

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

The trains on the following roads arrive and depart from the Grand Central depot: Southern Pacific Houston and Texas Central, Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe, Houston East and West Texas, and San Antonio and Arkansas Pass. Trains on the International and Great Northern and the Columbia and Missouri use the International depot, foot of Congress avenue. Trains on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas use the Katy depot, Kansas and Texas use the Katy depot, and the Galveston, La Porte and Houston use the Main Street depot.

HOUSTON AND TEXAS CENTRAL. Main Line. Leave... 9:00 a.m. Arrive... 5:30 p.m. Leave... 11:10 p.m. Arrive... 6:30 p.m. Austin Branch. Leave... 7:30 a.m. Arrive... 12:10 p.m. Southern Pacific. San Antonio Trains. Leave... 9:00 a.m. Arrive... 5:30 p.m. Leave... 11:10 p.m. Arrive... 6:30 p.m. Orleans Trains. Leave... 5:20 a.m. Arrive... 8:45 a.m. Leave... 6:55 p.m. Arrive... 10:20 p.m. Victoria Trains. Leave... 6:25 a.m. Arrive... 4:45 p.m. Missouri, Kansas and Texas. Chicago and Kansas City and St. Louis Trains. Leave... 7:00 a.m. Arrive... 5:30 p.m. Leave... 7:50 p.m. Arrive... 6:30 p.m. Colorado and Santa Fe. Main Line. Leave... 6:55 a.m. Arrive... 9:15 a.m. Leave... 6:55 p.m. Arrive... 9:15 p.m. Galveston Trains. Leave... 7:10 a.m. Arrive... 8:05 a.m. Leave... 9:05 a.m. Arrive... 3:35 p.m. Leave... 1:50 p.m. Arrive... 8:45 p.m. Leave... 1:25 p.m. Arrive... 9:25 p.m. All trains leave the Santa Fe depot 15 minutes later and arrive at that depot 15 minutes earlier than the above time.

McGonnell & Sisson. Railroad & Steamship Ticket Brokers. 411 Main St., (Removed from 204 Houston, Tex.) HOTEL SALGE. AUSTIN, TEXAS. EUROPEAN PLAN. Restaurant Unexcelled in Texas. First Class Bar Attached. THE HOTELS. New Hutchins House. Remodeled and newly furnished. Its appointments are in the State of Texas.

IN THE RAILWAY WORLD.

Over Two Thousand Visitors Arrived on Yesterday's Excursions. SOUTHERN PACIFIC'S THREE TRAINS. Reorganization Plan of the Reading System—American Railway in China. Notes and Persons. Carnival week is here and the initial day brought in 2100 visitors as guests of the Magnolia City, who have come to enjoy and participate in the festival celebration arranged for their benefit by the merchants and public-spirited citizens of Houston. For the first day and considering the fact that the southern many circus-rail excursions yesterday, no arrival of these guests speaks much for the success of the carnival.

READING REORGANIZATION. New York, December 16.—The official plan of reorganization of the Reading system was published today. It is signed by J. E. Moran & Co. of New York, directors of the system. The plan provides for the consolidation of the existing companies into one and successor companies organized under the laws of Pennsylvania and the laws of Pennsylvania, or of some other State. The plan has been approved by the stockholders of the existing companies who will vote on the subject of the consolidation of the system.

A WORD IN YOUR EAR. THE SECRET OF BEAUTY OF the complexion, hands, arms, and hair is found in the perfect action of the Forax, produced by Cuticura SOAP. The most effective skin purifying and beautifying soap in the world, as well as purest and sweetest for toilet, bath, and nursery.

WANT RECEIVER REMOVED.

San Antonio, Texas, December 16.—Wm. Davis and two others, signing themselves as stockholders and creditors, have filed a petition in the Gulf Branch receivership case, asking that Henry Terrel, receiver, be removed. Charges of mismanagement and the breaking of a wheel, and \$24,000 of eight cars were piled across the track. The wreck train left here for the wreck about 2 o'clock yesterday. No one is reported hurt.

SANTA FE FREIGHT WRECKED.

Camerton, Texas, December 15.—North-bound freight No. 34 on the Santa Fe was wrecked two miles this side of Milano Junction at 2:30. The wreck was caused by the breaking of a wheel, and \$24,000 of eight cars were piled across the track. The wreck train left here for the wreck about 2 o'clock yesterday. No one is reported hurt.

RUMORED APPOINTMENT.

St. Joseph, Mo., December 16.—It is generally believed here that W. C. Brown, general manager of the Missouri line of the Harrington system, will succeed W. F. Moore, general manager of the entire Harrington route when the latter retires January 1.

