of Maple City. Batteries, Maple City, Christgau, Fairbanks and Gomer. Concord, Brugger and Hertle.

DEXTER.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reed, Jr., a baby boy, Aug. 16th.
 Miss Lillian Kramer returned Saturday evening from Blooming Prairie where she visited her brother Charlie.
 Mrs. J. C. Vermilyea and sons, Chas. and Stanley are visiting relatives at Elgin, Minn.
 Rev. Ellen Cox, preached at the Congregational church Sunday. She leaves Sept. 1st for England.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lewis spent Sunday at the J. B. Vermilyea home.
 Carl Krueger and bride arrived home Saturday evening from a visit at Minnesota Lake. A crowd was at the depot to greet them and escorted them to their new finely furnished home on N. Main Street where a reception was held. Friends presented them with a fine table and aluminum set. Mr. Krueger recently purchased the general merchandise stock of C. J. Dickens and will now conduct the business for himself.
 Dr. G. J. Schottler and family expect to leave this week for Winona to attend the Medical meeting the 20th and 21st. From there they will go to Milwaukee and Darien, Wis., for a week's stay. They will go by auto.

CONSTIPATION CAUSES SICKNESS.

Don't permit yourself to become constipated, as your system immediately begins to absorb poison from the backed-up waste matter. Use Dr. King's New Life Pills and keep well. There is no better safeguard against illness. Just take one dose to-night. 25c at your Druggist.—adv.

LANSING

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Nina McLean Thursday afternoon. An agent has asked to give a demonstration on the Wear-Ever aluminum ware to the ladies that afternoon and it is expected he will be present.

Mrs. James De Young of University Park, Ia., was a guest at S. H. Vaughan's last Wednesday.

Mrs. Minnie Matlack returned from Winnebago last Monday and visited at D. H. Johnson's Brownsdale Thursday.

Miss Manda Balstorf returned home Monday from her stay at Mrs. Frank Snyder's.

Mrs. E. A. Heimke enjoyed a visit from her mother and sister Pearl of Grafton, Ia., also Miss Johnson of Clear Lake Ia., on Thursday and Friday.

Tom Hunter of Lime Springs Ia., visited his brother Geo. Hunter Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Hanson entertained on Sunday the following from Austin: Mr. and Mrs. F. H. McCulloch, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Furney, Mrs. Waterman and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Edson.

Joe Gabriel was up from Austin Sunday and went to Blooming Prairie Monday to work.

Mrs. E. Summy, Mrs. Bloss, Mrs. Sanford and daughter and Miss Veta Johnson were dinner guests at J. H. Smith's Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Brady gave a good spiritual talk at the church Sabbath afternoon. At the same services Mrs. Matlack of Chicago sang a hymn as a solo in a pleasing voice.

On the Sabbath August 30th Rev. W. E. Risinger of St. Paul will preach at the church in the afternoon and evening. Remember the date and all come out so as to give him a full house. Rev. Risinger is director of Sabbath School and Young People's work of this state.

Harry Place and son Chas. returned to Independence Ia., Saturday. Oliver Place went to J. H. Smith's on Monday to assist in farm work.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Cummings and Elna and Harold plan to leave for Hartley, Ia., Thursday for a two weeks visit.

Dr. and Mrs. Vavruska and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bowers were 6 o'clock dinner guests at H. B. Roe's last Tuesday. In the evening the ladies including Mesdames Roe and Dickerson were favored with an auto ride in the doctor's car.

Mrs. Mary Carl enjoyed a visit from her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bartlett and daughter of Pasadena, Cal., Thursday and Friday. Mr. Bartlett who was 81 years old on Sunday was a former resident of Lansing. They are making quite an extended trip coming here from Otter Tail Co., and going to Spring Green Wis., Friday to visit relatives before returning to California.

Albert Harding began work at Leonard Hopfe's Monday.

Gus Wehinger and Oliver Place attended M. E. church services in Austin Sunday.

Mrs. M. Thompson and Stella visited Mrs. H. Hunt of Waltham the last of the week.

