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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

St. Paul & Northern Pacific Ry. Co.
Milbank & St. P. Railway.

GOING EAST.	
Daily	12:35 a. m.
Daily except Sunday	10:30 a. m.
Daily except Sunday	1:35 p. m.

GOING WEST.	
Daily	3:25 a. m.
Daily except Sunday	4:10 p. m.
Daily except Sunday	8:50 a. m.

WILMOT BRANCH.	
Monday-daily except Sunday	9:15 a. m.
Tuesday	9:32 a. m.
Wednesday	10:15 a. m.
Thursday	11:15 a. m.
Friday	11:38 a. m.
Saturday	12:15 p. m.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE AT REVILLO DAK.

GOING EAST.	
Daily	9:01 a. m.
Monday, Wednesday and Friday	11 a. m.

GOING WEST.	
Daily	4:52 p. m.
Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday	20

COUNTY OFFICERS.

County Officers.
Judges—1st Dist. John Martens.
2d Dist., John Hedman.
3d Dist., Wm. Jennings, Chm.
John Douglas.
County Clerk—C. W. Martens.
Probate Judge—Thos. L. Bouck.
—J. S. Farley.
—J. Benedict.
County Jail—J. L. Lockhart.
Sheriff—G. W. Prevey.
Attorney—J. H. Owen.
—Dr. C. E. Daniels.
Surgeon—W. S. Crowl.

CITY OFFICERS.

City Officers.
Mayor—S. Volkmar.
—W. Bell.
—Aug. Mittelstaedt.
—James Berry.
—S. M. Pasco.
—J. W. Bell.
1st Ward—L. M. Kaercher, Rich-
ard. 2d Ward—W. B. Saunders,
Edw. 3d Ward—C. A. Erlaudson,
Phelen.
Police Street Commissioner, Building
Inspector and Fire Warden—J. E. Simmons.
—Charles Sutcliffe.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Bell, S. C. Jones, J. R. Eastman, H.
Edw. Irving Bath, O. W. Antelman,
Edw. Schumath.

FRATERNITIES.

ARCH MASONS, MILBANK
Chapter No. 15. Stated convocations
on fourth Thursday of each month,
7 p. m. Visiting companions cordially
invited.
A. J. DRESER, High Priest.
D. COLLAS, Sec.

A. E. MILBANK LODGE No. 20.

Stated meetings at Schaler's Hall, on
Thursday evening of each month.
Brethren are cordially invited to at-
tend.
J. C. KNAPP, W. M.
L. BOCK, Secretary.

O. F. SYLVAN LODGE No. 54.

Meets every Tuesday evening at Schal-
er's Hall. Visiting brethren cordially in-
vited.
Ed. EMBARK, N. G.
L. BOCK, Sec.

ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.

Meets every second and fourth Satur-
day, 7 p. m. sharp, at the Court House.
Brethren visiting our city are invited to
attend.
D. W. BOGGS, Commander.
J. M. ADJUTANT.

M. E. CHURCH.

Meets first and third Mon-
day evenings of each month in Mason
Hall. Visiting brethren cordially invited.
Wm. ROYER, C. E. GROVER, M. W.

P. E. SEDGWICK DIVISION No. 313.

Meets in Schaler's Hall, Milbank,
S. D., on the first and third Sunday of each
month.
C. MATTHEWS, Chief.

ORDER OF RAILWAY CONDUCTORS.

Milbank Division No. 99. Meets at Ma-
son Hall every second and fourth Sunday
evening. All members of the order cordially
invited.
F. A. JOHNSON, Chief Conductor.
H. ROSE, Sec. and Treas.

M. E. CHURCH.

Meets every Friday eve-
ning at Mason Hall, and extends a
cordial invitation to visiting members.
Wm. ROYER, C. T.
H. THOMAS, Rec. Sec.

CHURCHES.

EPHRAIM.—Service in St. Lawrence
Church every Sunday and holy day at
10 a. m. Rev. Father Stephan, Priest.