RATE AUTHORITY.

Austin, Texas, December 16.—The St. Louis Southern railroad was today granted authority by the railroad commission to adopt a rate of 75 cents per mile for the route from Austin to San Antonio and return, effective December 17.

PANAMA RAILWAY CONTRACT.

New York, December 16.—President C. P. Huntington, on behalf of the Pacific Mail Steamship company, has signed the contract with the Panama Railway company.

AMONG RAILWAY MEN.

General Agent Horace Booth of the International and Great Northern spent yesterday in Galveston on business and yesterday morning he returned to Houston.

Major J. W. Ford, president of the Galveston, Houston and Texas Central, is today in Galveston looking after the interests of that property on the island.

W. L. Brown, assistant general agent of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, returned yesterday from Galveston, where he was in charge of the freight cars of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, which were used in the wrecking of the Houston East and West Texas line.

General Traffic Manager A. R. DeWitt of the Cotton Belt, headquarters in St. Louis, and General Passenger Agent S. C. Warner of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, returned yesterday from Galveston, where they were in charge of the freight cars of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, which were used in the wrecking of the Houston East and West Texas line.

Arthur DeArmas, the veteran and very popular traveling passenger representative of the International and Great Northern, returned to his headquarters here yesterday and mingled with the boys in ticket box, taking notes on prospective travel eastward for the holidays.

A. L. Bowers, superintendent of bridges and buildings of the International and Great Northern, headquarters in Palestine, returned to his headquarters here yesterday and mingled with the boys in ticket box, taking notes on prospective travel eastward for the holidays.

The Western Passenger association has created the position of auditor and Mr. Rockwell will also be the auditor of the Transcontinental Passenger association.

J. R. Foreman left yesterday for points north on the International and Great Northern, with a goodly supply of literature and any amount of persuasive powers to work for the benefit of the carnival week. The International and Great Northern expects to bring in 2000 excursionists on its trains next Thursday.

City Ticket Agent H. L. Fife of the Southern Pacific and Central returned yesterday from San Antonio, where he went to meet the wife, who arrived with him from El Paso. He made Houston his home. Mr. Fife was formerly ticket agent in El Paso until appointed in his present position on December 1.

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Empty beer packages, returned from the Fort Worth and Denver city railway and Wichita Valley railway, were found in the order of Texas, one-half of class 1.

This order shall take effect December 21, 1895.

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Are cordially invited to make the Big Store, with little prices, their headquarters while in Houston. All are welcome, whether they buy or not. Valises and packages checked free. 50¢ A list of sensible Gifts for Men, Ladies and Boys at 50¢.

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Men's Yacht and Golf Caps 50c Men's Fine Suspenders 50c Men's Large Initial Silk Handkerchiefs 50c Men's Hat Brush 50c Men's Belt Buckles 50c Men's Silk Scarfs 50c Men's Hair Brushes 50c Men's Shirts 50c Men's Ottoman DeJournies 50c Men's Fine Top Gloves 50c Men's Sterling Silver Sleeve Buttons 50c Men's Cashmere Underwear 50c Men's Unadorned Shirts 50c Men's Scarf Pins 50c

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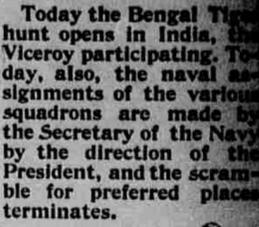
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\$3.50 and \$5.00 Boy's and Children's Overcoats. Special values in new Holiday Garments just received at above price.

\$2.50 and \$3.50 Great values in Boy's Double-Breasted Knee Suits, fine all-wool fabrics, ages 4 to 16, \$3.50 and \$5.

Our All-Wool Knee Suits in Black or Blue Cheviots at these prices—\$3.50 and \$5.00—great values.

Gold or Silver-Trimmed Yacht Caps for Boys, Girls and Children, 50c.

Ladies' Mackintoshes, \$1.75, \$3.00 and \$5.00. Boys' Mackintoshes, \$3.00 and \$5.00. If you consider come to the Carnival, send for KIAM'S Hints for Holiday Gifts. Mailed Free.



\$3.75 Cash for any pair in the store of our \$5 hand-sewed Cordovan French Calf and Patent Calf Shoes, in all styles of Lace and Congress, your choice from any \$3.75.

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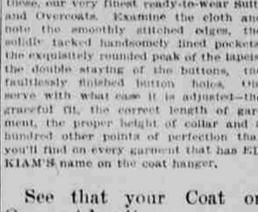
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