Clinton LaBar is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. LaBar.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rector and Hazle Irene went out to Ira Rector's Monday.

Welthea McLean is visiting Mrs. E. McLean at Brownsdale.

Walter Gallagher and family went to Brownsdale Sunday morning where Mr. Gallagher occupied the pulpit in place of Rev. Williamson who is away on a vacation.

Joe Cerney and the Misses Addie Wiseman and Edith Carl accompanied Elmer Stevens to his home in Taopi Sunday.

Leonard Hopfe has purchased from his brother Elmer Hopfe what is known as the Dr. Hollister farm just south of town. Consideration \$115.00 an acre.

The Misses Louise and Hazle Johnson and Evelyn Decker visited at H. Lyon's the last of the week.

Geo. Weber and son-in-law Wm. King of Waterloo, Ia., were up from Austin Saturday and out to the farm.

August Anderson went to Taopi Saturday evening where he visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Avery returning Monday morning.

Mrs. A. Wiseman returned from Austin Saturday. Grandma Fuller is on the gain and able to sit up a short time.

The frame of the new barn 40x60 for A. E. Beadell is now up and will soon be enclosed.

Alec Lewicki returned from Oil City, Pa., Saturday.

Emma Miller was up from Austin to spend Sunday at home.

Mrs. Matt Ulwelling returned to Austin Sunday.

A high wind and rain Saturday evening blew down some windmills and the tops off from grain stacks.

Mrs. H. S. Hammond was a dinner guest of Mrs. H. R. Roe last Tuesday.

On Monday the Rasmussen Bros. finished a ten weeks' job of tiling for H. B. Roe.

LYLE CENTER.

The rain Saturday night settled the dust and refreshed things very nicely.

Miss Rose Beadle was quite sick the latter part of last week and the first of this week with pleuresy but is getting better now.

Mr. James came up from Sheffield, Iowa last Friday to look after his threshing.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Hotson are entertaining relatives from Dakota.

Nina Campbell returned to her home Sunday after spending a couple of months with Mrs. Andrew Ault-father.

Mr. and Mrs. Hicks of Dows, Iowa and Mr. and Mrs. Starnar of Woodbury took dinner at Mrs. Vesta's Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Hicks were visiting their son George who is staying with Fred Vest this summer.

R. E. Crane called on several of the farmers in this neighborhood last week.

LE ROY.

Mrs. Walter Whiteside of Austin came down last Wednesday to visit her parents. Mrs. Lundberg came with her.

About two hundred attended the clerks' picnic last Tuesday. Forty came over from Stewartville. The picnic was held in Anderson's pasture along the river and a day of fun and frolic was enjoyed by the large crowd. Stewartville won the ball game and Le Roy carried the honors in the tug-of-war. The Le Roy Cadet band furnished music for the day. The company paraded through Main street after supper and later went to the opera house to dance. Dr. Day welcomed the guests to Le Roy and Mr. Ballard of Stewartville responded.

We are pleased to see Mrs. F. L. Roy home again. She has been at the Cresco hospital.

Miss Lillian Erickson of Fountain is a guest at her brother Elmer's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boyd have returned home to Livermore, Ia., after a stay among old friends here.

Mrs. Lura Lowe of Marshall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wells is enjoying a visit at their home.

Mrs. A. G. Diddams of Stewartville is entertaining her sister Mrs. Hodges of Stewartville.

Dr. and Mrs. Rounce of Minneapolis are renewing acquaintance here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Anderson and two daughters left Wednesday for Omaha, Neb., and other places.

Prof. M. W. Bewick wife and baby arrived in Le Roy Wednesday. The former will have charge of the agricultural department of our school.

F. P. Lambert a former resident now of Hereford, Texas is in town.

Roy Reynolds a twin brother of Roy came over from Mankato with his wife to spend a week.

Francis Meyers, 12 years old, departed Tuesday for Sherwood, Ore., where he will visit an uncle. His mother went as far as the cities with him.