M. E. Church.

—Preaching every
Sunday at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Song service
7 p. m. Sunday school 12 m. Prayer
meeting Wednesdays 7:30 p. m. Rev.
S. GIFFORD, Pastor.

THURAN.

—Service occasional—in the
Norwegian language at the church at
7 p. m. Rev. J. H. STRONAS, Minister.

EPISCOPAL.

—Service in Library Hall first
Sunday of each month at 10:45 a. m.
7:30 p. m. Rev. J. M. McBRIDE officiat-

HOME HAPPENINGS.

See the nice line of toilet and mani-
cure sets at the Jewelry store.

School books slates and other school
material at Rose's drug store.

H. L. Harris is spending a few days at
home.

Will Rodgers came up from Montevideo
last Sunday to spend the day.

Mr. A. C. Dodge is spending a short
time in St Paul, whither he went last
week.

Peter Vandervoort of Melrose township
is on a visit to friends in De Pere and
Green Bay, Wis.

H. R. Burnell and wife of Big Stone
City, came up today to look over the
Episcopal bazaar.

Col. Smedley and N. I. Lowthian will
attend the Minnesota state grange, which
meets at St Paul on the 16th.

James McGovern, of Madison, Lake Co.,
was calling on his old Milbank friends
the first of the week.

W. B. Saunders had the good for-
tune to strike a flowing well on his farm
last week while boring for water.

Conductor Alex. Maichior will make
a trip to Chicago about the 20th to be
present at the wedding of his sister.

John Tillman and Mrs. Chas. Fonder
returned last week from a visit to old
home and friends in Brown county, Wis.

The gentlemen friends of R. F. Gibson
surprised him with a birthday party this
week, to which the ladies were rigorously
excluded.

J. C. Knapp is taking a jaunt around
the country in the interest of the Mason-
ic life insurance company, for which he
is agent.

Dr. Horine's celebrated Pepsin Bitters,
for stomach weakness, dyspepsia, etc.,
for sale at Dr. Rose's drug store.

S. S. Lockhart, has been spending the
week at home, and expects soon to have
a man at work figuring out the mort-
gaged indebtedness of the county.

Jake Cramens of Melrose township and
John Vergeld, of Alban, started on a
visit to their old home at De Pere, Wis.,
this week.

Don't forget the old soldiers camp fire
tomorrow, to which all old soldiers
are invited. Election of officers will also
take place. A rousing good time is ex-
pected.

Erick Hall, of Big Stone township, is
on a visit to his sister Mrs. F. White-
trunk, of St Paul, where he expects to
remain for some time and receive treat-
ment for deafness.

A very fine collection of picture and
story books, just the thing for holiday
presents for the children at Rose's drug
store.

Cassius Johnson, who has been at work
in the Twin Brooks elevator for some
time past is now stopping with his
parents in this city.

The Epworth League, of the M. E.
Church, are preparing an entertainment,
to be given on Dec. 29, to be called the
Temple of Fame, consisting of represen-
tations, recitations and music.

The last regular meeting of the Ladies'
Benevolent society for the year 1890,
at which time the election of officers oc-
curs, will be held at the Congregational
church next Thursday, Dec. 18th, at
2:30 p. m.

The three months old baby of Floris
Stegen, of Melrose township, died Wed-
nesday morning, of lung disease, and the
funeral took place yesterday from the
Catholic church of this place.

The late drop in the price of wheat is
having a baleful effect on general busi-
ness, and merchants generally are com-
plaining of light trade for this season of
the year.

The invitations are out for the second
annual ball of division No. 313 B. of L.
E., which will be held at the opera house
in this city Wednesday evening, Decem-
ber 31st. The affair promises to be one
of the social events of the season.

Presiding Elder Jorlan of the Sioux
Falls district has signified his intention of
being present at the anniversary of the
dedication of the M. E. church next
month, and at the same time will deliver
a lecture for the benefit of the Epworth
League.