Mrs. Culver will entertain the Ladies Missionary society of the Presbyterian church Friday 21st. Miss Elizabeth Hornel of Austin who recently returned from a trip around the world will be present. The meeting will be one of interest.

SUMMER CONSTIPATION DANGEROUS.

Constipation in Summer-time is more dangerous than in the fall, winter or spring. The food you eat is often contaminated and is more likely to ferment in your stomach. Then you are apt to drink much cold water during the hot weather, thus injuring your stomach. Colic, Fever, Ptomaine Poisoning and other ills are natural results. Po-Do-Lax will keep you well, as it increases the bile, the natural laxative, which rids the bowels of the congested poisonous waste. Po-Do-Lax will make you feel better. Pleasant and effective. Take a dose to-night. 50c at your Druggist.—adv.

BLOOMING PRAIRIE.

Chas. Treat Jr. went to Fairbault Monday to have an operation for appendicitis. Dr. Dailey went with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kruekerberg gave a dinner party Sunday evening to a large company of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Rask and daughter, Mrs. A. C. Thomas of St. Paul and Mrs. George Thomas spent Sunday in Austin.

Wm. Wencel left Tuesday for Brockton, N. D., to work during harvest. Henry P. Johnson went to Lawton also to work the season.

Mrs. P. K. Dock and son were over from Albert Lea Monday and Tuesday.

Sam Seavey has returned from an extended visit thru Ohio, Michigan, Vermont, New Hampshire and New York. He was rather disappointed in the farming conditions in the New England states. Many farms are lying idle and can be bought for almost nothing and are practically without value. Many places they are turning their attention to fruit in which they are quite successful, although insects are doing much harm. Mr. Seavey reports a pleasant trip. He was accompanied on the trip by Norman Carl. George Dawes came home with Mr. Seavey from Pittsfield Wis.

Misses Bada Vaith, Peterina Peterson, Agnes Paulson, Rena Johnson, Vera and Erlis Vollherr and Messrs. Edward Paulson, Edward Baach, Jenning Johnson, Ralph Robinson and Arthur Paulson went to Austin Saturday to see Zula Fairbanks and Lafayette park.

Ed Ingvalin, Kastor Hanson, Clara Johnson and Grace Peterson, Olga Hjelm and Cora Klemesrud are attending the Luther League convention in Austin.

A baby girl arrived at the Hans Nelson home last Saturday.

Miss Etta Kennedy left last week for her home in St. Louis Mo., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Hart.

A dancing party was given in her honor at the opera house by Mr. and Mrs. Hart.

Mrs. Floy Driscoll, Mrs. Robert Ward, Mrs. E. Anderson and Miss Mabel Getman visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Dennis at Lansing between trains Wednesday.

Mrs. Martin and son Ward are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Weber in Austin.

The Sunshin Society was entertained Saturday afternoon 15th at the Ben Johnson home south of town.

Mrs. Sam Peterson of St. Paul arrived Monday to visit her daughter, Mrs. A. A. Peterson.

SUMMER COUGHS ARE DANGEROUS.

Summer colds are dangerous. They indicate low vitality and often lead to serious Throat and Lung Troubles, including Consumption. Dr. King's New Discovery will relieve the cough or cold promptly and prevent complications. It is soothing and antiseptic and makes you feel better at once. To delay is dangerous—get a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery at once. Money back if not satisfied. 50c and \$1.00 bottles at your Druggist.—adv.

LYLE.

Rev. Moe has returned from a few weeks' visit his parents in South Dakota.

Harry DeLaney has rented a farm near London and will there make his home. He has let the farm and will run a barber shop in London.

Mrs. W. L. Cole was a Fort Dodge caller last week.

The Misses Lucille Cole and Harriett Patterson and Henry Volstad were among those who attended the ball game at Austin Sunday.

Miss Marie Abrahams of Chicago is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Osmond Johnson.

Lyle is to have motion pictures twice a week, commencing the middle of September.

Mrs. Oliver Anderson of Wahoo, Nebraska is visiting Lyle friends.