Mrs. Eugene Dixon and daughter have
gone to Madison, Wis., to spend the
winter.

Rev. McLain, of Wilmot, stopped over
Thursday, and attended the social at
Rev. Gifford's. He was on his way home
from an extended visit to the east.

Rev. H. D. Wiard, Supt. A. H. M. S.,
for South Dakota, will preach in the Con-
gregational church Sunday, December
21st, morning and evening.

The day passenger service on the H. &
D. west of Milbank will be discontinued
after this week, the afternoon train from
the east stopping here and the eastward
bound train in the morning being made
up at this place. No change in the
time is made.

The HERALD-ADVANCE, to be in sym-
pathy with the spirit of intrenchment
and economy abroad in the land, this
week slightly changes its form and re-
duces its size temporarily. To give our
subscribers the benefit of this change
the paper will be sent to those who pay
in advance for \$1.50; to all others the
price will remain the same as heretofore.
\$2.

Rev. W. E. Gifford, pastor of the M. E.
church at this place, has a most excel-
lently prepared and interesting lecture
on that greatest of America's natural
wonders, the Mammoth cave, which he is
prepared to deliver at small expense.
Literary, church or other societies desir-
ing a good lecture will do well to corre-
spond with him.

In our report of the old settlers' meet-
ing a few weeks ago we omitted one of
the important toasts, that of "Our State,"
responded to by Col. Smedley in his usual
felicitous manner. These numerous
little failures on our part to do our whole
duty reminds us that we haven't of late
received our periodical thrashing, and
consequently are becoming slightly de-
fect in many of these small things.

Owing to the fact that the November
term of the circuit court was not held
this year a very full calendar will be
presented to the judge at the spring term
commencing the first Tuesday in
March, if a special session is not called
before that time, which is not likely, as
the judge will hardly be prepared to give
the necessary time for a special term to
clear the calendar, and there are no press-
ing criminal suits.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet with
Mrs. O. W. Antelman, Thursday Dec.
18th, at 2:30 p. m.

Rodger's triple plated knives and
forks, \$3.00 per dozen, \$1.50 per set, at
the Milbank Jewelry store.

Notice of Teachers' Institute.

The teachers of Grant county are here-
by notified that a Normal Institute will
be held in the High school building of
the City of Milbank, commencing Mon-
day, Dec. 29th, at 10 o'clock a. m.

All persons engaged in teaching now
or who expect to teach during the year
commencing Jan. 1, 1891, are required to
attend.

Your absence will be accepted as a
sign that you have lost all interest in the
cause of education, and will be treated
accordingly.

Therefore, to the end that the best in-
terests of the schools may be served, and
that your certificates may remain valid,
fail not to present yourselves for enroll-
ment at the aforesaid time and place.

G. W. PREVEY,
Co. Sup't, Grant Co., S. D.
Milbank, S. D., Dec. 8, 1890.

Notice from Letts & Cannon.

We desire to give notice to all persons
indebted to us that we want them to call
promptly and settle. All bills not paid by
January 1, 1891, will be placed in the
hands of a lawyer for collection. We
mean business.

LETTS & CANNON,
Milbank, S. Dak., Dec. 10, 1890.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts,
Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever-
Sores, Tetter, chapped Hands, Chilblains,
Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and pos-
itively cures Piles, or no pay required. It
is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction,
or money refunded. Price 25 cents per
box. For sale by Caspar Hatz, of Big
Stone City.

Silver Wedding.

A quarter of a century of wedded life
is not the most common experience in
American social life. Death or the divorce
courts in the majority of cases sever the
matrimonial bonds long before 25 years
roll by, but when neither of these forces
have succeeded in dissolving the tie during
this length of time, it may be taken for
granted that the couple are pretty well
satisfied with each other, and so thought
the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fitch
as they gathered at the home of the latter
last Saturday evening while Mr. Fitch
and wife were absent attending a meet-
ing of the stewards of the church. Im-
agine the surprise of Thomas and his ami-
able wife upon their return to find their
comfortable home in the possession of
nothing less than a mob, the order and
arrangement of their household broken
into and their furniture thrown out of
doors to make room for the invaders.
As Tom approached the house thoughts
of burglars, incendiaries and other evils
flashed across his mind and his wrath
rose as he determined to capture the mis-
creants whom he believed were pillaging
his house. Disregarding the pleadings
of his wife, who suggested that discretion
was the better part of valor when deal-
ing with reckless characters, he charged
into the house, but instead of capturing
burglars, he and his good wife were taken
captive themselves, while the Rev. Mr.
Gifford explained to them the object of
the klu klu klu-like call to which they
had been subjected and presented them
with a handsome silver tea set, cake
basket, pie knife and card receiver, as
tokens of esteem from the friends who
had gathered to congratulate them upon
the 25th anniversary of their wedding
day. Refreshments were served and a
most delightful evening of social enjoy-
ment ensued. Following is a list of those
present, all of whom will be most happy
to greet Mr. and Mrs. Fitch at their
golden wedding when the time for its
celebration rolls around:

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J.
Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hills, Mr. and Mrs. Wm.
Daly, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Conright, Mr. and Mrs.
H. Holloman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hoenn, Mr.
and Mrs. O. W. Antelman, Rev. and Mrs.
Wm. E. Gifford, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Benedict,
Mr. and Mrs. R. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. D. W.
Diggs, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Rodgers, Mr. and
Mrs. S. Crowl, Mr. and Mrs. F. Larned, Mr. and
Mrs. H. T. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lockhart,
Mrs. Sommerville, Mrs. Nixon, Mrs. J. Thomas,
Mrs. J. C. Wood, Mrs. Guy Wood, Mrs. Morrill,
Miss Morrill, Mrs. L. Williams, Mrs. Monette,
Mrs. S. McCollum, Rev. Dresser, Mrs. Anna
Hills, Mrs. R. B. Smither, Mrs. S. A. Keefer,
Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Prevey.

The arrangements for the surprise
party were in the hands of Mrs. Hills,
Mrs. Kerr and Mrs. Conright, and the
success which attended their efforts in
the execution of their plans is highly
complimentary to them, and explosive of
the old adage that women can't keep a
secret.

New Year's Reception.

In the brick building formerly used as
the Post-office, the Ladies of the Congre-
gational Society will receive their friends,
and serve a New Year's Dinner of Roast
Turkey, Mince Pies and other choice
viands, for 25 cts. Children half price.

Perfumes of the most delicate and
agreeable kinds at Rose's drug store.

Spooling For a Fight.

A Pioneer Press Pine Ridge special of
the eleventh says: Yanlton Charley
one of the Indian scouts who accom-
panied the interpreters to the hostile
camp several days ago, returned early
this morning. He says when they
entered the Bad Lands many of the
Indians wanted to kill them. This pre-
cipitated a row in which Two Strike and
friends who wished to come to the agency,
defended the scouts and they remained.
The hostiles told of a skirmish over on
the Cheyenne river and that two of their
men had been killed but brought to life
again by the Messiah. He says the time
since the council at the agency last week
has been spent by the Indians in coun-
ciling and quarreling among themselves
as to whether they would give up or not.
This difference of opinion resulted yester-
day in a final row, when guns were drawn
and attempts made to take Two Strikes
life. In this they were foiled and the
riot that occurred resulted in a division of
the camp, the greater number joining
Two strikes and declaring their inten-
tion to come to the agency. Thirty
or forty lodges under Short Bull
and Kicking Bear pulled out for the Bad
Lands determined to fight. The sixth

cavalry left Rapid City for the Bad Lands
yesterday.

GETTING READY TO MARCH.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11. General Brooks
has issued orders for the troops to be
ready to march on to the Bad Lands
tomorrow and active preparations have
been in progress all the day.

Giving Canes Shape.