Matilda Anderson went to Cedar Falls Thursday for a visit.

Mrs. Thompson of Clear Lake, Iowa has returned to her home after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Patterson.

George Hartson has improved his residence by putting in a good foundation.

Miss Julia Anderson has been spending a few days in the cities selecting her winter stock of Millinery.

Chas. E. Field was a Lyle caller Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. John Knutson and children are visiting in Cedar Falls, Iowa.

Mrs. G. Robertson and Etta of Austin and Mrs. Prazar and Miss May of Osage attended Ladies Aid at the A. J. Aultfather home last week Thursday.

A new fire escape is being put on the Summer school.

The seats and desks are being placed in the new Whittier and Webster school.

Miss Fern Wise has resigned as teacher of the sixth and seventh grade of the Franklin building and has accepted a position as instructor of normal training at Lanesboro.

Miss Hanson, the school nurse has resigned her position in our schools on account of the illness of her mother at Irwin, Ia., Miss Hanson has done a very excellent work here but has decided not to accept her resignation at this time but to give her a leave of absence.

MAPLE CITY.

The Trinity Lutheran church will hold their annual mission festival on Sunday August 30 with services both morning and afternoon. Rev. J. Bergholz of North La Crosse and Rev. H. Paustian of West Salem will be present on this occasion.

Mrs. Albert Vonderau and daughter Anita and Mrs. Irving Tressler of Ft. Wayne, Indiana are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Proeschel.

Miss Minnie Kehe spent Sunday with relatives in Albert Lea.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Christgau spent Sunday in Grand Meadow.

The base ball team secured a victory from the Concord boys Sunday afternoon, score 9-15.

INFECTION AND INSECT BITES DANGEROUS.

Mosquitoes, flies and other insects, which breed quickly in garbage pails, ponds of stagnant water, barns, swill places, etc., are carriers of disease. Every time they bite you they inject poison into your system from which some dread disease may result. Get a bottle of Sloan's Lintiment. It is antiseptic and a few drops will neutralize the infection caused by insect bites or rusty nails. Sloan's Lintiment disinfects Cuts, Bruises and Sores. You cannot afford to be without it in your home. Money back if not satisfied. Only 25c at your Druggist.—adv.

WALTHAM.

Elenora Ziemer went to Austin Thursday, returning Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Garbish went to Fort Dodge, Ia., Thursday evening.

The party held at Gertrude Krueger's home Sunday evening was much enjoyed by all present.

G. H. Glove of Dodge Center was a caller at the Garbish home Sunday.

Misses Lenore and Martha Richardson were callers in Austin Friday. A surprise party was held at the Shiller home Wednesday evening. The event being Rosella's 15th birthday.

The mission was held at the St. Michaels church Sunday. Rev. Nemeshe of Niagara Falls, N. Y. preached the sermon both forenoon and afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Elke, Mr. and Mrs. Brandt and son, Lloyd, drove up from Teotorville, Ia., in their car, Saturday afternoon, returning Sunday evening, while here they were the guests of Mrs. M. Bolgren.

The wind did considerable damage around here Saturday evening. Four trees were broken down in F. C. Garbish's yard, L. Nemitz's silo was partly blown down and many stacks of grain and hay were blown to pieces.

OAKLAND.

Chauncey Davison of Kansas City, has been visiting at the Gurdavison home.

The Baptists, at their aid society at the church Thursday took in ten dollars.

The Presbyterians took in \$19.20 at their social in the church the 11th of August.

The Presbyterian Young People will hold a social at Mr. Bergstroms Saturday, Sept. 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Bird spent Sunday at the Roulston home.

Miss Lucy Bennett has returned from a four weeks' visit in South Dakota.

Anna Laird spent last week in Austin the guest of Josephine Harris.

The Presbyterian Young People will hold a social at Eugene Lowry's Saturday night the 22nd.

The Lightly Brothers have purchased the Purcell farm near Oakland for \$100.00 per acre. They take possession November 1st.