The cultivation of walking sticks for
the market has been taken up as a busi-
ness at some places in continental Europe,
and special attention is often paid to mak-
ing the roots grow into shapely forms for
the handles. A London manufacturing
establishment, the floor space of which
covers nearly an acre, has extensive
storehouses filled with native and foreign
sticks, from which stock is drawn as it
is wanted from the shops.

The sticks as they grow are often very
crooked and have to be straightened. A
heap of sand is provided on the top of a
hot stove, into which the sticks are
plunged until they become pliable.

The workman takes the crooked stick
while it is still hot and inserts it in a
notch cut in a stout board, placed at an
angle inclined from him, where he bends
and strains it. When it has become per-
fectly straight it is thrown down to
cool, after which it becomes rigid and
permanent in its lines. Heat is an im-
portant element in this matter and pro-
duces different effects on the several
kinds of wood, the degree of heat neces-
sary to straighten one kind of stick being
often sufficient to spoil another kind.

The same power which makes a
crooked stick straight is applied to make
a straight one crooked; so we find that
the rigid stems of bamboos, partridge
canes, and all the various kinds of sticks
that are required to be curled or twisted,
are by the application of heat made to
assume almost any shape or form.—
Youth's Companion.

Costly Drugs.

Among costly drugs we might mention
the following and the different sized
bottles and phials in which they are sold:
Agaricin, 4 1/2 ounces, costs \$43.75; colo-
cynthin, 5 1/2 ounces, \$114.75; coniine
hydrochlorate, 4 1/2 ounces, \$98.45; cyclo-
amin, 3 1/2 ounces, \$54.05; digitoxin, 1 1/2
ounces, \$57.40; gentisin, 1 1/2 ounces, \$91.15;
heliotropin, 6 ounces, \$61.25; dydrastine
hydrochlorate, 6 1/2 ounces, \$194.80; papaya-
otin, used as a solvent for the diphtheric
membrane, 13 ounce bottles, per bot-
tle, \$189.50. Besides the above there
are various preparations made from the
Calabar bean the cost of which is amaz-
ing. They are chiefly used in diseases
of the eye.

One is called physostigmine alkaloid,
and costs \$137.50 per ounce phial. Phys-
ostigmine crystals are still more expen-
sive, being sold in 2 1/2 ounce bottles at a
cost of \$503.15. Still another prepara-
tion of the Calabar is physostigmine
sulfate crystals, an antiepileptic drug
that surely furnishes a fitting cap sheaf
for this pyramid of costly stuffs, which
is furnished to the customer who is able
to buy at the reasonable charge of \$1,810-
020 for a 2 ounce phial.—St. Louis Re-
public.

He Was Not Anxious to Learn.

Professor Albert Boehm, of this city, is
an enthusiastic naturalist. He has a large
collection of birds and animals, and
makes a practice of exhibiting them at
fairs. The professor was at the Winona
fair, and had his museum in a tent on
the grounds. One day a gentleman
stepped in by the tent and looked at a
couple of coons which were tied to a stake
near the entrance. He did not know
what the animals were and asked the
professor, who told him they were coons,
and said: "If you will give me ten cents
and come inside the tent, when you come
out you will know more about natural
history than any of your normal profes-
sors." The offer was a good one, but the
gentleman refused and turned away.
Professor Boehm asked a bystander who
it was, and was told, "Professor—, of
the Winona normal school."—La Crosse
Leader.

Dr. Seley's celebrated trusses at Rose's drug store.

For Rent or Sale.

The Shatto farm adjoining Milbank,
240 acres ready for seeding. Inquire at
Wood Bros. for terms.

A Safe Investment.

Is one which is guaranteed to bring
you satisfactory results, or in case of
failure a return of purchase price. On
this safe plan you can buy from our ad-
vertised Druggist a bottle of Dr. King's
New Discovery for consumption. It is
guaranteed to bring relief in every case,
when used for any affection of Throat,
Lungs, or Chest, such as Consumption,
Inflammation, etc. It is pleasant to
agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and costs
bottles free, at Caspar Hatz of Big Stone
City.