The C. C. C. girls club of the Baptist church held in the church Friday night and cleared over nine dollars.

The lightning struck and set fire to one of Elmer Berg's grain stacks

Saturday night and the neighbors worked for several hours to save the other stacks from being destroyed.

The wind damaged James Bennett's silo.

Threshing from the shock is nearly finished around here.

The M. E. Sunday school will hold a social at Will Reynolds's tonight.

The Aid society of the Baptist church will hold a social at C. L. Freeman's Friday, 21st. A program will be given. Ice cream and cake also coffee and sandwiches will be served. All are invited.

Francis Meany and Jean Herzog of Austin spent Wednesday here.

Joseph Srp who left some time ago for Bohemia was last heard from at Hamburg, Germany and his relatives are unable to get any news from him. It is thought that he has been taken into the German army.

Nora Barr visited Mabel Rhein Thursday.

VARCO.

Walter Styles and Avery Hall spent Sunday with friends near Corning.

Mrs. Chas. Conley who has spent the past ten days visiting friends returned home Tuesday morning accompanied as far as St. Paul, by her brother, Fay Pratt.

Mrs. A. A. Hickok and daughter, Nina are visiting friends in Le Roy.

Mrs. Norma King-Johnson, granddaughter of Mrs. A. L. Pratt, arrived in Austin from California Saturday morning.

Mrs. Chas. Bronnett and children, who have been spending the past three weeks visiting relatives near Duluth, are expected home this week.

The Happy Thought club will be entertained at the home of Adam Duerst in Lyle township Thursday, August 20. All are cordially invited.

At the Grange Friday night there was a good attendance to enjoy a fine program. The next meeting is Aug. 28, and will be a watermelon social and a fine program.

Miss Nora Brooks of Austin visited friends here last week.

Miss Nora Connor of Hume, N. D., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. P. Parmenter.

Miss Minnie Nickels has returned to Austin after a week's stay with her sister, Mrs. Arle Parmenter. She left yesterday for Redfield, S. D.

SARGEANT.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Martin visited a few days at Henry Grimms last week.

Miss Myrtle Johnson visited at Albert Wegner's of Dexter a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stimson of Grand Meadow visited at B. Schwartz'.

Phillip Heydt has bought part of the south elevator and is moving it out on his farm.

Mrs. Geo. Johnson of Brownsdale visited at the W. S. Johnson and E. E. Edward's home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Grimm went to Rochester on Monday for medical treatment for their little daughter.

Miss Emma Schwartz returned from Gladbrook Iowa last week accompanied by her sister Mrs. Oscar Nelson and two daughters who will remain for some time.

Mrs. Henry Grimm entertained a number of ladies in honor of her mother last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McGowan of Brownsdale were Sunday visitors in town.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Nichols were callers at the Kezar home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. John Pful entertained the Ladies Aid Thursday afternoon. A goodly number were in attendance.

H. A. Sargeant of Northfield was down looking after his farm last week.

Sargeant will have a large auction sale on his farm Aug. 27th.

Mrs. F. C. Schwartz and Mrs. Frank Martin were Austin callers last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Sargeant were Stewartville callers Monday.

GRAND MEADOW.

The Relief Corps ladies are giving a series of teas. The third one was given last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Wm. Brown. The hostesses were Mrs. Brown, Mrs. J. Schroeder, Mrs. H. Schroeder, Mrs. G. Conlon, Mrs. C. Skyhawk, Mrs. Wm. Brownell and Mrs. S. Hamilton.

Theo. and Ed. Bratrud and families and Mrs. Schneider spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bratrud at Fountain.

Miss Grace Callan spent last week at the Edw. Gaughen home in Wykoff.

Mrs. W. P. Lewis is assisting at G. T. Torgrimson's store this week while Miss Sarah Lestrud is enjoying a vacation.

Miss Addie Rice has gone to Richardson, N. Dak., to teach school.

Mrs. Van Bronkhorst and son went to Dexter Tuesday and accompanied the doctor home.